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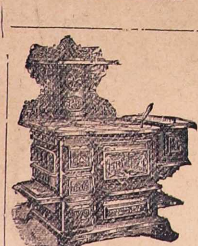

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OTTAWA TONGUES WAG.

BUT THE POLITICAL SITUATION IS NOT CHANGED.

A Slight Ripple On the Political Sea Caused By Rumors of De Boucherville's Objection to Chapleau as Lieutenant-Governor of Quebec.

OTTAWA, Dec. 1.—A slight ripple on the political sea was caused yesterday by rumors that Hon. Mr. De Boucherville has raised serious objection to the appointment of Hon. Mr. Chapleau to the Lieutenant-Governorship of Quebec, and that he has written to Sir John Thompson threatening to resign if the appointment is made.

Of course no denial of or confirmation of the rumor can be obtained from the parties most interested, but the statement that Chapleau and De Boucherville do not pull well together is not new, and it has always been understood that Chapleau's appointment to the Lieutenant-Governorship would not please De Boucherville.

Last night the talk about the Russell House is that Chapleau will not go to Quebec at all, but will remain in the Cabinet at least until after next session. Indeed, the talk last night was that beyond filling the vacancy in the Quebec representation caused by the retirement of Sir John Abbott, there will be no change whatever in the personnel of the Cabinet until after next session.

The leadership in the Senate is being provided for by the transference of Hon. M. Bowell to the red chamber.

A prominent Quebec politician, who came up from Montreal last night, says that it is nonsense to talk of Angers entering the ministry and taking a seat in the Commons, in the event of Mr. Chapleau going to Spencerwood, as the Liberals have sworn with a big, big D that he shall not be elected for any seat in that province, no matter how much it costs to elevate the standard of purity and put down bribery and corruption.

The irrepressible J. Israel Tarte said yesterday that, no matter what constituency Angers ran in, he would be opposed, and that he, as the immaculate J. Israel, could raise $10,000 in 10 minutes and $100,000 in a week to defeat him.

If Angers enters the Ministry at all he will probably enter the Senate and lead that body, but there is a strong probability that he will not enter the Ministry at present.

R. S. White, M.P., and Senator Drummond arrived here at noon yesterday from Montreal, had an interview with Sir John Thompson and left again for Montreal by the 4 o'clock train. This set the tongues of the quidnuncs wagging and a rumor was started that the Quebec difficulty may be settled by Senator Drummond taking a portfolio as Protestant representative from Quebec and assuming the lead in the Senate.

Deputy-Speaker Bergeron came up from Montreal this evening, but declined to talk about the situation.

Half a dozen rumors of various kinds was afloat yesterday, and indeed more people seem to have been at work cabinet-making to-day than on any day since Sir John Abbott's resignation was received, and about the only man who gives no sign of being in the business is Sir John Thompson, who keeps at work in his department, submits patiently to the interviews of newspaper correspondents, and tells them nothing with great suavity and a pleasant smile which breaks some of the searchers after knowledge all up.

Hon. T. M. Daly arrived from Winnipeg yesterday and carefully took his broken ankle to bed in the Russell House, where a newspaper representative found him last night enjoying a pipe and a chat with Dr. Ferguson, M.P. The Hon. Tom looks not one whit the worse for his accident and hopes to be at the Department of the Interior to-day, although he will have to use crutches for some time yet. Both the small bones of the ankle were broken, and the break is still enclosed in plaster, but he expects that will be taken off to-day. Of course, like all the other ministers, he declines to talk politics, but is very pronounced in his expression of satisfaction with the manner in which he was received in the Northwest.

Mrs. Daly did not come through with him, but stopped off at Stratford for a few days.

A SILENCED BATON.

Bandmaster Carey, Sr., Will No Longer Wield It—He Was Out on Sunday

TORONTO, Dec. 1.—William Carey, master of the 14th batt. band, Kingston, for the past 12 years, died at his residence in that city yesterday, from congestion of the brain. Deceased was up and out for a walk on Sunday, but in the evening complained of a headache, a thing he never had before. The bursting of a small blood vessel was the signal of death. Deceased was unconscious during the greater part of his sickness. Deceased was born in Portsmouth and was 61 years old.

The deceased was the son of the bandmaster of the 1st Royal Dragoons, England. His grandfather was the leader of the 28th and 8th regimental bands. The dominant characteristics of the fathers descended to the son. The deceased wandered over Europe with the regiment his father was attached to, and in 1837 came to Chambly, Que. In 1843 young Carey joined the Royal Horse Guards, and as one of the household cavalry did duty to Her Majesty. In 1855 he was bandmaster of the 9th Regiment at Winchester, and was through the Crimean war. His band played before the Sultan at the memorable parade of all the forces. The bands led by his father, his brother and himself played at the burial of Lord Raglan. In 1856 Mr. Carey came to Canada and in 1859 attached himself to the Royal Canadian Rifles, remaining with it until 1870. He accepted the bandmastership of Prince Consort's Own Rifle Brigade, England, and in 1874 took charge of the G.T.R. Band, Toronto. He reorganized the Queen's Own Band, and in 1880 came to Kingston, and has since been bandmaster of the 14th Battalion. Mr. Carey played before Her Majesty complimented for his work was known as a ski... of the best ... through...

DROVE TO THEIR DEATH.

A Locomotive Bore in Its Pilot Three Crushed and Mangled Bodies.

ELMIRA, N.Y., Dec. 1.—One of the most terrible railroad crossing accidents that has occurred here in years took place at the Pennsylvania-avenue crossing of the Erie in the fifth ward at 11.05 last night.

Five persons were returning to their home in the town of Southport from the city in a wagon.

They were William Conklin and wife, Edward Blanchard and wife and Mrs. Maggie Pitts.

The crossing is a dangerous one. No one knows just how the accident occurred, but the wagon was struck by Erie vestibuled train No. 5, running at a high rate of speed.

The engineer says he did not know he had struck anything, and the first known of the accident by the trainmen was when the train halted at the station, nearly a half-mile from the crossing. As it drew into the station the locomotive bore in its pilot the ghastly burden of three crushed and mangled bodies.

They were those of Mr. and Mrs. Blanchard and Mrs. Conklin. The wagon was scattered along in bits, some of it dropping off at Water-street crossing on the north side of the Chemung River.

The body of Mrs. Pitts and the mangled form of William Conklin, still alive, were picked up about 100 yards from the crossing. Mr. Conklin was at once taken to the hospital. The extent of his injuries are as yet unknown.

All of the killed had their heads crushed.

LIZZIE ACTS LUNEY.

The Borden Case Requires the Work of Experts in Insanity.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Dec. 1.—Much to the surprise of the community the grand jury investigating the Borden murder case suddenly adjourned on Nov. 21 to come in again on Dec. 1.

The Mercury yesterday stated on the best of authority that the true reason for this hasty adjournment is that Attorney-General Gillsburg believes that Lizzie Borden is insane.

During the recess an examination has been made in regard to Miss Borden's sanity, and when the grand jury comes in again it will listen to the testimony of experts upon this question.

UNTRUE TO HIS TRUST.

He Allowed Sneak Thieves to Raid the Village of Niagara Falls.

NIAGARA FALLS, Ont., Dec. 1.—Burglars were on the warpath here last night. Several places were entered, although a nightwatchman patroled the streets.

Amongst the several places burglarized was Pew & Pew's meat market, where some $50 worth of smoked meats were stolen and carted off from the front door on a principal street.

Ald. Davis' photo gallery was entered. Several clothes lines were stripped. Thieves unknown.

BRITISH MAILS.

Despatched by the Trans-Canadian Route to and From the Orient.

HALIFAX, Dec. 1.—The first English mail from China and Japan via Vancouver arrived at the postoffice here last night and will be despatched by the steamer Labrador Saturday to its destination.

The first mail from England for China and Japan is expected here by steamer due Saturday and will be despatched Monday to make connection with the C.P.R. steamer leaving Vancouver Dec. 12 for the East.

BURNED THE MOTHER.

And the Daughter was Rescued in the Nick of Time.

TRENTON, Ont., Dec. 1.—A fire broke out about 3 o'clock yesterday morning in the block occupied by C. B. Taylor, grocer.

The dwelling above the store was occupied by a Mrs. Raine and her daughter, who were asleep when the fire broke out; and who were caught in the burning building.

Assistance came, but the daughter was the only one rescued, the mother's dead body being found after the fire had been got under control.

Incendiaries in Sandwich.

WINDSOR, Ont., Dec. 1.—The inhabitants of Sandwich are again in terror through the workings of firebugs who seem determined to wipe the place out of existence. The last one to suffer is Constable Masters. Early yesterday morning his barn, together with its entire contents, including a horse, buggy and cutter, was destroyed. Loss, about $700; partly insured. It is stated on good authority that the insurance companies will cancel all risks in the town.

Train Wrecked in Arkansas.

ARKANSAS CITY, Ark., Dec. 1.—The north bound Missouri Pacific passenger train, leaving here at 12.45 p.m. yesterday, jumped the track about 1½ miles from this city.

The baggage car and two coaches left the track. The coach next to the baggage car rolled down an embankment of about 12 feet and turned over, a total wreck, injuring 12 passengers.

Heavy Weights Married.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—Chauncey Morlan and Annie Bell were married yesterday in a 14th-street museum in the presence of a large crowd.

The groom is 21 years old and weighs 442 pounds. The bride is a year younger and weighs 570.

Both are fairly good looking. The Episcopal marriage ceremony was performed.

Firing the Furnaces.

READING, Pa., Dec. 1.—The large furnace at Emaus, after a long idleness, is being put in readiness for resumption this week and No. 2 furnace of the Brooke Iron Company at Birdsboro, after an idleness of some time, will resume by Jan. 1. Wanner's forge, near St. Peters, Pa., which has been idle six months resumed operations to-day with large orders on hand.

Telegraphers Satisfied.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1—The Jersey Central Committee of Telegraphers had a ...'s conference with the management ...d at President Maxwell's ... A. Gearhart, chairman ...lined to say what the ...ers had been satis...

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MONETARY CONFERENCE

A CURRENCY CRISIS EXPECTED IN THE UNITED STATES.

Archbishop Walsh Believes in the Practicability of Bi-Metallism.—He Says the Appreciation of Gold Increases the Burdens of the Irish Tenantry.

BRUSSELS, Dec. 1.—The delegates to the Monetary Conference are greatly interested in Archbishop Walsh's declaration in favor of bi-metallism, the adoption of which he advocates as necessary to save the Irish tenant from ruin.

Sir G. L. Molesworth, who is an Irish landlord, said to an Associated Press representative this evening:

"Archbishop Walsh is perfectly right. I, myself, have contended for many years that the Irish difficulty is greatly due to the appreciation of gold, the value of which has increased 50 per cent. since 1871. The Irish farmers contract to pay their rent in gold, but now, owing to the increased purchasing power of the sovereign, they must raise more produce in order to earn the rent money.

"Landlords also suffer as mortgagees and the like and must be satisfied with the appreciated standard. The substantial reductions in rents in the past generation have been made inadequate to meet the difficulty, because the reductions have not kept pace with the appreciation of gold. The adoption of a bi-metallic monetary standard would lead to a slight rise in prices, and a severe fall in the rates of interest, which would result in increased commercial activity throughout the world."

A CRISIS IN CURRENCY.

Is Bound to Occur in the United States—Why Bi-Metallism Is Wanted.

LONDON, Dec. 1.—The News' financial article yesterday discusses the pros and cons of the Rothschild scheme.

Opponents of the scheme, it says, take two grounds; first, that it would be wrong to prolong the artificial support of silver, and second, that a currency crisis is bound to occur in America whether Europe bolsters up silver or not.

The News admits the necessity of avoiding a commercial panic is a strong reason for the adoption of the scheme, and says that perhaps a year would suffice for America to turn round and quietly permit commerce to adjust itself to the fall of silver.

The real doubt, The News adds, is whether the threat of an American crisis is grave enough to excuse a temporary and unscientific experiment in currency.

It is regarded as certain that the committee having in charge the Rothschild silver proposals will recommend the adoption of the plan with some important modifications, including a suggestion that the limit for the purchase of silver be reduced to three years.

It is understood that this is not the unanimous report of the committee. The American delegates, although they invite discussion of the Rothschild and other plans, intend to have their own scheme of international bi-metalism thoroughly debated.

Panama Canal Workers Hopeful.

PANAMA, Dec. 1.— Canal affairs are beginning to show signs of returning life here, and the arrival of Ex-Director-General Mange was the occasion of numberless conjectures as to the object of his visit.

Information received from most reliable sources states that this gentleman has come to the isthmus on a special commission from M. Mouchicourt to report on the exact state of the immovable property and material of the company in view of the possibility of the early resumption of work.

The Panama Canal Investigating Committee continued its inquiry to-day.

M. Flory, auditor in bankruptcy, was called upon to give testimony as to how the money of the company had been expended, but refused.

The committee then heard the evidence of M. Rossignot, M. Flory's predecessor.

M. Rossignot confirmed the statement that Baron Reinach had received 9,000,000 francs from the Panama Canal Company, of which amount 4,000,000 francs had been described as used for advertising.

M. Boudet, a former secretary of the Panama Canal Company, confirmed the statements of M. Rossignot.

M. Thierree, manager of a Coulisse firm, testified that Baron de Reinach had paid 3,900,000 francs into the firm's account in the Bank of France, and on that security the firm had issued 27 checks. The witness refused to say, however, to whom the checks were made payable.

The committee thereupon appointed three of its members to accompany M. Thierree to the Coulisse firm's office, with instructions to examine books and make a copy of numbers of the checks in question and amounts for which they were drawn.

The committeemen reported that M. Thirree refused to show the checks.

The committee then requested M. Ricard, Minister of Justice, to have the checks seized. M. Ricard promised to send the request to the public procurateur.

To-day's session, especially in view of the evidence given by M. Thierree, is regarded as the most important yet held by the committee. The public prosecutor has written to M. Brisson, president of the committee, protesting against the committee's interference in judicial matters.

The Rise in Cotton.

LONDON, Dec. 1.—The Times publishes a statement from what it deems a trustworthy source, intended to show that the present rise in cotton is without a precedent, except during the American Civil war, and that the movement is wholly speculative.

Middlemen, it says, are buying as fast as they can in the teeth of a bad state of trade and the strike in Lancashire, and in the absence of any proof of diminution in supplies the estimate of an American crop of 65,000,000 bales is probable, as was the case last year, greatly under ratio. The article continues: "A private telegram from a reliable house says the crops in Texas are much larger than is generally thought, the total visible supply of cotton being scarcely 100,000 bales under the yield of 1891." In conclusion, the article says at least 5,000,000 bales must have changed hands in gambling operations during the past week.

Religion Against Marriage.

ROME, Dec. 1.—The Holy See has declined to sanction the marriage of Prince Ferdinand of Bulgaria to the daughter of the ex-Duke of Parma, because in asking the Papal consent Prince Ferdinand stipulated that the issue of the marriage should be trained as members of the Greek orthodox church.

The ex-Duke has therefore refused to assent to his daughter's marriage to Ferdinand.

Justin McCarthy's Health.

LONDON, Dec. 1.—The health of Justin McCarthy has so improved that he has abandoned his intention of going to the south of France.

Results of ...

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Nov. 28.—Charles Platt, editor of The Leader, was killed ... Gainesville by S. S... ...ling dispute. Platt was a lead... ...alist and his murderer is ...

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THE DAILY ONTARIO

BELLEVILLE, THURSDAY, DEC. 1st

IMPORTANT TO D

The ONTARIO has the Largest bona-fide Circulation of any Paper in the Midland District.

Stirling Items.

Geo. Scott has purchased the Frank Parker building near Stickle's store.—Mr. Halliwell will address the members of A. O. U. W. Lodge No. 13 on Dec. 2.—The late John M. Ward, was the first sec'ty lodge No. 69, A. F. and A. M. in 1855.—Dr. Thornton, D. D. G. M., Pr. Edward District, will officially visit the Masonic lodge here at its next meeting.—Mr. Badgley, of Rawdon, will take up his residence here.—Geo. Conley, of the elevator, reports that he is receiving extra patronage.—N. Sprague, of Demorestville, was visiting his son, Dr. Sprague, on 25th.—The temperance meeting at Presbyterian church on 22nd, was largely attended. A. F. Wood, M. P. P., not being present.—Robt. Jarvis, has recently heard that his son is dangerously ill at Rhinelander, Wisconsin.—Wm. Kyle has purchased the McKeown residence.—Our High school is very flourishing and recently its pupils established a literary and debating society.—H. Allan has taken the place of Thos. Cook as proprietor of the Harold hotel.—Our citizens sympathize with the Caverly Bros. of Gilmour, in their recent failures, for they were once residents of this place and are highly esteemed.

North Hastings Mines

SIR.—My notice in your issue of the 25th inst has brought out many interested in the mines of the mineral district to the north of this city. The specimens of ore which I will ship to England, must be in my hands not later than the 1st January, 1893. I have received letters from Providence, R. I., New York city and Chicago, Ill., asking for specimens of the mineral found in this county. Yours, etc.
GEO. MERRILL.

Then and Now

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...literally cov... the body of the ... from sight by the great ... brooches, bracelets, necklaces, cameos, pearls, etc., hung ... on the imagine of Christ ... almost an equal number—diamond earrings in his ears, diamonds on his head, rings on his fingers, watches, every conceivable article of adornment Below, there were crutches by the score, and many acknowl dgements of the help given by the Virgin Mary. Wednesday morning, we went first to St. Peters and heard fifty-eight priests. a cardinal and many other dignataries celebrate High Mass. The music was wonderful, better than any concert I ever listened too, and yet nor only did the singing, though there were some of the sweetest and clearest soprano voices. Outside of the chapel a temporary altar was erected, covered with black velvet and gold, with skulls upon it arranged in various designs. All about candles were burning and during the ceremony all the priests lit and blew out their candles over and over again. After it was over they all marched in

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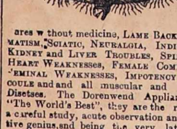

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The repo... consideration ... Graham was expung... W. Haggerty substit... pupil to the Guelph Agric... —Carried.

Mr. Holgate stated that noon recess he had seen Mr. Gra had learned that that gentleman, anxious to avail himself the a since the coming season would third at the college and consequen... The report was adopted.

The council adjourned until 9 Friday.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

IT RESTS THE BACK

Most women know all about the misery of washday. To many it means Backache, Sore Hands, Hard Rubbing over a steaming tub, and long hours. This falls to the lot of those who use poor, cheap, and injurious soaps.

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Bill Bass war arrested this afternoon by Sergt. McCrudden for drunkenness. He had to be taken to the cells in a truck.

What She Said

Mrs. R. Peck, 15th street, New York City, visited Canada year, and had the good fortune to pick up something which not only suited her, but her neighbors also. Writing the manufacture of Nerviline she says:—"I bought three bottles of Nerviline while in Canada and treated my neighbors to some of it, and all think it the best medicine for internal or external pain they have ever used." Nerviline deserves such commendation, for it is a most powerful, penetrating, and certain remedy for pain of all kinds. Take no substitute

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Dr. Silas Lane while in the Rocky Mountains discovered a root that when combined with other herbs makes an easy and certain cure for constipat on. It is in the form of dry roots and leaves, and is known as Lane's Family Medicine. It cures sick headache in one night, For the blood, liver and kidneys, and for clearing up the complexion it does wonders. Druggists sell it at 50 cents a package.

The Wild Cherry combined with Milburn's Cod Liver Oil Emulsion makes it delicious in taste and perfect in curative power.

As an after dinner pill, to strengthen the stomach, assist digestion, and correct an bilious tendencies, Ayer's pills are considered the best. Being sugar coated, they are as agreeable as any confection, and may be taken by the most delicate.

BROCKVILLE, 1st Sept. 1892.
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Gentlemen.—I was troubled with corn for ten years and tried all the remedies advertised. None removed them as speedily and painlessly as "Cooper Lightning Corn Cure" procured ... o Wold not be without it. It is worth its weight in gold.
Yours uly,
T. BIRUNE,
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For four thousand years or more the world groaned, suffered and fumed about its corns, for their was no positive relief—no certain and painless cure until Dr. Scott Putman gave to the world his great Corn Extractor. If there is suffering now it is a result of carelessness, for the remedy is at hand. Try Putman's Corn Extractor. It is sure painless, and prompt. Beware of substitutes. N. C. Polson & Co. proprieters. Kingston.

Cured Female Weakness

Mr. Hugh Caldwell, Clydesdale, Ont., writes:—"My daughter was under the care of doctors for more than a year for female weakness, without getting relief. I then procured Pink Pills and they cured her." All dealers 50 cents a box or 6 boxes for 2.60, or mailed on receipt of price. Dr. Williams' Med. Co.. Brockville, Ont., and Schenectady, N. Y.

It you have a cough or cold do not neglect it; many without a trace of that hereditary disease have drifted into a consumptive grav by neglecting what was on a slight cold. Had the used Bickle's Anti-Consumtive Syrup before it was too late their lives would have been spared. Mr. A. W. Levy Mitchell, writes. "I think Bickel's Anti-Consumptive Syrup the best preparation on the market for coughs and severe colds. About six years ago I caught severe cold which settled on my lungs, and for three months I had a cought. I had a physician attending me, but gradually grew worse until I was on the verge of Consumption, and had given up hopes of being cured, when I was induced to try Bickel's Syrup. Before I had taken one bottle I found myself greatly relieved, and by the time I had finished the second was completely cured. I always rec for severe colds and consumption

When the hair begins to come out in combing, it shows a weakness of the scalp that calls for immediate attention. The best preparation to arrest further loss of hair and restore the scalp to a healthy condition is Ayers Hair Vigor.

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MIND YER EYE, UNCLE SAM

THE UNITED STATES FEARS CANADA'S AGGRANDISEMENT.

Admiral Seymour of the British Navy Said to Have Been Sent to Niagara Falls to Arrange a Vantage Railway Line for War Purposes.

BUFFALO, N.Y., Dec. 1.—A Lewiston, N.Y., special to The News says:

An important piece of inside news has been privately received here regarding the Canadian Pacific Railway's new branch on the Canadian side of the Niagara River.

Last summer Admiral Seymour of the British Navy visited Lewiston, traveling over the New York Central in an observation car.

During the trip he carefully examined the Canadian side through a field glass, making remarks about the then proposed route.

It has now transpired that Admiral Seymour is one of a commission appointed by the British Government to report on the feasibility of the C.P.R. route as a military highway for British sailors, mariners and soldiers.

The report will be presented nex month and will be in favor of the C.P.R.

Toronto military men consider the Niagara branch very important for war purposes.

MAINTAINING RATES.

Railroad Men Working Strenuously Against Reduction of Revenue.

CHICAGO, Dec. 1.—A meeting of the presidents and general managers of the railroads in the territory of the Central Traffic Association has been held for the purpose of taking action in conformity with that of the Trunk Line Association in New York two weeks ago. There was a full attendance and the utmost harmony prevailed.

A resolution was adopted providing for a complete restoration of all eastbound rates to the last agreed tariff basis, to take effect to morrow, Dec. 1.

It was decided to recommend that the officers of the joint committee shall hereafter be three in number instead of two, that Aldace F. Walker shall be chairman, J. F. Goddard, eastern vice-chairman, and George R. Blanchard, western vice-chairman, and that these three shall constitute a board to deal with all questions to be arbitrated.

When the question of pooling came up, a resolution was adopted recommending that the three officers of the joint committee be commissioned to represent to the Interstate Commerce Commission and to Congress the defects of the present law and remedies suggested.

One of the remedies, in the judgment of meeting, should be a restoration of right to pool, under such restrictions as might be deemed advisable for the proper protection of the public.

One of the most important actions taken by the meeting was the adoption of a resolution providing for an absolute maintenance of passenger rates and pledging all the roads to pay no commissions on passenger business after this date. This, however, does not prohibit their agents from receiving commissions from other roads.

The action of the New York meeting regarding World's Fair rates was ratified.

WORSE THAN CURFEW.

A Convent Bell That Refuses to Be Silent.

BALTIMORE, Md., Dec. 1.—For a week there has been great trepidation among the sisters of Notre Dame, who occupy a picturesque convent adjoining St. Ann's Church in the York-road, because of the mysterious ringing of the bell at all hours of the day and night.

It kept ringing all night and deprived the sisters of sleep. It was heard in the church during high mass on Sunday, and the sexton cut the wire, but the bell rang all the louder. Then the wire was entirely detached from the bell, and it made still more noise.

"Take it down," was the next order. The bell was removed and was hung up for two days in Father Bartlett's house, but did not ring there. It was then replaced in the convent, whereupon it began to ring again violently. The bell was taken down and put up in a different manner. It kept on ringing and nobody could stop it.

It rang so violently that the spiral steel spring was stretched straight out and the bell oscillated with such force that it beat against the ceiling. Sexton Helmcany now places it in position every morning and removes it at night.

Spain Will Send a Lonja.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1.—A cable message received here brings the news that Spain will be represented at the World's Fair in a manner proper for the nation which made possible the discovery of America.

The Government of Spain will erect on the World's Fair Grounds a reproduction of the famous Lonja at Valencia, said to be the finest specimen of pure Spanish architecture in existence.

The Government has decided to appropriate $200,000 for its exhibit at the World's Fair, instead of $150,000 as proposed about 10 days ago.

"August Flower"

I had been troubled five months with Dyspepsia. The doctors told me it was chronic. I had a fullness after eating and a heavy load in the pit of my stomach. I suffered frequently from a Water Brash of clear matter. Sometimes a deathly Sickness at the Stomach would overtake me. Then again I would have the terrible pains of Wind Colic. At such times I would try to belch and could not. I was working then for Thomas McHenry, Druggist, Cor. Irwin and Western Ave., Allegheny City, Pa., in whose employ I had been for seven years. Finally I used August Flower, and after using just one bottle for two weeks, was entirely relieved of all the trouble. I can now eat things I dared not touch before. I would like to refer you to Mr. McHenry, for whom I worked, who knows all about my condition, and from whom I bought the medicine. I live with my wife and family at 39 James St., Allegheny City, Pa. Signed, JOHN D. COX.

G. G. GREEN, Sole Manufacturer, Woodbury, New Jersey, U. S. A.

Hello!—You fellow there.—Don't go bumping about as if your bac was broken. G off at once and get bottle of Magic Pile Lotion—use it accor ding to directions and you will walk a straight as any body in 24 hours.

Get along with you!
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Every testimonial regarding Hoo Sarsaparilla is an honest, unpurch statemen of what this medicine actually done.

"Save who can!" was the frantic cry of Napoleon to his army at Waterloo Save health and strength while you can by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, is advice that applies to all, both young and old. Don't wait until disease fasten on you; begin at once.

If you have a cough, procure at once bottle of Holden's Expectorant, put and for sale at Geen's Drug store, e old reliable cough medicine

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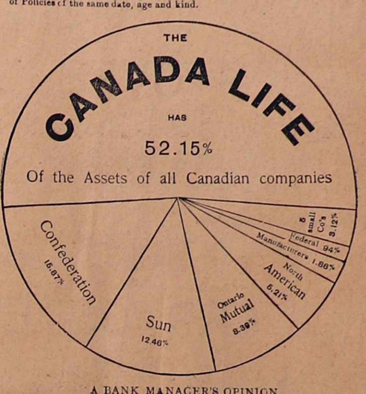
9. We challenge any Company to produce, in comparison, results equal to the exampl of Policies of the same date, age and kind.



A BANK MANAGER'S OPINION.

The General Manager of one of the leading banks in Canada, writing to a personal friend says:

"I have no hesitation in saying that I place the Canada Life upon the highest platform. "It is in my opinion carefully, economically and honestly managed; its reserve funds are "well invested; its rates of premiums are low, and its future is I think better assured than "a great majority of Companies. I have my own life insured in the Company for a round "amount, and would not hesitate to increase the amount of my policies should I decide "upon taking out further insurance.

A GOVERNMENT INSURANCE ACTUARY'S OPINION
ON THE RELATION BETWEEN ORDINARY AND TONTINE SURPLUS.

It is frequently asserted by Companies whose business is nearly all Tontined, that although the Canada Life may and does pay large ordinary profits, yet it cannot compare so favorably on a long term distribution or tontine period, and that in the end better results can be obtained on a Tontine policy in the Canada Life. To prove the absurdity of this statement, the following piece of common sense is quoted from Mervin Tabor, late Actuary of the Illinois Government Insurance Department. In his well known book "The Three Systems of Life Insurance." he says: "A company that gives large dividends on the ordinary kinds of policies, can give much larger on the same kinds when Tontined, and a company that pays but meagre dividends on the usual forms, adopting perhaps the Tontine system to "cover up" its small surpluses, cannot be relied on for large returns of surplus under the Tontine Forms of Insurance."

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OVER THE PANAMA CANAL.

The Liquidator Anticipates Trouble Between France and the United States.

PARIS, Dec. 1.— Everything that has occurred within the past three weeks has been in consequence of M. Constans' desire to become president of the republic and to revenge himself on the ministers, his late colleagues. To bring about their fall he first attacked M. Floquet.

He will soon attack President Carnot in the person of his relative. M. Constans accuses him of not having shown due care in scrutinizing the report of one of the engineers sent to Panama.

He reckons upon his investigation committee to make it diff...

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... the liquidator Company, replies to M. Lauterbach in an interview, and protests against the intention of the pronunciamento. He asserts that the renewal of the contract between the Panama Railway Company and the Pacific Mail Railway was impossible, because the conditions imposed upon the Pacific Mail Company were too burdensome.

Nevertheless the Panama company continues to put forth all its efforts "to assure transit to all points covered by the Pacific Mail Company on the most favorable conditions to American and European commerce."

Europe considers the theory advanced as equivalent to an embargo on European capital for the benefit of American commerce. It finds that the theory of the Monroe doctrine, already a difficult one on political grounds, is absolutely impracticable on economical grounds.

The Panama question is decidedly destined to cause anarchy in many minds, and to menace the relations of countries which up to the present time have been most harmonious.

LATEST TRIPLE ALLIANCE.

A Paris Journal Evidently Imagines It Has a Big Scoop.

LONDON, Dec. 1.—The Paris Journal, a recently established paper, much given to sensations and canards and in no way to be confounded with The Petit Journal, tried to create a new sensation to-day by publishing what it asserts to be the text of the latest triple alliance treaty.

"We do not state how we procure it," it says solemnly in its editorial columns. The story is ridiculed here as a pure fabrication.

This alleged treaty, says The Journal, is in German and was signed by Emperor William and Francis Joseph in May and by King Humbert, June 5, 1891, and is a continuance of the dreibund for six years.

In its articles it provides for co-operation through diplomacy and by "material assistance on land and water" between the several countries in carrying out their several foreign policies. It provides for keeping the several armies on a war footing and for the maintenance of the status quo.

The seventh and vital clause in the alleged treaty is as follows:

7th—(A) In case of conflict between Germany and Russia Austria agrees to mobilize her armies and declare war against Russia, acting in harmony with the staff of the German army, Italy meanwhile mobilizing her army on the French frontier. In case France should side with Russia Italy would declare war against France, her army entering that country, her base of operations being Savoy.

(B) In case of conflict between Germany and France, Italy will act as above indicated. In such event Austria would mobilize her army on the Russian frontier and declare war against Russia in case the latter should interfere in the conflict and side with France. In such case Austria would act as indicated in paragraph A.

(C) In case of conflict between Austria and Russia, Germany is to mobilize her army and declare war against Russia, sending two army corps into Austria. Italy would mobilize her army on the French frontier and act as indicated in paragraph A in case France should assist Russia.

(D) In case of conflict between Italy and France in Europe or in the colonies Germany would mobilize her army and act conjointly with Italy, while Austria would mobilize her army on the Russian frontier ready to assume the offensive in case Russia should side with France.

The Deacons Still At It.

PARIS, Dec. 1.—A representative of the Associated Press yesterday had an interview with Mrs. Deacon in regard to the threat made by her husband that if his wife's appeal at Aix was delayed he would sue for a divorce in New York.

Deacon made no reference to his wife's relations with Abeille as affording grounds for the granting of a divorce in New York, but declared he would name as co-respondent Prince Lemex Cotte Rochefoucauld and Le Renault.

Mrs. Deacon declared that this was the first time she had heard these names connected with hers. She added: "My acquaintance with the gentlemen mentioned is most formal. I know their wives slightly, but the husbands have never been in my house. This is, alas, only another instance of Mr. Deacon's infamy."

Fired His Castilian Blood.

MADRID, Dec. 1.—Senor Silvela, Minister of the Interior, tendered his resignation yesterday because the Prime Minister would not assent to his demands that the municipal council be suspended from office on account of the recent municipal scandals. The Cabinet has decided to prosecute the guilty members of the municipal government.

Guard Against Cholera.

LONDON, Dec. 1.—The Local Government Board are preparing a new and stringent series of regulations to guard against a recurrence of cholera next spring.

Chief of Indian Forces.

LONDON, Dec. 1.—Major-General Sir George Stuart White has been appointed commander-in-chief of the forces in India.

Unseated on Petition.

LONDON, Dec. 1.—Patrick Fullam, elected for South Meath, has been unseated on petition.

Head Surgeon

Of the Lubon Medical Company is now a Toronto, Canada, and may be consulted either in person or by letter on all chronic diseases peculiar to man. Men, young, old, or middle-aged, who find themselves nervous, weak and exhausted, who are broken down from excess or overwork, resulting in many of the following symptoms; Mental depression, premature old age, loss of vitality, loss of memory, bad dreams, dimness of sight, palpitation of the heart, emissions, lack of energy, pain in the kidneys, headache, pimples on the face or body, itching or peculiar sensation about the scrotum, wasting of organs, dizziness, specks before the eyes, twitching of the muscles, eyelids and elsewhere, bashfulness, deposits in the urine, loss of will power, tenderness of scalp and spine, weak and flabby muscles, desire to sleep, failure to be rested by sleep, constipation, dullness of hearing, loss of voice, desire for solitude, excitability of temper, sunken eyes surrounded with leaden circle, oily looking skin etc., are all symptoms of nervous debility that lead to insanity unless cured. The spring or vital force having lost its tension every function wanes in consequence. Those who through abuse committed in ignorance may be permanently cured. Send your address for book on all diseases peculiar to man. Books sent free sealed. Heart disease, the symptoms of which are faint spells, purple lips, numbness, palpitation, skip beats, hot flushes rush of blood to the head, dull pain in the heart with beats strong, rapid and irregular, the second beat quicker than the first, pain about the breast bone, etc., can positively be cured. No cure no pay. Send for book. Address M. V. L. ON 24 Macdonell Ave., Toronto Ont.

All through the Provinces the rapid increase of La Grippe, is causing great alarm. A report was received here to-day, of a new development of the disease, which is worse, perhaps than any other. Wm. Hanley of N. Y. City, died in terrible agony after sickness of only four days. His tongue swelled to such an extent as to make it impossible for him to close his jaws or swallow any food. The report is causing the people in this district to inquire into the noted Grip-cure, recently referred to in so many papers. In Cape Breton the disease has prad very rapidly and with fatal results. D. J. Killop of L'Archeveque writes Feb. 11th that this cure has been tried in his neighborhood and with such success that all those residing there are obtaining a supply believing it to be the only remedy affording relief and effecting a certain cure. He finished his letter by asking for a large quantity of the Medicine (Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills) to supply the demands of the community for the relief of LaGrippe.

A Great Surprise

Is in store for all who use Kemp's Balsam for the throat and lungs, the great guarantee remedy. Would you believe that it is sold on its merits and that any druggist is authorized by the proprietor of his wonderful remedy to give you a sample bottle free? It never fails to cure acute or chronic coughs. All druggists sell Kemp's Balsam. Large bottles 50 cents and $1.

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Advice to Mothers

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used by millions of mothers for children teething for over fifty years, with perfect success. It relieves the little sufferer at once, produces natural quiet sleep, and freeing the child from pain and the young cherub wakes as bright as a button.' It is pleasant to taste, soothes the child softens the gums, allays pain, relieves wind, regulates the bowels, and is the best known remedy for diarrhoea, whether arising from teething or other causes. 25cts

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CHICAGO, Dec. 1.—H. W. Spofford of Washington, D.C., who has been appointed by Congress to investigate the slums of all the cities in the United States having a population of over 200,000, started out today with Police Inspector Ross to commence a preliminary investigation of the slums of Chicago.

A large number of sweating shops and tenement houses were visited. This investigation is but a preliminary one in order to give Mr. Spofford an idea of how many assistants he will need.

The real investigation will not commence until January. New York will be the first city looked into.

Developing Morality.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 1.— Chief Brown of the Department of Public Safety issued an order closing all houses of ill repute in this city.

All women found in the houses after 10 o'clock to-night will be arrested. The order was issued by direction of Mayor Gourley and is a result of a movement against the social evil recently started by the ministers of Pittsburg.

Another Atlantic Line.

BALTIMORE, Md., Dec. 1.— A new steamship line, to run between Newport News and Liverpool has been formed and the articles of association signed. The new organization is the Chesapeake and Ohio Steamship Company, limited. The capital is furnished by Englishmen and those interested in the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad.

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Every contestant is to cut out the Rebus, and make a cross with a lead pencil on the six faces and send same to us with ten three cent postage stamps (or 30 cents in silver) for three months subscription to The Ladies Home Monthly, which is the best ladies publication in Canada.

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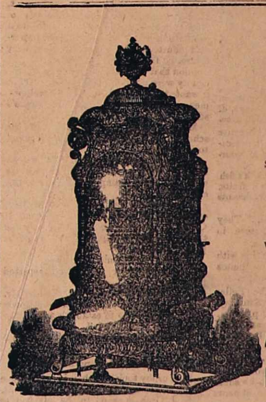

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Carpets of every Description, New Patterns and Designs at the Lowest Prices.

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A Special Line of Dress

Goods at 15c per yd. See them. It is a mixed line and some of the All-wool good are worth double the money.

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A special line of over 400 pairs, only 50cts a pair—Regular price 5 to $1.25.

ALL WOOL COLORED FLANNELS, only 10 cents per yard.

LADIES' JACKETS—Only a few left—to be sold off before Xmas.

LADIES' ASTRACHAN JACKETS—the best value in the trade.

FANCY XMAS GOODS

See our show window. We sell these Xmas goods at much less than the usual prices.

Carpets.

Just getting in 3 Bales for the Xmas trade We did not intend to purchase any more carpets for this season, but we got the offer of a bargain, and bought it to give our customers another good chance.

Curtains, Poles, Rugs, Mats, Mattings, Table Covers, Blinds, and all such goods required for House Furnishings.

We give THREE FLOORS of our large premises to our Carpet Department.

JAS. W. DUNNET

Glasgow Warehouse,
Belleville, Dec. 1st, '92.

THE DAILY ONTARIO

BELLEVILLE, THURSDAY, DEC. 1st

TOLD IN A LINE OR TWO

Harry Lindley at the Queen's Opera House to-night.

Little Men and Little Women sometimes suffer from worms. Low's Worm Syrup is very highly recommended as a cure.

Wm. McGie's delivery cart smashed a wheel by running against a telegraph post this morning on the corner of Front and Bridge streets.

J. T. Warrington yesterday shipped 1,200 pounds of poultry from Colborne Large shipments were also made from Hastings and Campbellford. The poultry is sent to the English market.

When weak, weary and worn out, Hood's Sarsaparilla is just the medicine to restore your strength and give you a good appetite.

While workmen were engaged in adjusting a plate glass worth $75 to Thos. Stewart's window sill on Bridge street about noon today, a man walked into it, knocking it out of the men's hands. It was smashed to atoms.

Philomathian—An intellectual treat. The Rev. E. N. Baker, M. A., B. D., will deliver his popular lecture "Rambles in Rome" at Albert College Friday evening Dec. 2nd, under the auspices of the Philomathian Society. The public are cordially invited. Doors open at 7.30 p. m. Admission free.

Take Hood's and only Hood's, because Hood's Sarsaparilla cures. It possesses merit peculiar to itself. Try it yourself.

New goods just arrived at Goldsmith's fish store, Bridge street—groceries, fish, fruits, cigars, oysters, cider, candies. Refreshments and lunches at all hours.

Burdock Pills cures Liver ills. They are small and elegantly coated, sure in effect and pleasant to use.

Milburn's Cod Liver Oil Emulsion with Wild Cherry and Hypophosphites builds up and strengthens the entire system.

Extra hands will be put in the Fuller store for the expected rush on Saturday. Buy what you want on Friday if possible. The Ontario Shoe Company stock, of Berlin, is a good one, and the balance of the Fuller's stock must be sold. Now is the time to buy boots and shoes.

Money may be scarce, but if you have a little to spare it will pay to buy a few shoes ahead just now. Sixty-one cases of boots and shoes bought at the sale of the stock of the Ontario Shoe factory, in Berlin, besides the balance of the Fuller bankrupt stock are now being sold off by Haines & Lockett, at the Fuller store near the Anglo-American Hotel. The whole stock must be sold and you can get some good bargains.

Miss Irwin, head milliner in Geo. Ritchie & Co's received a telegram from Toronto yesterday stating that her brother was dying. Miss Irwin left on the evening train for the west. Mr. Irwin represents McKimmon's drygoods house and is well liked on the road. He is the only member of the family with his sister, living in Canada. A few days ago he was attacked with paralysis. Yesterday he received another stroke which proved fatal. He leaves a wife and family.

At a meeting of the county council yesterday afternoon John Johnston, inspector of schools for South Hastings said that the action of the educational department in holding only one entrance examination in a year was a mistake and detrimental to the interests of education. If a candidate failed at the midsummer examinations he or she was compelled to wait for a whole year before they could try again.

When weak, weary and worn out, Hood's Sarsaparilla is just the medicine to restore your strength and give you a good appetite.

Will be found an excellent remedy for sick headache, Carter's Little Liver Pills. Thousands of letters from people who have used them prove this fact.

Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup cures Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis, Hoarseness and Consumption if taken in time.

Salter Cronk, a well known man in Trenton and Belleville was yesterday arraigned before Magistrate Gordon in Trenton on a charge of stealing a suit of clothes He was convicted and saved himself a term in penitentiary by a clause in the statute which admitted of a fine. Together with the costs the defendent was mulcted to the extent of $40.

Confirmed

The favorable impression produced on the first appearance of the agreeabl liquid fruit remedy, Syrup of Figs, a few years ago has been more than confirmed by the pleasant experience of all who have used it, and the success of the proprietors and manufacturers of the California Fig Syrup Company.

THE COUNTY COUNCIL.

THE FARMERS HAVE GRIEVANCES ON THE BELLEVILLE MARKET.

The Matter Should be Investigated by the City Council—Farmers are Compelled to Pay Twenty Cents When the Law Only Requires Fifteen Cents for Weighing a Load of Hay.

Wednesday Afternoon Session

R. S. Tivey moved seconded by P. P. Clarke that permission be given to establish a road forty feet wide in the south-west corner of lot 14, eighth concession of Wollaston so as to intersect the government road allowance on north shore of Eagle Lake at Thompson's saw mill.—Carried.

The council resumed in committee of the whole on ways and means.

Moved by Mr. McGowan seconded by Mr. Murphy that Tweed be granted $115 to assist in the erection of a footbridge over the river at that point, the corporation of Tweed to pay the rest.

Moved by Mr Clair seconded Mr. Murphy that $25 be paid to the treasurer of the East Hastings farmers institute.—Carried.

A petition was read from several ratepayers in Marmora praying that the bridge over Lily Creek be repaired. The petition was signed by about twenty ratepayers.

Mr. Pearce explained that the bridge was a great necessity and had been found very expensive to a poor municipality. As such grants were not in order at this session he moved that it be dealt with at the January session.—Carried.

Mr. Vermilyea had been over the bridge and its repair was a necessity.

Mr. Aylsworth moved seconded by Mr. Murphy that a roller desk be procured for the clerks office the cost not to exceed $40.

Mr. McCargar thought the desk was a necessity. Such a desk was a great convenience to office men and he did not think forty dollars was too much to expend on an old and efficient officer like Dr. Bell.

Wm. Lumb, a farmer and merchant of Millbridge, addressed the council praying for compensation for cattle killed on the Central Ontario Railway in Tudor township. The speaker stated that the railway company refused to keep up their fences and in consequence a large number of farmers had suffered serious loss of stock. He had lost six head of cattle and could get no redress from the company. He had gone to law with them and had had to pay $50 costs besides losing his cattle. The railway employees had taken five of his cows and sold them for their benefit.

Mr. Aylsworth said that the law was such that the county could do nothing. The railways in Ontario were very powerful institutions and had made the law to suit themselves. He thought the railways took serious charges in not having their property properly fenced. A cow or a pig might get under the engine and derail an entire train, which might result in serious loss to life and property. No animals were allowed to run at large within half a mile of a railway.

Mr. Boyle sent in a communication asking to be allowed to prepare a map showing the mineral resources of the county to be exhibited at the World's Fair in Chicago next year.

Mr. Vermilyea moved that no action be taked.

The warden said that $100 would defray the cost of the map and in view of the meagre information on this subject he believed that it would be money well spent. He believed that the mineral interests of North Hastings would develop into vast proportions and would be the most important industry in the county in the near future. The speaker expressed the opinion that the mineral resources of the county were not half appreciated. What it wanted was capital for its developement. He believed that Mr. Boyle's scheme was a good one.

Mr. McCargar was favorable to the scheme. It would be a big advertisement to the county.

Mr. Vermilyea thought the best way to advertise the mineral wealth of the country would be to send samples of the ore to the exposition.

Mr. Aylsworth said there would be a credicable exhibit of Hastings minerals at Chicago. It was nonsense to suppose that anything like a good map could be gotten up for $100.

Mr. Vermilyea's motion carried.

The committee arose and reported progress.

Mr. Lancaster moved, seconded by Mr. Harryett, that the township of Dungannon be given authority to establish a highway forty feet wide.—Carried.

The council adjourned until Thursday 10 a.m.

Thursday Morning Session

P. Murphy took the chair in committee of the whole on special communications.

R. J. Graham asked to be allowed to send his brother, W. R. Graham to the Guelph Agricultural College from Hastings County.

Mr. Haggerty said that he wanted to send a son to the college but if Mr. Graham wished to attend he would offer no objections.

Mr. Aylsworth moved seconded by Mr. Dench that Mr. Graham's petition be granted.—Carried.

In reference to a communication from another county to reduce the number of county councillors, Mr. Aylsworth did not think that there was any immediate necessity for such a movement. He did not think the proposition would meet with general favor in Hastings. As a matter of fact the business of the county was usually transacted in three sessions and the expense was not found burdensome to the county. The county council was an educating force and each representative went back to his township council with a fund of information which was money saved to the council in the long run.

Mr. Vermilyea did not think so many representatives were necessary to the management of municipal affairs. The expenses should be cut down. The taxes of the people were getting more instead of less every year. It was a matter that should be dealt with by the Ontario Legislature.

Warden Cross was not favorable to the reduction. The expense of the session was a mere bagatelle as compared to the advantages derived from a free expression of opinion.

Mr. Vermilyea's idea of cutting down the expenses was to send a man from each municipality empowered to vote according to the population of the township which he represented.

Mr. Farley did not think such a scheme practicable. In such an event the three front townships would practically control the whole county. This would not meet with favor from the north. He was favorable to the reduction of the expenses, but he had not seen any better scheme that would meet all objections.

Mr. Aylsworth moved: "Of all the many propositions so far proposed, that we have seen for reducing the number of county councillors, there is none so far that wholly commends itself to us and we think the business of the county council can in all ordinary years be done at three short sessions, and consequently there is no urgent need for reducing the number of councillors, and as a matter of fact the county council is an educator of members for usefullness in the smaller councils of the minor municipalities, hence we do not at present care to ask for reduction in the number of members of our county council."—Carried.

A petition was read from Lanark county, requesting the co-operation of Hastings county in the abolition of market fees in the interests of the farmers.

Mr. Aylsworth thought that the free market was detrimental to the interests of the farmers. Deseronto had a free market while Napanee and Belleville charged fees. In consequence of the free market farmers drove from Napanee and near Belleville to Deseronto. The market of course was gluttoned and prices were correspondingly decreased. It was better for the town but not the farmers.

Mr. Dench was not favorable to any change in the market system. It could not be expected that the city should furnish building and other conveniences for nothing. The fees exacted were only a fair rent for the use of the city's property.

While Mr. Vermilyea agreed with Mr. Dench's argument he thought 20 cents for weighing a load of hay was exorbitant and a real grievance. He thought half that amount would be quite enough.

Mr Murphy said that since the county roads had been made free the market fees were not expensive.

Mr. Aylsworth suggested that if the council had any grievances they should appoint a committee to meet the city council. If they had not he would move seconded by Mr. Dench that no action be taken.

Mr. Hurley and Mr. Holgate did not see why twenty cents should be charged for a load of hay. The law fixed the fee at fifteen cents.

Mr. Farley.—The clerk charged fifteen cents for weighing the hay and five cents for the privilege of selling it on the market.

Mr. Hurley said that if his hay was not sold on the market he invariably had to pay 20 cents for having it weighed.

It was generally felt among the councillors that there were grievances on the Belleville market that required looking into by the city authorities.

The committee arose and reported progress.

"GOOD BYE, EVERYBODY."

ROBERT ALISON PAYS THE PENALTY OF HIS CRIME ON THE GALLOWS.

The Prisoner is Cool to the Last and Laughs in the Face of Death—He Told the Hangman to Let Her Go."

DORCHESTER, N.B. Dec.1—(Special)—Robert Alison alias Buck, who was found guilty of the murder of Police Constable Steadman at Moncton, N. B., on Aug. 1st last was hanged here this morning. He passed the night easily and when he arose at seven o'clock he partook heartily of breakfast. At 9.30 the jail officials and the hangman Radclive entered the doomed man's cell. He shook hands all round after which his arms were pinoned and the procession was formed. Buck's spiritual attendants, Fathers Cornier, and Labbe walked by his side reading the prayers for the dying. On his arrival at the scaffold, Buck shook hands with the hangman and the priests, after which his legs were pinioned and the last rites of the church administered as the black cap was being adjusted. It did not appear to go on easily and the doomed man laughed. When it was finally adjusted and the noose placed around his neck, he shouted, "Good-bye everybody." There being some delay in the giving of the signal Buck shouted, "let her go." These were his last words, the weight being released almost immediately. Seven minutes afterwards the pulse ceased to beat. It is believed that death resulted within 80 seconds.

MUSIC AND THE DRAMA.

The Lindley Co's engagement is drawing to a close, but the finale will be brilliant as the most attractive features have been kept back. To-night Tennyson, the poet laureate's only dramatic success, Dora is the bill of fare, but it will be supplemented by vocalism by Mr. O'Neill and a farce by Harry Lindley. To-morrow night's attraction should crowd the house, being a reproduction of King Curlett's 6 act drama of "The Three Students" in which John Mackie and others assisting the Co. Matinee Saturday afternoon, accompanied by presents of sleighs, dolls, skates—and on Saturday night the cow changes owners.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

M. Roy, of Peterboro, formerly bookkeeper for the Brown Mfg. Co., is in the city visiting friends.

Mr. Hughes, inspector of the Ætna insurance company is in the city.

Dr. Chamberlain, government inspector of public institutions is in the city on official business.

John Coyle, of Texas brother of D. Coyle, proprietor of the Anglo-American hotel, is in the city. They have not met for twenty years.

TOWN TALK

F. A. Abraham, issuer of marriage licenses at the ONTARIO Office.

Deacon & Doyle carry a full line of gas fixtures, also Bray's patent burner the great saver of gas.

It will be worth your while to call and see the grand stock of stoves and ranges Deacon & Doyle have on hand.

"Rob Roy" the celebrated Scotch drama will appear in the Queen's Opera House Thursday, Dec. 7th, with Henry Walton, a former Bellevillian in the title role.

Magic Pile Lotion was not made simply to sell. It was made to cure piles, and it will do it so quickly that it will surprise you.

You will save money by getting your stoves and ranges from Deacon & Doyle

For catarrh or cold in the head use outfits catarrh cure, A L Geen agent

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If you are suffering from piles, of any description, DON'T pray for death until you have tried Magic Pile Lotion. If that does not cure you then go ahead with your prayers for nothing else will be of any use to you.

How Mr. W. D. Wentz of Geneva, N. Y was cured of the severest form of dyspepsia He says everything he ate seemed like pouring melted lead into his stomache. Hood's Sarsaparilla effected a perfect cure. Full particulars will be sent if you write C Hood & Co., Lowell Mass.

That unrivalled cough mixture "Mignus-Expectorant" has been in the market only a short time, but it has become the greatest favorite with the people, and is doing more good than anything else of its class. Only 25cts a bottle at any drug store in town.

ST. ANDREW'S DINNER

IT WAS THE MOST SUCCESSFUL EVER HELD BY THE SOCIETY

Over a Hundred People sit Down to the Table—Song and Mirth the Order of the Evening.

The St. Andrew's Society held their annual dinner at the Anglo-American Hotel last night. It is no exaggeration to say that the banquet was the most successful ever held in Belleville. Over one hundred sat down to the tables, including a large number of guests among whom were W. H. Biggar, M. P. P., Wm. Hudson, M. P. P., Mayor Bogart, Warden Cross, W. B. Northrup, M. P., Col. Lazier, J. K. McCargar, J. J. B. Flint, P. M., Mr. Chamberlain, inspector of public institutions, and Mr. Hughes, inspector of the Aetna fire insurance company.

The dining hall was magnificently decorated with flags, bunting and flowers, while appropriate Scottish mottoes were hung about the wall. Letters of regret were read by Alex. Robertson, secretary-treasurer, from A. F. Wood, M.P.P., Senator Read, Canon Burke, Hon. M. Bowell, H. Corby, M. P. and Msgr. Farrelly.

The chair was occupied by President Dr. Walker, while the vice-honors were in the hands of D. B. Robertson and Wm. Webster, in the absence of Donald Maclean and W. B. Walker. After the usual toasts of the Queen and the Prince of Wales, R. Croft. Hulme delighted the assembly with a song in his own inimitable style. The Governor-General and Lt.-governor of Ontario was heartily toasted, when Wm. Blaind sang. "The Army, Navy and Volunters" called for a song from S. Burrows. The toast was coupled with the names of Col. Brown and Col. Lazier. The former was the first speaker to rise to his feet. In a patriotic speech he referred with no little pride to English deeds of valor on land and water. He spoke in glowing terms of Canada's system of volunteer militia, who had in the past responded to the call of duty in the defence of the country. He recounted with glowing enthusiasm some of the battles in which England and Scotland had made themselves famous for their bravery and chivalry. The gallant colonel was loudly applauded when he resumed his seat.

Col. Lazier made a very pleasant and typical speech during which he was frequently cheered. He first thanked the "glorious old buster Dave Robertson," for his kindness in making him a guest at the annual dinner of the St Andrew's Society. It was an honor which he appreciated. He said that the society was an institution that would go on forever and long after the present generation had gone to their reward, the name of St. Andrew would be honored and revered in Belleville, whether it be around the festive board, in the concert hall or the assembly room. In refering to the toast he paid a glowing tribute to the valor and bravery of Canada's militia. From the year 1812 down, Canada's volunteers had been found willing to sacrifice their time and their lives in the defence of their country. The North West rebellion was a conspicious instance of the material of which Canada's sons was made. He was proud of the men who had gone out from Belleville and he esteemed it the brightest honor to which he could aspire to command such a body of men. To those not acquainted with frontier life, they could have no conception of the hard ships and privations endured by the volunteers who marched out to their duty, on that memorable occasion. This was only an instance of what British stuff could do in time of need. Time would not allow him to tell of British exploits of glory in every quarter of the globe; how they had held their own on land and water against untold odds. The theme was inexhaustible.

R. Croft Hulme favored the company with another song. The toast of "The Day and all who Honor it, and the Land we left," was received with much enthusiasm and was followed by a song from John Macintosh. He was forced to respond to an encore. Hugh Walker, one of Belleville's loyal Scotchmen did honor to the toast and if the gentleman in question cannot do the subject justice no one can. He referred to Scotland as the birth place of civil and religious liberty. Although but a speck on the surface of the water the name of Scotland was honored and esteemed as no other country in the world. Away out on the prairies of the Canadian Northwest, British Columbia, Australia, India, the diamond fields of Africa and even China, St. Andrew's societies would be found honoring their patriot saint. Wherever a white man was found, there would also be found a boat built by Scotland. As to military honors he referred to Waterloo, Crimea, Heights of Alma, Heights of Inkerman and India where where Scotchmen had won a name for bravery and integrity. (Applause)

The "Dominion House of Parliament and the Legislature of Ontario" was coupled with the names of W. B. Northrup, M. P., W. P. Hudson, M. P. P. and W. H. Biggar, M. P. P. Before Mr. Northrup rose to his feet a song was demanded from S. Roughton which was well rendered. Mr. Northrup made a neat after-dinner speech. He referred to Canada as a great nation stretching as it did from ocean to ocean, possessing vast natural resourses. She had before her a great destiny.

Mr. Northrup was followed by a song from Thos. Runcimun.

In rising to speak Mr. Hudson thanked the St. Andrews Society for their kind invitation. The banquet surpassed anything of its kind he had ever attended. He said he was proud to be a representative of the banner province in the Ontario legislature. He paid a high compliment to Ontario's educational institutions and stated that there were no better in the world. He honored Hon. Oliver Mowat as a man, a statesman and a Presbyterian. (Cheers.)

John Weatherston, of Winnipeg, formerly in the employ of the Grand Trunk here, sang a typical Scotch song to which he was forced to respond to an encore.

W. H. Biggar, M.P.P., in rising to speak was enthusiastically received. He said it was the 13th year that he had the honor of being present at the annual celebration of the St. Andrew's Society in Belleville, and it was to him one of the events of the year. He sincerely hoped that they would enjoy many such evenings. No society had fulfilled the object of their existence, charity and benevolence, better than St. Andrew's. Without taking any credit to himself he thought the Ontario Legislation was an institution to be proud of as Canadians. It embraced some of the brightest intellects in the province. Ontario's premier was a man whom any country or state might be proud of. No one would deny but that he had the interests of his country at heart. There was no province in Canada where its people worked more harmoniously. In Ontario there was no race against race, no religion against religion. The speaker paid a high compliment to W. R. Meredith and said there was no more capable man in Ontario to lead the Conservative party. He was a man who was universally respected and whose power and influence in the House was felt to no small extent. It could be seen from the fact that 150 bills were passed at the last session of the legislature, and that the laws enacted filed 1,000 pages, that the Ontario legislature was a busy institution.

After a song from W. H. Campbell, "The Land we Live in," was responded to by Dr. Wright.

The other usual toasts were proposed, including the "host and hostess," and "The Press" which were responded to, after which one of the most succesful banquets ever held in Belleville was brought to a close by singing the National Anthem.

The Merriest Girl that's Out

"Bonnie sweet Bessie, the maid o Dundee," was, no doubt, the kind of girl to ask, "What are the wild waves saying?" or to put "a little faded flower" in your button hole, she was so full of vivacity, and beaming with robust health. Every girl in the land can be just as full of life, just as well and just as merry as she, since Dr. Pierce has placed his "Favorite Perscription" within the reach of all. Young girls in their teens, passing the age of puberty, find it a great aid. Delicate, pale and sicky girls will find this a wonderful invigorator, and a sure corrective for all derangements and weaknesses incident to females.

Prices Popular.

An ordinary observer would hardly credit the quantity of clothing that is daily turned out of the Oak Hall. On all hands we are told that we keep the kind of goods the people want, and the quick way in which sales are made is the best possible proof that our prices are as popular as our goods. We are ever on the alert to watch for the big drives. Several came our way the other day. The Oak Hall always have the best at the lowest prices.

A Minister's Opinion.

In a few words, and to the point, the Rev. T. G. Hawkins, pastor Baptist church, Fuersville, Mo., U. S. A., expresses himself. February 7, 1890: "St. Jacob's Oil is without a peer for pains, bruises, aches, etc."

An inquest was held on the remains of of Mrs. Rawe who perished in the flames in the Saylor Block in Trenton yesterday. After the jury was empanelled an adjournment was made until Friday. There is no reason to doubt but that the fire was incendiary origin, and the authorities are now looking about for the motive.

A Prominent Doctor Accused of Murder

A gentleman recently made a startling accusation in the hearing of the writer. Said he "I firmly belive that Dr.——, intentionally or unintentionally, killed my wife. He pronounced her complaint—Consumption—incurable. She accepted the verdict, and—died. Yet since then I have heard of at least a dozen cases, quite as far advanced as hers, that have been cured by Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. Her life might have been saved, for Consumption is not incurable." Of course it is not. The "Discovery" will remove every trace of it, if taken in time and used faithfully. Consumption is a disease of the blood—a scrofulous affection—and the "Discovery" strikes at the root of the evil. For all cases of weak lungs, spitting of blood, severe lingering coughs and kindred ailments, it is a sovereign remedy.

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and *feel stronger than I have for many years*. I have taken six bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla bought of Mr. Sanderson, the druggist." JOHN AIKENS.

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From Mr. Sanderson, the Druggist.

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HOOD'S PILLS, the best after-dinner Pills assist digestion, prevent constipation.

LITTLE BEGINNINGS.—The steam which raised the lid of the kettle, led a philosophic mind to utalize it for man's benefit. No one dreamed that we should now be dragged along by it at the rate of sixty miles an hour. When Perry Davis made a preparation for the medicinal use of his family, over fifty years ago, neither he nor any other man imagined that it would now be sold in every land, and prove A[illegible] K[illegible] [illegible] of the world. The new big bottle, old price 25c.

Those who are in the habit of taking an appetizer before meals could not do better as well for the effect as for economy sake, than make use of "Indigenous Bitters." As Indigenous Bitters are slightly laxative, those who suffer from habitual constipation, will derive great benefit, by regularly taking them, as they keep the bowels in good order and in that way aid digestion

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A LETTER.

MONTREAL, Nov. 26, 1892.

DEAR SCANTLEBURY: "Owing to the change in the Dominion Cabinet, and the desirability of having the names of the Ministers with their portfolios correctly assigned, we have postponed the issue of the STAR Almanac for three or four days."

Yours truly, GRAHAM & CO., Montreal Star.

The above notice we received to-day. We'll have this almanac as soon it is published.

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Of tottering houses that require money. We captured a wholesale stock of clothing at 65c on the dollar, and now the prices of six weeks ago are all split to splinters.

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READ our Champion Offer and don't try to Duplicate it for it can't be done.

We offer a Man's Overcoat for $3.90 that cost $4.78 wholesale. We offer splendid fitting Suits and in 150 different patterns at $6.00 usually worth $8.75 wholesale. This suit if sold in the regular way would bring $11.00 and $12. Our great big Xmas box for the buyer consists of 900 overcoats, ranging in price $17, $16 and $14. Your choice for $10. The cloth alone is worth more than we ask for the whole overcoat complete.

Look them all through, and then come to us and if we fail to convince the most sceptical that our stock is not at least 5 times larger, and our prices are 50 per cent. lower than those of other dealers, we will give a whole outfit free.

BOUNCING BARGAINS FOR THE BOY

Childs Suits for $1.50 all wool
" Overcoats with capeau $3.75 worth $6.
Youths suits $3.75 all wool worth $7.
" $5.00 " worth $9.
" Overcoats from $3 up.

Don't buy until you see our stock. Polite attention whether you buy or not.

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Remember boys, with every suit or overcoat you buy from us, no matter what the price, we give you a beautiful sled free. We can be imitted but never approached. Again we say look them all through and then come to us and be convinced.

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354 Front Street, Belleville.

Associated Stores: Toronto, Brantford, Peterboro, Orillia, Lindsay and Kingston

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Big Cheap Sale of Stoves at

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We must dispose of our Immense Stock of Stoves, and for the next 30 days will offer low bargains,

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Are having a large sale. Call and examine our stock and prices.

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A FINE LOT JUST RECEIVED, Also Florida Oranges, Jamaica Oranges, Lemons, Bananas, etc.
Our oysters are received daily and cannot be excelled in the city.

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Fresh Confectionery every day.

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Natural Figs, Dates,
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THE GROCER.

THIS MATTER CHANGED DAILY
Friday Dec. 2nd

ABOUT JACKETS.

We still have left a nice lot of jackets and as the season is now getting on we will from this out sell them at 10 per cent discount. We have done a large business in this department and have already placed an order for spring Capes and Jackets direct from the manufacturers on our own account. Ten per cent off means
$15.00 Jackets for $13.50
$12.00 — — $10.80
$10.00 — — $9.00

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Corner Front and Br e streets

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Seal Sacques,
Seal Jackets

RUSSIAN LAMB WALKING JACKETS
GREY " " "

We are now prepared to take orders for the above goods.

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A large assortment Gloves and

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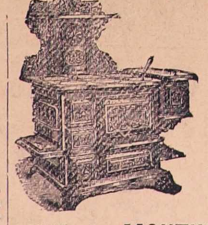

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8 "	24 "	
9 "	7 "	
10 "	2 "	

In two-piece Suits which must be turned into Money !

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Box Back 36 inches long.
½ Length 30 "
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Ladies' Shoulder Capes and Ladies' Military Capes in Alaska Sable, South Sea Seal, Beaver, Persian Lamb, Grey amb, Wool Seal, Siberian Sable.
We have all the above Capes in stock or you can choose your skin and have one made to order.
We have a full line of Ladies' Russian Circulars that we will sell very cheap. Prices from $12.00 up.

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Caps, Collars, Cuffs and Gauntlets in South Sea Seal, Persian Lamb, Beaver, South Sea Otter and Canadian Otter.
Gents' Fur Coats—Cloth Coats, Mink with Otter and Beaver Trimming. Cloth Coats, Black Muskrat Tr ming, Persian Lamb Coats, also a f ine of lower grade Fur Coats.
ROBES—My Robe Stock is now complete. Musk Ox Robes, in the very best quality. Black, Grey and White Goat Robes.
Furs repaired, cleaned, Dyed and made over.

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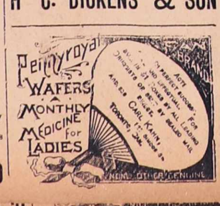
CHRISTMAS CAKES

should be made from 3 to 4 weeks before cutting. We have a nice lot already and would advise our customers to come in and select one or more and we will put them away untill required. We will finish them up with or without Almond Icing according to order. Anyone making their own cakes and would like to have us bake them must have them in between this and the 19th of December.

H. C. DICKENS & SON



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Since Mr. Lindley's appearance in this city he has secured four new people, and also several new plays.

TO-NIGHT

THE

THREE STUDENTS

POPULAR PRICES, 10, 20 and 30c.

SPECIAL NOTICE !

You have no doubt noticed that some of the Dry Goobs houses are making a display in their windows of what they call Fancy Goods, but if our friends will only wait a few days and not be in any hurry to purchase, we will convince you that these goods are not by any means the newest in the market and are only goods an experienced Fancy Goods dealer would not purchase.

From now untill Xmas we will make four displays in our windows as it would be impossible to put anything like an assortment of our immense stock in one window, we therefore sincerly hope you will be patient and not purchase these goods displayed in other houses before first looking over our stock and comparing prices.

J. C. OVERELL,

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1893.

The undersigned will receive tenders for supplies up to noon on MONDAY, DECEMBER 5. 1892, for the supply of butcher's meat butter, flour, oatmeal, potatoes cordwood, etc for the following institutions during the year 1893, viz.:—At the Asylums for the Insane in Toronto, London, Kingston, Hamilton, Mimico, and Orillia; the Central Prison and Mercer Reformatory, Toronto; the Reformatory for Boys at Penetanguishene; the Institutions for the Deaf and Dumb, Belleville, and the Blind, Brantford.

Two sufficent sureties will be required for the due fulfilment of each contract. Specifications and forms of tender can only be had on making application to the bursars of the respective institutions.

N. B.-Tenders are not required for the supply of meat to the Asylums in Toronto, London, Kingston, Hamilton and Mimico, nor to the Central Prision and Reformatory for Females, Toronto.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

R. CHRISTIE.
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FINEST LOOSE BLUE MUSCATEL RAISINS
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FORTUNES TOLD

Parties wishing to consult Mme Greene, CARD READER, should call not later than Monday evening, Dec. 5th, as I will be out of city until Dec. 20th. Also parties wanting her Preparation Frosted Cream should send in orders this week. Yours truly

Mme. Greene,

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REAL ESTATE.

Houses to-let, bought and sold, six lots for sale on Lingham street, west of the Bleeck street church
Valuations made. Office on Pinnacle next to the Ashley Carriage Co
JOHN FORIN

MONETARY CONFERENCE

ROTHSCHILD'S PLAN BELIEVED NOT WORKABLE.

The Whole Work of the Meeting Will Be Devoted to the Question of International Bi-Metallism—Americans Will Have it Discussed.

LONDON, Dec. 2.—The Brussels correspondent of The Times confirms the report that the committee on the Rothschild scheme has failed to come to a decision. He says, however, that a majority of the members assented to the minor points.

It was understood last evening that a report has been drawn up by Mr. Raffalovitch of the Russian delegation, which will explain that the committee has not come to a formal decision and that the views of the individual members of the committee will be given.

These are generally not favorable to De Rothschild's plan. The chief difficulties encountered were the price at which silver should be purchased, the duration of the proposed agreement and the attitude of the Latin union.

Nobody now believes that Rothschild's plan will lead to a working scheme, nor is anything expected from the plan which C. F. Tietgen, the Danish delegate, will probably submit.

The whole work of the congress will be devoted to the question of international bi-metallism, which the Americans are determined shall be thoroughly discussed.

THE BORDEN CASE.

It Is Said the Last Insanity Story Is All Bosh.

TAUNTON, Mass., Dec. 2.—The grand jury resumed its session yesterday and began the examination of more witnesses in the Borden case.

Detective McHenry and wife, who were mixed up with the sensational publication a few weeks since, are among the witnesses who are to testify.

District Attorney Knowlton stated yesterday that the last insanity story was all bosh.

The Grand Jury called for the blood spattered pillow shams and linen taken from the room where Mrs. Borden was slain, and these, with the two skulls of the victims, were once more submitted to inspection in the jury-room.

Mrs. Peckham and Mrs. Hall of Fall River, were two new witnesses before the Grand Jury yesterday. It is intimated their testimony was in the line of new evidence obtained during the recent recess.

CARS RUN AMUCK.

Cause a Collision and Kill an Engineer and Fireman.

GREENVILLE, Pa., Dec. 2.—At Shenango yesterday two freight cars broke loose on a steep grade and started towards the station at a terrific rate, having a clear piece of track two miles long.

As the train approached Shenango the switch engine happened on the track the runaway cars were traveling. Before the men in the cab could escape the cars were upon them with an awful crash. The wreck of both cars and engine was complete, and James Dunley and Charles McDowell, engineer and fireman on the switcher, were both killed.

Jay Gould Is Very Sick.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—The Mail and Express says: Mr. Gould is a very sick man. Of this fact there can no longer be any doubt, for his family freely admit it. But just how near it is to a fatal termination it is impossible to tell, for beyond the simple statement given above no one in any position to speak authoritatively will say.

The condition of Mr. Jay Gould is alarming and at his residence, 579 Fifth-avenue, at 11 p.m., it was stated that the patient had become worse during the evening and was then very low. Dr. Munn, the family physician, refused to furnish any information for publication about the nature of Mr. Gould's illness.

Mr. George Gould and his wife were hastily called to the mansion last evening and remained there all night.

Hailed President of Mexico.

CITY OF MEXICO, Dec. 2.—Gen. Diaz, who in June last was elected to the presidency of Mexico for another term, was formally inaugurated yesterday morning.

Both houses of congress assembled in the Chamber of Deputies and Gen. Diaz entered the chamber escorted by the members of his cabinet and staff.

A committee composed of members of both houses advanced to meet the president-elect, and the president of the House of Deputies then administered the oath.

After the ceremony the president went to the National Palace, where he received congratulations from members of the House of Deputies.

Telegrams received here show that in all the states of the Republic were held celebrations in honor of the inauguration.

A Giant Whaleback.

CHICAGO, Dec 2.—The giant whaleback steamship Christopher Columbus, which will be the largest vessel carrying passengers between this city and the World's Fair grounds next summer, will be launched at West Superior, Wis., on Saturday next. It will be about 4000 tons burden and capable of carrying 5000 persons.

U. S. Internal Revenue.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—The annual report of John W. Mason, commissioner of Internal Revenue, was made public yesterday.

The total collections from all sources of internal revenue during the fiscal year ended June 30 last were $153,857,544. The net cost of collection for the past fiscal year was $4,315,046, a percentage of 280 per cent.

A Grain Blockade.

SIOUX FALLS, S. D., Dec. 2.—Reports from all points in the State indicate that the grain blockade is growing serious. There are at least 2,500,000 bushels of grain in elevators and in many places warehouses, vacant stores and even residences are filled.

The railroads do not seem able to cope with the blockade and the railway commission fear that for the next three weeks, with good weather, the blockade will grow worse.

Storms in Scotland.

DUNDEE, Dec. 2.—A severe gale has been prevailing over Scotland since Sunday.

Heavy snowstorms are reported in the far north.

A quantity of wreckage has drifted ashore at Ullapool on the west coast. It is judged from the wreckage that a large steamer bound from a German port for New York has been lost.

Killed While on Duty.

SHENANDOAH, Pa., Dec. 2.—Engine 542 of the Lehigh division of the Philadelphia and Reading Railway exploded its boiler last night at Brownsville. Engineer Will Barry was instantly killed, and Simon ... fireman, was badly scalded and may die.

Ocean Steamship Movements.

Date.	Name.	Reported at.	From.
Nov. 26	La Gascogne	New York	Havre
" 26	Friesland	London	New York
" 26	La Bourgogne	Southampton	New York
" 27	Furnessia	New York	Glasgow
" 27	...land	New York	Amsterdam

FIRE IN TORONTO.

For the Third Time in a Year the Same Premises Burned.

TORONTO, Dec. 2.—Fire seems to have a special liking for the building Nos. 33 to 37 Adelaide-street west.

The firemen were called out last night for the third time to extinguish a blaze therein. The previous fire took place about two months ago.

The fire was discovered about 11 o'clock last night by Nightwatchman John Calbeck. It was located in a room at the southwest corner of the third flat, occupied by the Name Plate Manufacturing Company, Mr. William Kinzinger manager. The firm had only moved in a day or so before. The flames soon spread to the eastern part of the flat, occupied by Alexander Anderson, electrical supplies. Although the fire had gained good headway when the firemen arrived on the scene they confined it to the top flat, which was badly gutted.

The ground floor is occupied by Alexander Rogers, cigars; Toronto Electrical Supplies Company; H. S. Thornbery, manager Zock & Lorie, manufacturing jewelers, and H. McLaren & Son, dental manufacturers, occupy the second floor. All these occupants had their property more or less damaged by water, which percolated through the ceilings as if from a sieve. The loss to Zock & Lorie appears to be particularly heavy and Mr. Rogers places the damage to his stock at about $500.

The building is an old one and $1000 will probably cover the loss to it, but it will take several thousand dollars to repair the damage caused to the stock of the different tenants. The loss is understood to be covered by insurance. The building is owned by E. & C. Gurney.

The clear head of the moter-man on a down Yonge-street car averted what promised to be a distressing accident. The big truck of the Lombard-street hall was tearing along Adelaide-street to the fire. When it got to Yonge-street the electric car was speeding south, and to avert a crash seemed impossible. But the motorman stuck to his post and applied the brakes, while the fireman at the wheel controlling the rear of the truck dexterously turned the hind wheels and the truck bounded past, merely touching the car.

THE PACIFIC SQUADRON.

The New Admiral Commanded a Gunboat During the Fenian Raid.

TORONTO, Dec. 2.—Mr. John Shirley, an officer of the Royal Navy, was in the city recently, on his way to Hamilton, in the vicinity of which city his friends reside. After a visit there he goes to Victoria, B.C., where he will assume a position in the naval department. Mr. Shirley states that some new types of naval vessels are to be despatched to the Pacific squadron, the Hawke, a vessel much similar to the Blake, having been named as the flagship in place of the Warspite, which is going out of commission. Two new cruisers and a torpedo vessel of the Tartar and Mohawk type were also to be sent.

In the course of his remarks Mr. Shirley said that the successor to Admiral Hobart as commander on the station would be Rear Admiral H. F. Stephenson, C.B. This officer is well known in Canada, and will be remembered as the commander of the Heron, a gunboat which was sent up the St. Lawrence into the lakes during the Fenian disturbances. She was at Toronto at the time of Confederation, and fired the salute on the occasion of the installation of the first civil lieutenant-governor of Ontario, now Sir W. P. Howland. Then it was Mr. Shirley became struck with a seafaring life and joined the Queen's Navee. The rear admiral also commanded a ship during the Arctic expedition of 1875.

CENTRE FOR IMMIGRANTS.

Thirty-Six Thousand New Prairie Wrestlers in the Past Eleven Months.

WINNIPEG, Dec. 2.—Nearly 1200 settlers arrived in Manitoba and the Northwest during the last month, making a total for 11 months this year of over 36,000.

November is not considered a phenomenal month for land sales, but during the last 30 days the C.P.R. land department have disposed of 38,500 acres in Manitoba and the Territories, on which they have realized $124,000. For the corresponding period of 1891 $44,000 was the total amount received for land by the company. November sales, as compared with a year ago, show an increase of about 300 per cent.

Those who have been agitating to make the Red River navigable are delighted over the report of Prof. Nelson Daughters, an explorer and scientist, who says he has a feasible scheme for diverting the waters of Lake of the Woods through Red Lake into Red River, thus increasing its height by four feet and making it navigable.

A FIRE-EATER.

And He Threatened to Blow Out His Brother's Brains.

HAMILTON, Dec. 2.—Yesterday Constable Campbell arrested a young colored man named John Vanpatter on a charge of threatening to blow out the brains of his brother Charles.

The prisoner is a showman—the great fire-eater. He arrived in this city only last night, to open his show here, and, if his story is correct, the brother and not he is to blame.

The fire-eater was attired in a long Persian lamb coat and wore a glossy silk tile. He is quite a young man and his people belong to this city.

HONORING HIS MEMORY.

Arranging a Big Convention on the Late Sir John Macdonald's Birthday.

MONTREAL, Dec. 2.—An important meeting of the Conservative Club and the Sir John A. Macdonald Club was held yesterday and preliminary arrangements made for calling a convention of all the Conservative clubs in the Dominion, to be held in this city on Jan. 11, 1893, the birthday of the late premier.

Mr. Jacobs, the secretary of the club, has been deputed to visit other clubs in the Dominion in connection with the event.

Died On The Train.

TORONTO, Dec. 2—A family by the name of Gay, who formerly lived at St. Eleanor's, Prince Edward Island, passed through Toronto. When they left Montana the man, accompanied by his wife and three children, were going to visit his mother, an aged woman residing on the island. Shortly after leaving Toronto their youngest child, aged 7 months, took a cold and was seized with inflammation. The child became so much worse that it died as the train was entering Montreal station.

An Old Railroader Dead.

PORT STANLEY, Dec. 2.—William Fraser of the Fraser House has received a message from Kamloops, B.C., announcing the death of his brother Angus.

The deceased was well known all along the line of the G.W.R. Many years ago he was employed by the G.W.R. Company in superintending the construction of its line.

About 15 years ago he went west, and at the time of his death was employed by the C.P.R. at Kamloops. His death resulted from a severe cold.

Dividing Up Dahomey.

PARIS, Nov. 26.—Gen. Dodds, commanding the French forces in Dahomey, advises that Dahomey be divided into three territories, to be under the rulership of native chiefs controlled by a French resident at Porto Novo.

ATTACKED THE BRITISH

THE SAMOANS ARE AGAIN ON THE WARPATH.

The Commander of the Australian Squadron Ordered to Send a Warship to Apia Without Delay—The Affair Is Probably a U. S. Business Dodge.

LONDON, Dec. 2.—A despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company says that news has been received from Samoa to the effect that the native insurgents have attacked English residents.

Orders have been telegraphed to the commander of the Australian squadron to send the warship Ringarooma to Apia without delay.

THE LIBERALS.

Want the Germany Army Bill Pruned to Practicability.

BERLIN, Dec. 2.—During the debate on the budget, which was continued yesterday, Dr. Buhl, a leader of the National Liberals, said that his party would vote for the demands made by the Government for military purposes so far as was compatible with the vital interests of the Empire, but the carrying out of the provisions of the Army Bill to their full extent was impracticable.

In the course of his speech Dr. Buhl complained of the inadequate share Germany had taken in the celebration in honor of the 400th anniversary of the discovery of America.

Chancellor von Caprivi, in reply to Dr. Buhl, said that Germany had been worthily represented in the Columbus fetes at Genoa and the celebrations in Spain. The Government, he added, had received the warmest thanks from Italy and Spain for the part it had taken in their respective celebration.

GULLING THE INNOCENTS.

Wholesale Forgery of Autograph Literary and Historic Documents.

LONDON, Dec. 2.—Considerable of a sensation has been created in the literary world by the discovery at Edinburgh of a system of wholesale forgery of autograph literary and historic documents. The discovery was due to the publication of an alleged manuscript poem by Burns. This poem was found to be a reprint from a fugitive magazine of poetry that appeared when Burns was only 7 years old. A number of antiquarian booksellers of the highest repute have unconsciously circulated the forgeries, which include a parchment copy of "The Solemn League and Covenant," which, if genuine, would be of untold value; letters purporting to have been written by Burns, Scott, Thackeray, Burke, Cromwell, Carlyle and Mary, Queen of Scots.

There is no reason to suspect that the collection of manuscripts of Burns' poems presented in 1890 to the city of Edinburgh by Mr. Kennedy, the New York banker, are not genuine.

THE STRIKERS RAN.

After Exchanging Volleys From Revolvers With the Police.

LIEGE, Belgium, Dec. 2.—The strikers at the Horlez mines excitedly paraded the streets causing a tumult, which led the authorities to prohibit assemblages.

Thereupon the strikers stoned the gendarmes, who ordered them to disperse.

For reply they received a volley from revolvers.

The gendarmes then fired on the miners, killing one and wounding three, including a woman. The strikers then fled.

85 Lives Lost.

LONDON, Dec. 2.—A despatch from Nagaisaki states 85 lives were lost by the sinking of the Japanese war ship Chishimarukan, which was in collision in the Inland Sea with the British steamer Ravenna.

The vessel filled and sank so rapidly there was no opportunity afforded to lower the boats. Some of the lost went down in the ship, while others were drowned before assistance could reach them from the Ravenna. The latter was badly damaged, her bow being stove in, and it required the utmost effort to keep her afloat.

Bluffing the Government.

MADRID, Dec. 2.—The Marquis de Cubas, the new mayor of Madrid, has resigned on account of the complications arising from the prosecution of the municipal officers. The shops of the city are generally closed as a demonstration of sympathy with the mayor. The civil governor and the director of posts and telegraphs will tender their resignations unless the Government yields to the demands that the prosecution of the municipal authorities be immediately stopped.

The police yesterday forbade a popular demonstration in favor of the late Mayor, Marquis De Cubas. A mob paraded the streets headed by a woman carrying a black flag. There was great excitement.

Stopped the Procession.

LONDON, Dec. 2.—About 300 persons, mostly youths of London unemployed, started at Tower Hill last night to carry out their pre-announced intention to hold a midnight procession. The police were on in large numbers. They permitted the paraders to proceed as far as Temple Bar, where they easily dispersed them.

The New Edition of Goethe.

LONDON, Dec. 2.—The Post's Berlin correspondent says that a hundred unpublished epigrams of Goethe and Schiller, discovered in the Goethe archive at Weimar, will be included in Prof. Schmidt's new edition of Goethe.

Two Steamers Wrecked.

LONDON, Dec. 2.—A telegram from Athens announces the loss of two British steamers, one the Arabian Prince, Captain Milburn, which was wrecked off the Island of Euboa, and the other the Sir Francis Drake, which was wrecked off Cape Matila on the southern coast of the Morea. No loss of life is reported in either case.

A Western Bar Meeting.

LONDON, Dec. 2.—Lawyers from all the counties of this part of the province have formed the Bar Association of Western Ontario. John Idington, Q.C., Stratford, is president and J. P. Moore, London secretary.

Troops Withdrawn.

PARIS, Dec. 2.—Gen. Dodds has withdrawn his troops from Abomey with the exception of seven companies. The remainder have been stationed in the populous towns.

Will Swell It in England.

LONDON, Dec 2. — William Waldorf Astor has taken Cliveden, the Duke of Westminster's seat, for five months from December to April.

He Will See Dark Life.

LONDON, Dec. 2.—Mr. Portal has been appointed British Commissioner to Uganda.

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A CANADIAN DELUSION

THE election of Mr. Grover Cleveland to the Presidency of the United States has been accepted by many Canadians as an indication that the Democratic party will favor reciprocity between the two countries. The subjoined article from the Detroit News, of 16th November, which expresses the opinions of Mr. Don M. Dickinson, who was Postmaster-General in Mr. Cleveland's former cabinet, and who has close personal relations with Mr. Cleveland, should convince every Canadian that there is nothing in that direction. The article reads as follows:

"Some of our good Canadian contemporaries have begun to flatter themselves and their teachers, since the recent overthrow of the Republican party, that there is easy sailing now for the Canadian commissioners whom Mr. Blaine dismissed with empty hands about a year ago. From the tone of the Canadian press one would think that Mr. Cleveland's government will scarcely warm their seats before a message will be sent to Ottawa offering a reciprocity treaty on Canada's own terms. Just how this impression got abroad in Canada it would be hard to tell. It is possible that the Canadians argue that the Democratic party, having leanings towards greater freedom of trade, will be more apt than the Republicans to throw down the barriers between the States and the Dominion. But why the Canadian more than the other barriers?

"Our friends are woefully in error. They are hugging a delusion. If there were nothing else to contradict their expectations they should know that a free trade party is less apt to indulge in reciprocity treaties than a protection party. As Mr. Blaine says, protection and reciprocity are counterparts of each other. Protection is war; reciprocity is a treaty of alliance in that war. Free trade is peace with all the world, and no allies are needed in peace. The Democrats vigorously opposed Mr. Blaine's reciprocity schemes, whether with Canada or South America, and opposed them logically from the free trade point of view. That doctrine excludes the possibility of special favors to special nations, because it opens its doors equally to all. If it were possible to bring about free trade in this country, Canada would enjoy advantages with all other nations who choose to trade with us, but until that time she must take her chances with the rest, and wait.

"The Canadians have only to read the expressions of prominent Democrats since the election to form some conception of the extreme improbability of such a thing taking place during the present generation. There will be neither free trade nor revenue tariff during the present administration. There may be some trifling reductions, but they will not serve Canada's purpose.

"In addition to these considerations there is another of vastly more importance to this continent which will prevent any party that may come into power, whatsoever its theoretical principles regarding tariffs, from according any commercial favors to Canada. During the past few years it has become apparent to the people of the United States that the political relations of this continent are of such vital importance that by comparison with them the commercial relations sink into insignificance. Mr. Blaine fully recognized this. He would not give to Canada anything like the favorable conditions he was glad to accord Spain, the West Indies and to the South American republics. He would listen to nothing less than unrestricted reciprocity, which he knew perfectly well Canada could not accept. If he thought Canada would accept unrestricted reciprocity it is doubtful if he would have offered it. In a word, it is the well settled resolution of intelligent public opinion in this country that if the Canadian Provinces want the commercial advantages of States in the Union, they must also take upon themselves the political obligations, and cast in their lot for good and all with the rest of the continent. They must cease to be British dependencies and become American commonwealths.

"For this great step a very large portion, if not a majority, of individual Canadians are ready now. Many others are held back by the hope that, in the fluctuations of parties on this side of the border, they will get all the commercial privileges they want without incurring the political obligations. This hope is a delusion. We are Americans here before we are Democrats or Republicans, or Populists or Prohibitionists. All parties are one when the safety or glory of the republic is involved. While we love our Canadian neighbors, we cannot permit them to the privileges of the family until they become our brethren in very truth. The latch is always out for them, and they can come in and share the continental feast of prosperity whenever they please, but we shall not carry the victuals out to them. They must come in and sit at the table with the rest of us.

"It will be well for them not to waste the precious time in foolish hopes that they can enjoy all our privileges and perform none of our duties. So long as they insist on being European in their political relations they must be content to look to Europe for their trade. They have free trade with Great Britain now, so far as Great Britain can give it to them. Much good may it do them. If their hearts remain 3,000 miles away from us, their pockets and their stomachs must follow their hearts."

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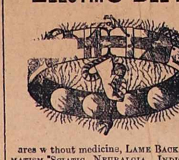

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LONDON, Dec. 2.—The Paris correspondent of The Times reports the arrest in Paris yesterday of a German of the name of Luskina on the charge of being a foreign spy.

Letters and documents found in his possession tend to prove the truth of the charge.

Detectives had shadowed him through Italy, Austria, Russia and Germany until he arrived in France.

THE PANAMA BUNGLE.

There Are Now Better Prospects of a Settlement of the Crisis.

PARIS, Dec. 2.—Figaro says an important group of Jurisconsults in the Senate, at a meeting held to consider the Panama affair, unanimously agreed that the enclosures made by Magistrate Privel before Panama Canal Commission rendered the summonses served upon the directors of the company null and void. Fresh citations must therefore be issued and the hearing of the case will necessarily have to be postponed.

An interview between Mm. Brisson and Bourgeois has resulted in a better prospect of a settlement of the crisis. M. Bourgeois is willing to continue as Minister of Education provided the difficulty in the attitude of the Panama Canal Investigating Committee is satisfactorily settled.

It is said that M. Brisson is purposely prolonging negotiations in order to profit by an abatement of the excitement.

LONDON, Dec. 2.—The Paris correspondent of The Morning Post gives a list of the sums of money paid to newspapers and newspaper directors by the Panama Canal Company. The list was prepared by M. Ressignal. The list is as follows:

Petit Journal, 300,000 francs; Telegraphe, 120,000 francs; M. Jesienski, director of the Telegraphe 120,000 francs; Martin, 50,000 francs; Gaulois, 15,000 francs; M. Meyer, director of the Gaulois, 30,000 francs; Radical, 100,000 francs; Senator Magnier, director of L'Evenement, 50,000; M. Patinot, director of the Journal Des Debats, 40,000 francs.

The Journal Des Debats denies' having received any money. The other papers make no reference to M. Rossignals testimony.

Three membeos of the Panama Canal Investigating Committee visited the Bank of France to-day to verify the payment of the checks which M. Thierree yesterday testified had been deposited by Baron Reinach in the bank to the credit of a "Coulisse" firm

They found that the bank had registered only the names of the houses which drew the checks, of which two were for a million francs each, drawn in favor of the Rothschilds, to whom Reinach was debtor.

The Rothschilds uave written to the committee explaining that the checks they endorsed on the Bank of France were received at their Frankfort branch and transmitted to their Paris house, which cashed them at the bank.

M. Monchicourt, the liquidator of the Panama Canal Company, refused to testify before the committee on the ground of professional secrecy.

Public Prosecutor Beaupaire is executing M. Ricard's order to seize the Thieree checks, but it is doubtful whether he will forward them to the committee or to the legal authorities.

At a meeting of the Royalist members of the Chamber of Deputies it was resolved to urge the committee to ask the Chamber for the necessary power to carry out the fullest possible enquiry.

A Secret Judgment.

MADRID, Dec. 2.—The military tribunal at Jerez, before which the Anarchists who took part in the recent attack upon the jail at the place January last were tried, has delivered a secret judgment.

It is reported that several of the prisoners will get penal servitude for life, while the others will be imprisoned for periods ranging from 12 to 15 years.

Wants to Stop Piracy.

BERLIN, Dec. 2.—In the Reichstag to-day Herr Baumbach made a motion that the Government take steps to convene an international conference with the object of securing recognition of the inviolability of private property at sea in time of war.

Cholera In France.

PARIS, Dec. 2.—Cholera has again appeared at Cherbourg. Four deaths from the disease have occurred there Tuesday. Two fatal cases are reported from Gounouville and the adjacent villages of Tourlaville and Octoville are suffering badly from the scourge. Many children in these places are ill.

A Decorative Artist Dead.

LONDON, Dec. 2.—The Paris correspondent of The Times announces the death of Pierre Gallaud, the world-renowned decorative artist.

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Hello!—You fellow there.— Don't go bumping about as if your bac was broken. G off at once and get bottle of Magic Pile Lotion—use it accor ding to directions and you will walk a straight as any body in 24 hours.

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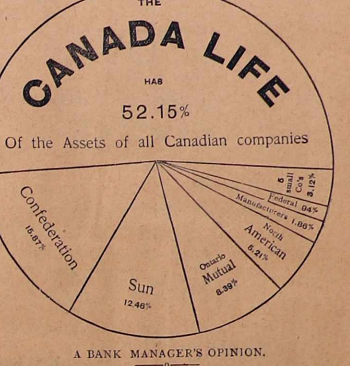

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It is frequently asserted by Companies whose business is nearly all Tontined, that although the Canada Life may and does pay large ordinary profits, yet it cannot compare so favorably on a long term distribution or tontine period, and that in the end better results can be obtained on a Tontine policy in the Canada Life. To prove the absurdity of this statement, the following piece of common sense is quoted from Mervin Tabor, late Actuary of the Illinois Government Insurance Department. In his well known book "The Three Systems of Life Insurance," he says: "A company that gives large dividends on the ordinary kinds of policies, can give much larger on the same kinds when Tontined, and a company that pays but meagre dividends on the usual forms, adopting pernaps the Tontine system to "cover up" its small surpluses, cannot be relied on for large returns of surplus under the Tontine Forms of Insurance."

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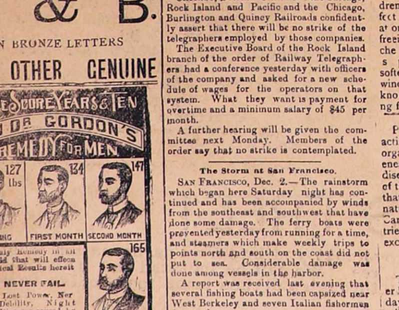

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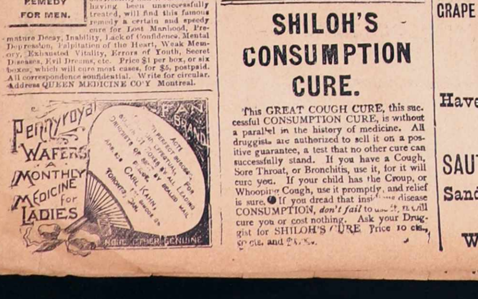

MEANS A FRESH APPEAL

To the Country if Gladstone's Home Rule Bill Is Accepted Or Rejected

LONDON, Dec. 2.—It is stated Michael Davitt desires to resign his present seat in Parliament, and to run again without priestly assistance, but under the charges of undue clerical influence he will not be permitted to accept the Chiltern Hundreds.

The Daily News hints that the tenantry of Mr. Fullam in South Meath, on account of Bishop Nulty's unwise pastoral, must make Davitt uncomfortable.

The Times says: "This is a point of some importance, for it is to be to the vote of the Irish clericals that the Gladstone Government owes its precarious life. The votes of the Irish clericals now dominate the policy of the British Empire. The South Meath petition has shown us something of the powers which in turn dominate them."

The Chronicle says: "The result in South Meath may be useful to the Irish party, if it teaches them to curb their priests and to imitate O'Connell in repudiating politics from Rome. Bishop Nulty tried to aid Davitt as he aided Fullam, and it is feared Davitt will also be unseated. At the same time we must avow that if we began to tackle the thorny subject of spiritual intimidation, we shall find ourselves involved in all the troubles of continental politics."

The opinion prevails in Dublin that the McCarthyites are certain to regain the South Meath seat by an increased majority. Modifications will be made in the measure of 1886 as follows:

Clause 4, restricting the powers of the Irish Legislature, is enlarged by further defining the limitation of the powers of the Legislature to interfere with the endowment of religion or to impose disability or confer privilege on account of religious belief.

Further guarantees relating to denominational education are provided. Next the constitution of the legislative body will be modified by raising the number of members of the first order in the Upper House, who, as in the first bill, shall hold office for 10 years.

The much-disputed clause 27, removing the Irish peers from the House of Lords and the Irish members from the House of Commons, disappears in the new bill, the representation of Ireland in the Imperial Parliament remaining the same as at present.

To meet the threatened active refusal or passive resistance of the Ulsterites to the Irish Parliament by the non-payment of taxes, sub-section 4 of clause 19 is to be extended so as to insure the employment of the police and military forces to enforce the payment of all taxes leviable by the Irish Parliament.

Another alteration relates to disputes arising between the Irish Legislature and the Imperial Parliament.

If Mr. Gladstone passes the bill in the House of Commons, it is certain to be rejected by the House of Lords. This will involve a fresh appeal to the country.

Even if the peers are at once submissive to the will of the people and allow the measure to become a law, the alteration of the representation in the Imperial Parliament consequent thereon will require another general election, while the initiation of the new Irish administration will draw heavily upon Mr. Gladstone's energies.

A DAHOMEYAN NERVE.

Three Masked Burglars in Chicago Bluffed by a Woman.

CHICAGO, Dec. 2—Mrs. Mena Berger, while cleaning her husband's saloon this morning, was suddenly confronted by three masked burglars.

Similar apparitions have been numerous recently and the gritty woman, who had thought out before what to do in such a case, quickly pulled out a revolver and commenced shooting. One of the trio was wounded, but all escaped.

An Express Combine.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—The initial movement in what seems to be a war for express business in New England between the American Express Company and the Adams Express Company began yesterday, when negotiations looking to the control of express business of the New England road by the American were closed and the Adams cut off.

With this statement came an announcement that the New England road had been enjoined from entering into a contract with the American Express Company. The American Express is doing New England business under its contract, despite the legal complications.

Western Flour Market Dull.

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 2.—The Northwestern Miller says: Although considerable time was lost last week through a shortage of water the flour output nearly equalled that of the previous week.

The production was 184,315 barrels against 186,790 barrels the week before.

The flour market is pretty dull and it is hard to sell flour except on a consumptive basis, and then exceedingly low quotations have to be made. For a week back most of the local firms have worked off all the patent and low grades they made, and the business was chiefly done in domestic markets.

There is still a good demand for red dog for feed and prices are firm. Export trade continues very dull. Direct export shipments last week were 40,180 barrels against 61,200 barrels the preceding week.

Telegraphers' Grievances.

CHICAGO, Dec. 2.—Officials of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific and the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railroads confidently assert that there will be no strike of the telegraphers employed by those companies.

The Executive Board of the Rock Island branch of the order of Railway Telegraphers had a conference yesterday with officers of the company and asked for a new schedule of wages for the operators on that system. What they want is payment for overtime and a minimum salary of $45 per month.

A further hearing will be given the committee next Monday. Members of the order say that no strike is contemplated.

The Storm at San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 2.—The rainstorm which began here Saturday night has continued and has been accompanied by winds from the southeast and southwest that have done some damage. The ferry boats were prevented yesterday from running for a time, and steamers which make weekly trips to points north and south on the coast did not put to sea. Considerable damage was done among vessels in the harbor.

A report was received last evening that several fishing boats had been capsized near West Berkeley and seven Italian fishermen drowned.

An Abrupt Exit.

DENVER, Col., Dec. 2.—Charles Boisson was blown from the platform of a Union Pacific train yesterday and killed.

Steamship Movements.

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All through the Provinces the rapid increase of La Grippe, is causing great alarm. A report was received here to-day, of a new development of the disease, which is worse, perhaps than any other. Wm. Hanley of N. Y. City, died in terrible agony after sickness of only four days. His tongue swelled to such an extent as to make it impossible for him to close his jaws or swallow any food. The report is causing the people in this district to inquire into the noted Grip-cure, recently referred to in so many papers. In Cape Breton the disease has spread very rapidly and with fatal results. D. J. Killop of L'Archeveque writes Feb. 11th that this cure has been tried in his neighborhood and with such success that all those residing there are obtaining a supply believing it to be the only remedy affording relief and effecting a certain cure. He finished his letter by asking for a large quantity of the Medicine (Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills) to supply the demand of the community for relief of LaGrippe.

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Advice to Mothers

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used by millions of mothers for children teething for over fifty years, with perfect success. It relieves the little sufferer at once, produces natural quiet sleep, and freeing the child from pain, and the young cherub wakes as bright as a button." It is pleasant to taste, soothes the child softens the gums, allays pain, relieves wind, regulates the bowels, and is the best known remedy for diarrhoea, whether arising from teething or other causes. 25cts

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of a laxative to Ayer's Pills."—Boothbay (Me.) *Register.*

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and I began to use them, and soon noticed an improvement. Encouraged by this, I kept on till I took two boxes, when the sores disappeared and have never troubled me since."—H. Chipman, Real Estate Agent, Roanoke, Va.

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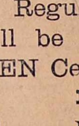

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VIENNA, Dec. 2.—Herr Pienen announces in the Reichsrath the withdrawal of their support of the Government by the German Liberals.

CLOTHING STOLEN.

The Nightwatchman Was Sleeping Within Twenty Feet of the Thieves.

RIDGETOWN, Ont., Dec. 2.—A robbery occurred here last night in Thomas Craig's clothing department. The thieves secured several fine ordered suits and a dozen or more of ready-made overcoats besides other clothing valued at about $500.

An entrance was effected by prying the back window with an ax. They did not make much noise, as Walter Oloan, nightwatchman, who was sleeping not over 20 feet away, did not hear their movements.

The matter is in the hands of the police, who are doing their utmost to capture the burglars.

Rev. Dr. Scott's Funeral.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—The funeral of Rev. Dr. Scott, father-in-law of President Harrison, was held from the White House at 3 o'clock yesterday. Only the relatives and intimate friends were present. The services were very simple.

This evening the body was borne to the Pennsylvania Depot by the ushers of the White House, and about 7 o'clock a special train left conveying the President, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Harrison, Mrs. McKee, Lieu. and Mrs. Parker and Russell Scott, who accompanied the remains to Washington, Pa., where the interment will take place to-morrow.

Kremlin's Failure.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Dec. 2.—Kremlin made another attempt to regain the stallion record. He made a mile in 2.09. A bad break in the stretch ruined his chances. It is not likely that he will be started again this season.

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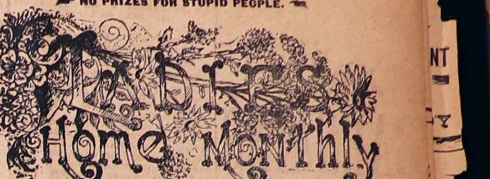

(In the above Sketch Six Faces are to be Found.)

The proprietors of THE LADIES HOME MONTHLY will give a first-class Upright Piano, of the very best make (valued at $350) to the person who can first find the six faces. A reward of a Safety Bicycle (valued at $125), for the second correct answer. A fine Oak Bedroom Set (valued at $65) for the third correct answer. A Solid Gold Watch for each of the next two correct answers. A Ten Dollar Gold Piece for the next three correct answers.

Every contestant is to cut out the Rebus, and make a cross with a lead pencil on the six faces and send same to us with ten three cent postage stamps (or 30 cents in silver) for three months subscription to The Ladies Home Monthly, which is the best ladies publication in Canada.

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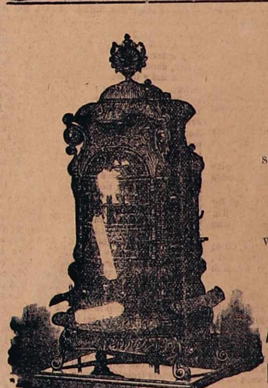

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Goods at 15c per yd. See them. It is a mixed line and some of the All-wool good are worth double the money.

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A special line of over 400 pairs, only 50cts a pair—Regular price 5 to $1.25.

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LADIES' JACKETS—Only a few left—to be sold off before Xmas.

LADIES' ASTRACHAN JACKETS the best value in the trade.

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See our show window. We sell those Xmas goods at much less than the usual prices.

Carpets.

Just getting in 3 Bales for the Xmas trade We did not intend to purchase any more carpets for this season, but we got the offer of a bargain, and bought it to give our customers another good chance.

Curtains, Poles, Rugs, Mats, Mattings, Table Covers, Blinds, and all such goods required for House Furnishings.

We give THREE FLOORS of our large premises to our Carpet Department.

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Glasgow Warehouse, Belleville, Dec. 1st, '92.

THE DAILY ONTARIO

BELLEVILLE, FRIDAY, DEC. 2nd

TOLD IN A LINE OR TWO

Boys were skating on the bay to-day.

Harry Lindley at the Queen's Opera House to-night.

Every citizen is requested to read the article headed Special notice.

Xmas number of Dominion and London Illustrated Graphic, Youle Tide, Figaro, Graphic and Pears Annual at Overell's.

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times suffer from worms. Low's Worm Syrup is very highly recommended as a cure.

When weak, weary and worn out, Hood's Sarsaparilla is just the medicine to restore your strength and give you a good appetite.

Take Hood's and only Hood's, because Hood's Sarsaparilla cures. It possesses merit peculiar to itself. Try it yourself.

New goods just arrived at Goldsmith's fish store, Bridge street—groceries, fish, fruits, cigars, oysters, cider, candles. Refreshments and lunches at all hours.

Burdock Pills cures Liver ills. They are small and elegantly coated, sure in effect and pleasant to use.

Milburn's Cod Liver Oil Emulsion with Wild Cherry and Hypophosphites builds up and strengthens the entire system.

Will be found an excellent remedy for sick headache. Carter's Little Liver Pills. Thousands of letters from people who have used them prove this fact.

Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup cures Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis, Hoarseness and Consumption if taken in time.

With a Rush

December is starting with a rush at the Oak Hall. Yesterday (Thursday) our cash sales were larger than any other day in the history of the establishment, outside of the Saturdays. The fact that every month this year our sales have been way ahead of last is the best possible proof that the Oak Hall have the kind of clothing people want — the best.

MUSIC AND THE DRAMA.

Tennyson's pretty poem, dramatized, "Dora" made a good impression, and Mr. Chapman and Miss Flint made many friends by their artistic performance. Mr. Lindley added a farce in which he and his wife were simply immense and roars of uninterrupted laughter greeted their efforts and very few recognized Miss Flint in her humorous personation. A crowded house should greet the reproduction of King Curlett's play "The Three Students," by this company. There is only one of the original cast, Mr. John Mackie, but the company will do justice to it. The scenery will be given as on its first production including steamboats, etc. The matinee to-morrow should be a feature as in addition to an attractive play. Little Ethel sings for the children and presents are donated. Performance commences at 7.30 to-morrow evening owing to a double bill and cow is given away.

BELLEVILLE'S FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Ald Fowell has Been able to Render Service Perfect.

The Belleville No. 1 fire company to-day boasts of one of the finest hose wagons in Canada. The wagon was yesterday completed by James St. Charles and a reporter of the ONTARIO looked it over and it reminded him of a new spring bonnet. The wagon is a model of neatness and durability. It was built after a design furnished by Ald. Fowell, chairman of the fire committee, who has spent much time and labor in getting the latest ideas in the line of hose wagons. It is certainly a beauty and reflects favorably on the good judgment of Ald. Fowell. Some of the firemen at first wanted a hose reel, but after visiting all the departments in the larger cities, Ald. Fowell was convinced that the wagon was the best vehicle of its kind ...ure. Ald. Fowell has been able to secure the best gong made in the world and which is a new patent. It is fixed in front of the driver and strikes twelve times to every foot pressure instead of one as as the old one does. It is the only one of its kind in Canada. The wagon will be given a trial this week.

The first system in Belleville was never in better shape than at the present time. Since Ald. Fowell assumed the chairmanship of the fire committee he was the cause of an investigation which has been the result of perfecting the fire service. Some objection was taken in certain quarters to Ald. Fowell's stand in the purchase of the last quantity of hose. The result of his business on that occasion, however, has been to secure good hose for his department, which has now a better class than it ever had.

RAMBLES IN ROME

AN INTERESTING LETTER FROM MISS ELLA GARDINER.

She Tells of Delightful Cities and Delightful Scenes Which Must be Seen to be Appreciated

The following letter from Miss Ella Gardiner, preceptress of Albert College, from Rome will be read with interest in Belleville. The letter was sent to her father Rev. Dr. Gardiner:

I am very glad to have a rest from sight seeing, and a chance to have a little chat with the house folks. Mr S. thinks me a most exemplary letter writer, and is always planing something or other to keep me from settling down with a pen in my hand. Mrs. S. is always pleased to hear me say I am going to write home. To-day is election day all over Italy. The houses and fences are covered with posters, just as with us and they read in exactly the same strain. "Vote for the agricultural candidate, the friend of the laborer, etc." Our days of sight seeing in Rome are ended and I shall be very reluctant to leave this interesting city, though I am anticipating great delight in visiting Florence, Verona and Venice. Rome is beautifully clean, the cleanest city we have seen in our travels. Every street however narrow or distant from centre of the city is swept daily, almost hourly I believe and you never see filth or dirty papers or anything in fact lying on the streets. There are regular employees with their duties stamped on their hats, who are constantly at work, sweeping and brushing everywhere. There is such a contrast between Rome and Naples for of all dirty, filthy places I believe Naples is the dirtiest. Here one meets beggars occasionally, particularly seated or standing about the churches, but there you are constantly surrounded with an escort of twenty or more of the most persistent creatures who will not be shaken off. The cabmen too drive in front of you and pester you to death, thinking by their eloquence to persuade you to ride when your plans are quite different. And yet Naples is beautiful beyond description, and along the rivers every evening from four to seven the scene far exceeds Hyde Park in London. Nowhere have we seen such fine carriages and beautiful horses, not three or four, but hundreds upon hundreds. Do you know that we are so struck with the airs of the English whom we meet. Here at our hotel there are a good many English and Americans, and it is really amusing to listen to the conversation at the table d'hote. I don't remember whether I told you about our styles of life here. Everywhere the order is the same. We eat breakfast any time between eight and nine, and sit at little tables, each party by itself. At luncheon and dinner we all sit together at long tables and the waiters pass the various dishes one after another. If you don't want a course you merely sit through it without eating. People generally dress a good deal for dinner, but Miss L. and I are doing Europe on two dresses, our travelling dress and our blacks. We left our valises in Lucerne and our trunks in Germany and have had nothing but ... straps and small satchels in Italy. ... see your ticket mentions that you allowed no baggage and so it is much ... convenient and also much cheaper ... reduce your baggage to the smallest dimensions. I wonder now and then ... our clothes will look like, when we see them again. I have wandered off from what I started to tell you. The English entertain one another generally by comparing notes regarding their ladies maids or their coachman. I do get so sick of it, though here I am particularly favored for my neighbor at the table is an old German gentleman, very social and very entertaining. For breakfast we have coffee, chocolate or tea as we wish and occasionally brown or white bread and butter. As a rule the rolls are baked so hard that it is utterly impossible to get one's teeth through them. They are perfectly hollow too in the middle. Actually at one hotel, I tried by main force to break my roll and had to appeal to Mr. L. He tried with a knife to break it open and then the waiter had to come to my relief, and it was only after repeated efforts that he broke the thing. In Switzerland and Germany we used to have honey, but here that seems a luxury unknown. At Naples there were two New Zealanders, two Australians and three Californians seated beside us at the table. If you want to know what table d'hote is like, read Mark Twain's account in "A Tramp Abroad." We read it two or three days ago and were all struck with the truth of the description. I tell you, Luce, I would like to step in to your Christmas dinner, but I guess I am booked for a genuine German Christmas. Miss Hawkins says she is occupying my rooms, but will be very glad when the day comes for me to demand the keys. Do you know Jettie's letters from California reach me just as quickly as yours. You both wrote on the 8th of October and I received the letters together on the 1st of November. Some of our last years' students, now at the University, have written, telling me all about their work at the new college. I have heard now from almost all my letters that were returned to America, and have recovered the greater number of them. One had puzzled us greatly for the postmaster at Lucerne mentioned that he had sent one letter to Viennia (Wien.) I couldn't imagine who had written me from there, till a few days ago I received a letter from Chant, our medalist of last year, and he told me that he had written from the picturesque little village of Vienna where his father is Methodist minister. Now I must begin on my itinerary. When I wrote last Tuesday night I hadn't space to finish Tuesday's work so I will begin there, mentioning only the last church we visited that day, as it was of special interest. The exterior of San Agestino is not particularly attractive, but it is very famous among Catholic devotees, because it contains an image of the Virgin Mary which they hold in special veneration. The statue is bronze, and represents the Virgin holding Christ in her arms, a babe of a year or more. The toe of the Virgin shone almost like gold for the pious Catholics in great numbers go there to kiss it. We saw fully a hundred stoop and kiss the toe and then rub their hands on the statute as if it would impart to them a blessing. Both images were literally covered with jewelry. The body of the Virgin was hidden from sight by the great load of rings, broaches, bracelets, necklaces, watches, cameos, pearls, etc., hung upon it and on the imagine of Christ there was almost an equal number—diamond earrings in his ears, diamonds on his forehead, rings on his fingers, watches, every conceivable article of adornment. Below, there were crutches by the score, and many acknowledgements of the help given by the Virgin Mary. Wednesday morning, we went first to St. Peters and heard fifty-eight priests, a cardinal and many other dignataries celebrate High Mass. The music was wonderful, better than any concert I ever listened too, and yet non only did the singing, though there were some of the sweetest and clearest soprano voices. Outside of the chapel a temporary altar was erected, covered with black velvet and gold, with skulls upon it arranged in various designs. All about candles were burning and during the ceremony all the priests lit and blew out their candles over and over again. After it was over they all marched in grand procession to to the crypt and we after them, and they held another service among the tombstones. You know it was All Souls Day and they were getting the souls of the dead through purgatory. One does get a surfeit of Catholism here, for we read again and again pasted on the walls of the churches that the faithful who say so many prayers, go up the holy stairs on their knees etc., will receive indulgence for various periods of time, ranging from thirty days to seven years and that this indulgence may be applied either to the living or the dead. The priests wear so very many different dresses here. I have seen some gorgeous in scarlet, others in purple, and still others in navy blue, brown, white, black edged with blue or red and others still in pure black. I suppose the reason of the different costumes is that priests are here from all over the world and they distinguish their nationalities or their orders by their dress. Our next visit was to the Castle of St. Angelo, where Galileo, Bernento Cellini, Beatrice Cenci and Gindine Bruns were all imprisoned in olden times. This was a mausoleum built by the Emperor Hadrien for himself. It was then very magnificent, covered with marble, and adorned with statues. When the Goths stormed the city, it served as a fortress and the troops then threw statues, etc, out against the barbarians. The marble has all been carried off to ornament the churches, but the castle still remains a strong fortress with a guard. It is connected with the Vatican by a private and also a secret passage, and we saw the room where Pope Pious IV stayed when he fled from the Vatican in 1849. We entered by an inclined walk, crossing several drawbridges and then penetrated into the depths of the dungeons, passing through rooms where inquisitions had been held, and most horrible tortures perpetrated upon those who had incurred the the displeasure of the popes. Later in the day we went to the church of the Capuchin Friars to see the crypt where 6,000 Friars are buried. Of all hideous sights it caps the climax. Skeletons dressed in brown hooded gowns are standing or sitting around, and the whole series of six rooms is filled full of bones and skulls. In places they are just heaped up like piles of cord wood, but again they are arranged in all kinds of fantastic and ghostly designs. It does not seem neathenial right in this nineteenth century to treat corpses in such an abominable way. At the Gallery Barbeuni, a private place where pictures are shown to the public on certain days, we saw Guido Reni's, Beatrice Crenci, Andrea de Sarto's Holy Family and some other very fine paintings. We went to three other churches that day, all more or less beautiful with marbles, statues and paintings, the last Santa Maria delgi Angioli (of the angels) being utilizing two large halls of Diocletian's baths. Thursday we spent the morning in the Royal Palace and I could fill a letter telling you of its magnificence. We entered first a room containing the offerings sent from the various parts of Italy and also from foreign countries upon the death of Victor Emanuel Many of the presents were exquisitely beautiful, gold crowns, some with diamonds and others plain, and albums beyond number. The majority were funeral wreaths of various kinds. Then we passed through a suit of rooms, each one grander than the preceding, till we reached the hall-in-waiting, all in gold, colored satin, the throne room in crimson satin and the rooms of the embassadors in blue satin. Passing through a very long corridor, between rows of beautiful statues, next again through a series of rooms more or less magnificent till we reached the large dining and ball-room, used on State occasions. The chandeliers were Venetian crystal, fine very large ones, and at one end was a balcony for the orchestra. In the centre of the room was a most beautiful place for flowers, so large that Miss L. volunteered the information that it was the place for the band. Then in each corner of the room and between the windows there were other places for flowers, all beautiful. All the rooms are lighted by electric light, so you can fancy the brilliancy of the scene at a grand dinner. Drawing rooms and retiring rooms followed in great numbers, and then we were shown the private dining room, smoking rooms, etc. In England, when the palaces are snown, the furniture is all covered and the carpets rolled up, but here everything was in plain sight and we were treated like invited guests. In the afternoon we visited two more churches and saw the very chains with which St. Peter was bound, when in prison. In the evening we took advantage of the full moon, for a delightful moonlight drive among the ruins. Friday we visited two palaces belonging to princes, which contain most valuable collections of paintings. In the afternoon we drove through the grounds of Villa Doria and saw a lot of priests playing football. We visited two churches, one where a well of oil sprang forth to announce the birth of Christ and another on the spot where St. Peter was martyred. St. Peter is pretty well distributed over this city—his bones in St. Peter's, his head in another place, his chains in another, etc.

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The Merriest Girl that's Out

"Bonnie sweet Bessie, the maid o' Dundee," was, no doubt, the kind of girl to ask, "What are the wild waves saying?" or to put "a little faded flower" in your button hole, she was so full of vivacity, and beaming with robust health Every girl in the land can be just as full of life, just as well and just as merry as she, since Dr. Pierce has placed his "Favorite Perscription" within the reach of all. Young girls in their teens, passing the age of puberty, find it a great aid. Delicate, pale and sickly girls will find this a wonderful invigorator, and a sure corrective for all derangements and weaknesses incident to females.

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The favorable impression produced on the first appearance of the agreeable liquid fruit remedy, Syrup of Figs, a few years ago has been more than confirmed by the pleasant experience of all who have used it, and the success of the proprietors and manufacturers of the California Fig Syrup Company.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Mr Body, inspector of the Excelsior life insurance company is in the city.

Thos. Walmsley, barrister, of Picton is in the city.

TRUE BLUE OFFICERS.

Derry Lodge is Addressed by Grand Master Plumley

The annual meeting of Derry True Blue lodge No. 30, was held in their Hall Front St. last night when the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: W Wessells, W M; W Finkle, D M; W J Corbett, D of C, Chas Thompson, chap; J R Gerow, treas; E Ashley rec sec; H A Thompson, fin sec; C Bonesteel, J Archibald, A McCaskie, H C, Connor, D Stoddard standing committee: F Naylor, inside tyler; C Bonesteel, out. tyler; W Wessells, J R Gerow, H A Thompson, fin com; Bro Miles Plumley, of Napanee past grand master, occupied the chair and installed the officers after which he gave an interesting outline of the order for the past 17 years, since which he has been a member. Visiting brethern were present from Shannonville.

A MYSTERIOUS CASE.

A LONG LOST DAUGHTER IS FOUND UNDER STRANGE CIRCUMSTANCES

A Mother Said to Have Spent Thousands of Dollars in Attempting to Find Her Daughter Locates her in Belleville—A Romance Which May Have a Sequel

On Monday Nov. 21st a gentleman arrived in Belleville and put up at a leading hotel. He did not register and refused to divulge his name. He represented to the clerk that he was a provincial detective in the employ of a woman who lived in Anderson, Indiana, and who was in search of a daughter who had been kidnapped over nine years ago while the family lived in Canada. The detective said he lived in Aylmer, Ont., and it was subsequently learned that his name was Clayton. He said the girl's name was Minnie May, which name is thought to have been assumed. After some enquiry the detective was satisfied that the girl of whom he was looking for was a domestic in the employ of the hotel in question. His request to see her was granted. The detective informed the girl, who was about sixteen years of age, that her mother had recently married a man worth $200,000 and that she had spent thousands of dollars in endeavoring to reclaim her daughter. In spite of the glowing prospect held out by the man the girl stubbornly refused to go to her mother. She was so positive in her refusal that the detective left the hotel taking the train for the west. He told the clerk that he would probably be back in a few days. Early this week the proprietor of the house received a telegram dated London, Ont., asking if the girl was still at the hotel and that her mother would be after her on Wednesday. The woman did arrive accompanied by the alleged detective on the 1.05 train Wednesday morning last. They were driven to the hotel where the alleged mother at once demanded of the clerk to see her daughter. After consultation with the landlady of the house the clerk stated that the girl could not be seen at that hour as she had retired for the night, but that if the lady and gentleman would remain until morning he would be pleased to offer them any assistance within his power. The woman most emphatically refused to wait until the morning and offered the clerk twenty-five dollars if he would comply with her request. The offer was refused, the clerk stating that an order from the proprietor could not be broken for any amount. She left the office in great indignation and was driven to police headquarters. Accompanied by Sergt. Downs, who was on duty, the two proceeded back to the hotel. In the meantime the clerk prevailed on the proprietor to have the girl aroused and brought to the office. When her mother returned and met her daughter face to face she exclaimed: "This is not you May?" The girl indifferently replied that she was May, when the elder lady said: "get ready we have only fifteen minutes to catch the train." The girl apparently complied with reluctance and when ready they were driven to the Grand Trunk depot where they caught the 2.45 a.m. train going west.

The actions of the woman have aroused suspicion in the minds of those who met her as to her identy and purpose. She told the clerk that she lived in Indianopolis, Indiana and that she had not seen her daughter for three or four years, contrary to the statement made by the detective that she had been kidnapped nine years ago and that she had lived in Anderson. She was lavish with her money and rewarded the officer, cabman and others handsomely for their services. She seemed to be in a great hurry to get out of the city as soon as possible. She refused to divulge her name and surrounded herself with a halo of mystery that may have a sequel.

The following paragraph taken from the Woodstock Sentinel-Review a few days ago may throw some light on the matter. The parties in question are well-known in Belleville in connection with certain episodes which may not be recalled here:

"John Dunlop Taylor, jr., a Harlem, New York, photographer, is being sued by his wife for divorce. Taylor's father is worth $200,000. His wife a daughter of Mrs. Jaubert, who claims to be a widow, but Taylor says Mrs. Jaubert is not a widow—that she has a husband living in Toronto, Canada, under an assumed name. There was a family named Jaubert living in Peterboro' and afterward in Belleville that would answer the above description."

COUNTY COUNCIL

Thursday Afternoon Session.

Mr. Vermilyea, chairman of the finance and public property committee, reported that since the last session of the council a new fence had been built on the north side of the court yard, the hedge fence in front of the jail had been cut down and the fence on the south side of the jail property had been ordered to be removed. The yard had been generally improved. The registry office had been renovated and repainted and mats and carpets put upon the floor. The committee recommended that George Evans be appointed caretaker of the county's property on Front street taken over taken over from the late William Ponton. Police Officer Cook was appointed caretaker of that upon Bridge street. The committee also recommended that suitable tables and desks be supplied for the registry office.

The report was adopted.

Mr. Haggerty, as chairman of the committee, appointed at the June session of the council to consider the claim of Rev. Tobias Meyers, recommended that he be paid $60. It will be remembered that the county usurped a portion of his land near Ross' Corners eighty rods long and one rod wide for road purposes. Mr. Meyers will be asked to give the county a deed of the property is question.

The report carried.

The council resumed in committee of the whole on ways and means.

Henry Tallen, of Toronto, provincial auditor, recently sent a communication to Judge Lazier in which he stated that if he received sufficient encouragement he proposed to issue a revised edition of the tariff emanuel. The communication was read in council by Mr. Aylsworth who moved that the county purchase thirty-five copies. Carried.

Several accounts were passed.

The committee arose and reported progress.

The committee on communications reported.

The report was referred back for further consideration when the name of Mr. Graham was expunged and that of James W. Haggerty substituted as a county pupil to the Guelph Agricultural college. —Carried.

Mr. Holgate stated that during the noon recess he had seen Mr. Graham and had learned that that gentleman was not anxious to avail himself the advantage since the coming season would be his third at the college and consequently free.

The report was adopted.

The council adjourned until 9 a.m. Friday.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

JAY GOULD NO MORE

THE GREAT FINANCIER LEAVES BEHIND AN ACTIVE LIFE

Pulmonary Consumption was the Direct Cause of Death—Surrounded by his Children

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—(Special)—Jay Gould died at 9.15 o'clock this morning.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—(Special)—Jay Gould's life for the past few months had been a constant battle against the inevitable, and all the means that medical skill and the interest of friends and relatives could suggest were employed to prolong the great financier's life. The direct cause of death, it is stated, was pulmonary consumption. Mr. Gould died surrounded by his children.

DEATH OF A DETECTIVE.

A Former Belleville Man Thought to Have Been Killed.

Mrs. Geo. Bergeron to-day received the following telegram from Spokane Falls, W. T.:

"J. B. Blorden dead; will bury here unless instructed different."

The deceased was about twenty-eigh years of age and left Belleville some years ago. The particulars of his death have not been learned, but his relations here think that he must have met an untimely end in the discharge of his duty. He was a detective and there has recently been some trouble on the railroad, which the Pinkertons were called on to quell. He leaves a widowed mother and one sister living in Belleville. A brother and a sister living in Holyoke, Mass., while another sister lives in Deseronto and one in Foxbore.

A Prominent Doctor Accused of Murder

A gentleman recently made a startling accusation in the hearing of the writer. Said he "I firmly believe that Dr. —— intentionally or unintentionally, killed my wife. He pronounced her complaint—Consumption—incurable. She accepted the verdict, and—died. Yet since then I have heard of at least a dozen cases, quite as far advanced as hers, that have been cured by Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. Her life might have been saved, for Consumption is not incurable." Of course it is not. The "Discovery" will remove every trace of it, if taken in time and used faithfully. Consumption is a disease of the blood—a scrofulous affection—and the "Discovery" strikes at the root of the evil. For all cases of weak lungs, spitting of blood, severe lingering coughs and kindred ailments, it is a sovereign remedy.

A Minister's Opinion

In a few words, and to the point, the Rev. T. G. Hawkins, pastor Baptist church, Fuersville, Mo., U. S. A., expresses himself, February 7, 1890: "St. Jacob's Oil is without a peer for pains, bruises, aches, etc."

How to save money is a problem that interests everybody. One way to do it is to invigorate the system with Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Being a highly concentrated blood medicine, it is the most powerful and economical. It is sold for a dollar a bottle, but worth five.

If you are suffering from piles, of any description, DON'T pray for death until you have tried Magic Pile Lotion. If that does not cure you then go ahead with your prayers for nothing else will be of any use to you.

John Aikens

Of St. Mary's, Ont.

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Dyspepsia

Perfectly Cured by

Hood's Sarsaparilla

The best stomach tonics known to medical science are so happily combined in Hood's Sarsaparilla that it cures Indigestion, and Dyspepsia in its severest forms, when other medicines fail. In many cases Hood's Sarsaparilla seems to possess a magical touch, so quick and so gratifying the relief. Read the following from an aged and respected citizen of St. Mary's, Ont.:

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For 25 Years

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Eat Better, Sleep Better

and *feel stronger than I have for many years.* I have taken six bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla bought of Mr. Sanderson, the druggist." JOHN AIKENS.

CORDIAL ENDORSEMENT.

From Mr. Sanderson, the Druggist.

"I know Mr. Aikens to be a strictly honest, straightforward man, and take much pleasure in testifying to the truth of the testimonial he gives above." F. G. SANDERSON, Druggist, Queen Street, St Mary's, Ontario.

HOOD'S PILLS, the best after-dinner Pills assist digestion, prevent constipation.

$1,000 an Acre From Pears

It is pretty hard for people who live in a farming community where $25 an acre is considered a big profit to be told that farmers in North Galveston are making from $225 to $1,000 an acre each year in raising pears, plums, strawberries and all small fruits and vegetables. They do not have to work half as hard as the Northern farmer. The North Galveston Association, through the local agent, John Forin, Belleville, is making remarkable offers with their property; both for settlement and investment purposes. Drop a line to Mr. Forin or, better still, call upon him and get full particulars about this property.

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Our Lamp Trade is good. The Decorations are the best, and the prices are right. Our Stock for Christmas Gifts is worth inspecting.

JAS. A. CONGER.

REDUCTION IN PRICES

OF

CANNED MEATS

For a short time we propose offering our stock of Fairbank's and Clarks make of these goods.

All kinds, all sizes and all this year's output.

WALMSLEY & SPAFFORDS,

VICTORIA BLOCK, BELLEVILLE.

A LETTER.

MONTREAL, Nov. 26, 1892.

DEAR SCANTLEBURY: "Owing to the change in the Dominion Cabinet, and the desirability of having the names of the Ministers with their portfolios correctly assigned, we have postponed the issue of the STAR Almanac for three or four days."

Yours truly, GRAHAM & CO., Montreal Star.

The above notice we received to-day. We'll have this almanac as soon as it is published.

We have now in stock the celebrated Canadian Almanac for 1893, price 20 and 30c; also a full line of Office Dairies for 1893

C. B. SCANTLEBURY,

Secure your Christmas Illustrated Papers.

BEDROOMS.

We are now ready with a Grand Display of Bedroom sets in 75 Patterns to choose from. If you want one soon see what we can do before you buy.

W. J. REID & CO,

Crystal Hall - - - Rous' Old Stand

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And bursted are the Bubbles Thrown out to Gull the Public.

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Of tottering houses that require money. We captured a wholesale stock of clothing at 65c on the dollar, and now the prices of six weeks ago are all split to splinters.

MEASURES FOR THE MEN.

READ our Champion Offer and don't try to Duplicate it for it can't be done.

We offer a Man's Overcoat for $3.90 that cost $4.78 wholesale. We offer splendid fitting Suits and in 150 different patterns at $6.00 usually worth $8.75 whoesale. This suit if sold in the regular way would bring $11.00 and $12. Our great big Xmas box for the buyer consists of 900 overcoats, ranging in price $17, $16 and $14. Your choice for $10. The cloth alone is worth more than we ask for the whole overcoat complete.

Look them all through, and then come to us and if we fail to convince the most sceptical that our stock is not at least 5 times larger, and our prices are 50 per cent. lower than those of other dealers, we will give a whole outfit free.

BOUNCING BARGAINS FOR THE BOY

Childs Suits for $1.50 all wool
" Overcoats with capeau $3.75 worth $6.
Youths suits $3.75 all wool worth $7.
" $5.00 " " worth $9.
" Overcoats from $3 up.

Don't buy until you see our stock. Polite attention whether you buy or not.

SLEDS FREE!

Remember boys, with every suit or overcoat you buy from us, no matter what the price, we give you a beautiful sled free. We can be imitated but never approached. Again we say look them all through and then come to us and be convinced.

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354 Front Street, Belleville.

Associated Stores: Toronto, Brantford, Peterboro, Orillia, Lindsay and Kingston

N. B.—We have just placed in stock of our own special make 150 suits, for men and young men's wear, in twelve different patterns. These goods are a square cut sack, are all tailor made with raised seams and would cost you from $18.00 to $26 if you left your measure for them. Our price is $10 and $12

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Saturday night here again and we again make some special prices for the evening,
12½c Grey Flannel 10c
$1.00 Comforters 75c
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We have all the above Capes in stock or you can choose your skin and have one made to order.
We have a full line of Ladies' Russian Circulars that we will sell very cheap. Prices from $12.00 up.
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Caps, Collars, Cuffs and Gauntlets in South Sea Seal, Persian Lamb, Beaver, South Sea Otter and Canadian Otter.
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NOTICE !

You have no doubt noticed that some of the Dry Goobs houses are making a display in their windows of what they call Fancy Goods, but if our friends will only wait a few days and not be in any hurry to purchase, we will convince you that these goods are not by any means the newest in the market and are only goods an experienced Fancy Goods dealer would not purchase.

From now untill Xmas we will make four displays in our windows as it would be impossible to put anything like an assortment of our immense stock in one window, we therefore sincerly hope you will be patient and not purchase these goods displayed in other houses before first looking over our stock and comparing prices.

J. C. OVERELL,
Books, Stationery and Wall Paper.

TENDERS FOR SUPPLIES
1893.

The undersigned will receive tenders for supplies up to noon on MONDAY, DECEMBER 5, 1892, for the supply of butcher's meat butter, flour, oatmeal, potatoes, cordwood, etc for the following institutions during the year 1893, viz.:—At the Asylums for the Insane in Toronto, London, Kingston, Hamilton, Mimico, and Orillia; the Central Prison and MercerReformatory, Toronto; theReformatory for Boys at Penetanguishene; the Institutions for the Deaf and Dumb, Belleville, and the Blind, Brantford.
Two sufficent sureties will be required or the duefulfilment of each contract. Specifications and forms of ten 'er can only be had on making applic tion to the bursars of the respective institutions.
N.B.-Tenders are not required for the supply of meat to the Asylums in Toronto, London, Kingston, Hamilton and Mimico, nor to the Central Prision and Reformatory for Females, Toronto.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
R. CHRISTIE.
T. F CHAMBERLAIN.
Inspectors of Prisons and Public Charities, Toronto.
Parliament Buildings, November 22, '92.

CHRISTMAS CAKES

should be made from 3 to 4 weeks before cutting. We have a nice lot already and would advise our customers to come in and select one or more and we will put them away untill required. We will finish them up with or without Almond Icing according to order. Anyone making their own cakes and would like to have us bake them must have them in between this and the 19th of December.

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A steady, reliable boy to take care of a horse. Must read and write well.
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FORTUNES TOLD.

Parties wishing to consult Mme Greene, CARD READER, should ca l not later than Monday evening, Dec, 5th, as I will be out of city until Dec. 20th. Also parties wanting her Preparation Frosted Cream should send in orders this week. Yours truly
Mme. Greene,
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THAT SILVER PROBLEM.

ROTHSCHILD'S PLAN IS NOT GENERALLY ACCEPTABLE.

An American Asserts that Europeans Are Much More Interested Than Americans in the Working of United States Mines.

BRUSSELS, Dec. 3.—The report of the committee to the conference on the proposals submitted commenced by explaining that the opinions expressed are given on the individual responsibility of the members of the committee, and continues by setting forth that a necessary preliminary for a proper examination of any of the proposals was a precise understanding:

First, as to the legislative measures likely to be taken by the countries producing silver.

Second, existing probabilities of the future production of silver in the United States and Mexico.

Third, the policy of the United States as to the purchase of silver.

Fourth, the policy of India regarding the mintage of silver.

Regarding the first question, United States Delegate Henry W. Cannon stated that the question of limiting silver had been considered in the United States and it was recognized that under existing legislation there were no means for attaining that object and that the modification of the present law in that direction was improbable. The Federal Government had no direct or indirect interest in the working of the silver mines. European capitalists were, moreover, greatly interested in the American mines, making the problem more complicated.

The value of the silver extracted from the American mines was insignificant compared with the annual total of the general production.

Mexican Delegate Casasus, in behalf of the Mexican Government, declared that the production of silver in Mexico had perhaps reached the maximum.

As silver was the chief article of export it was not to the interest of the Government to interfere with the industry, and under the constitution no means existed to restrict the output or to prohibit its export.

Regarding the third question Mr. Cannon said that the American Democrats and Republicans, besides the great bankers, advised a repeal of the Silver Purchase Act of 1890.

Should the conference fail to make some disposition of the questions at issue it was more than probable that America would not be willing to continue the purchase of 54,000,000 ounces of silver annually.

India Wants Bi-Metallism.

Sir Guilford Molesworth, one of the delegates from India, in speaking on the fourth question said that while there was hope of an international entente India would hesitate to modify her present system.

The adoption of a gold standard in India, though difficult, would be attended by more disastrous results in gold-using countries than in India. The only satisfactory solution would be international bi-metallism, in which India would join with the Latin union and America.

Rothschild's Scheme Paltry.

CALCUTTA, Dec. 3.—The Calcutta Englishman attacks Rothschild's proposal and declares it to be too paltry to have great effect.

Beyond revealing the anxiety of the British Government to arrive at a settlement, the proposals are practically valueless.

ROTHSCHILD'S SCHEME.

The American Delegates Have Reported Liberalizing Modifications.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—Secretary Charles Foster said yesterday that he has private advices in regard to the proceedings of the International monetary conference at Brussels to the effect that the committee to which the Rothschild silver plan was referred has reported modifications, liberalizing that plan, but that the conference has decided to first consider the general question of bi-metallism.

The secretary expressed his belief that the conference has already accomplished some good, but he would not commit himself on the subject.

It is learned from another source, however, that the American delegates to the conference are not altogether satisfied with the Rothschild plan and will endeavor to secure further concessions in the same direction.

BOOKS OF BUSINESS MEN.

Are Freely Opened to the American Bureau of Labor.

LONDON, Dec. 3.—Dr. E. L. Gould of the American Labor Department testified yesterday before the Royal Labor Commission. He said that he was studying the housing of working people, the Scandinavia liquor laws and other matters pertaining to the welfare of the masses.

"The American Bureau," he added, "had undoubtedly been instrumental in curtailing the number of strikes. Probing industrial matters helped to improve the intelligence and standard of life of workingmen.

"The department at first had difficulty in getting information from employers. That was all changed now."

Business books are freely opened to the bureau, which, Dr. Gould declared, had not only benefited workingmen but the trade of the whole country.

A £200 Poem.

LONDON, Dec. 3.—Mr. William Watson, the poet who wrote the best obituary poem on Lord Tennyson, has been offered £200 from the Royal bounty, leaving the question of pension in abeyance.

Rum at a Funeral.

BRIDGETON, N.Y., Dec. 3.—James Beck, an aged resident of this place, was buried yesterday. John and Anthony Beck, sons of the dead man, stopped the funeral services by attempting to thrash the minister.

The clergyman had destroyed a small bottle of rum he found in the house. This so enraged the Beck boys that they threatened to thrash the preacher, and were only prevented by sheer force. After the men had been locked up in a side room the services were concluded.

A Mining Trouble.

BAKERSFIELD, Cal., Dec. 3.—James Burton and F. Burton, brothers, were killed yesterday by Bill and Charles Gibson at Kernville, in the mountains 80 miles from here. The Gibsons came to Bakersfield and gave themselves up. The trouble was about the possession and working of mines.

Short of Funds.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—J. Ross Faulkner, aged 24, of Dansville, son of the late State Assemblyman Lester B. Faulkner, poisoned himself at Bellevue Hospital where he was studying medicine. No cause is known for Faulkner's suicide except that he was short of funds and had not enough money to complete his studies.

Ocean Steamship Movements.

Date.	Name.	Reported at.	From.
Nov. 26	La Gascogne..	New York.....	Havre
" 26	Friesland......	London......	New York
" 26	La Bourgogne.	Southampton.	New York
" 27	Furnessia	New York	Glasgow
" 27	P. Caland......	New York ..	Amsterdam

QUEERLY COME BY.

Odd Things Discovered by Fortunate Finders.

London Answers has been collecting from its correspondents' stories of "curious finds." Here are the best of the dozen stories sent in:

In 1883 a young bandsman named Chappell, serving in the Durham Light Infantry (106th) stationed at the Buena Vista Barracks, Gibraltar, was accidentally killed by a fall of about 200ft. over an almost perpendicular though rugged cliff 380 ft. high.

The accident was observed by a number of people who were bathing in Camp Bay, a bathing resort below the cliff. On the alarm being given, Corporal Hammond, Medical Staff Corps, and myself commenced to climb the almost inaccessible cliff to where the body lay, and when about 140 ft. high Corporal Hammond, who was a few feet in front of me, placed his hand, whilst in the act of reaching another ledge, upon what turned out afterwards to be a gold watch in fairly good preservation, which it is supposed must have been there several years, as no owner for it could be found

A Strange Nest Egg.

It is six years ago since I met with my lucky friend.

I was then living at Hoe Lane, Enfield Highway, and was on my way to St. James' Boys School, when I saw a bird's nest up in a high willow tree.

I climbed the tree, and reached the nest, but instead of finding eggs or young ones, as I expected, to my surprise I discovered a gold ring.

At the Bottom of the Sea.

In June, 1866, when I was in command of the ship Dunkeld, of London, on a passage from London to Shanghai, we were taking sounding during the fog in the Formosa Channel.

In the centre of the arming of tallow, which is placed on the lead to ascertain the nature of the bottom, we found a Chinese coin after striking the bottom at a depth of sixty-eight fathoms.

Jack Holsak and the Tiger.

Perhaps the most remarkable man, physically, the country ever produced was Jack Holsak, a flatboatman well known on the Ohio thirty-five or forty years ago," said Thomas C. Jamison, who was discussing America's new champion slugger. "Jack stood 6 feet 6 inches without shoes, and weighed 250 pounds. He was muscled like a Hercules, and used to boast that he was the strongest animal of his weight in the Ohio Valley. He was a simple-hearted, good-natured fellow, who would not hurt a fly. The stories told of his feats of physical strength resembled the miraculous performance of Sampson. Like the story of the 'three black crows,' they probably gained something by repetition, but it is pretty hard to say what is impossible to 250 pounds of perambulating spring steel.

"It is said that he once visited a menagerie in Cincinnati where a man-eating tiger was on exhibition, and after listening to the descriptions of its strength and ferocity given by the animal lecturer, offered to enter the cage stark naked and 'whip the tiger out of its boots for a gallon jug of whisky.' As the proposition was made at the top of his stentorous like lungs, before a tent full of people, the circus manager could not well decline. It was arranged that the gladiator act should take place after the night performance, the women and children being dismissed. Jack, half drunk and as naked as a Greek god, bounced into the cage and grabbed the royal beast of Bengal by the back of the neck and slapped the side of the head. It emitted an ugly growl, and Jack slammed it up against the side of the cage with a violence that bent the heavy iron bars. Instead of proceeding to make a meal of the intruder, the man-eater cowered down in a corner of its cage. Jack grabbed it by the tail, dragged it around the cage, and then, to the horror of the spectators, threw open the door, pulled it out into the circus ring and rolled it in the sawdust. Now, a tiger that has been reared in a cage and fed on cold potatoes and stale meat is a very different brute from one reared in an Asiatic jungle; still, I hardly think that any of the distinguished pugilists now posing before the public would care to tackle even a circus tiger."—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Berlin's Unemployed.

BERLIN, Dec. 3.—A great meeting of Berlin's unemployed was held in the Friedrichshain quarter this afternoon. The police had taken great precautions to preserve order, as a similar meeting preceded last winter's riots.

A number of speakers used incendiary language and were warned by the police. As no heed was paid to the warning the assemblage was ordered to disperse.

All present then formed in procession and marched back to the city. At the Konigs-Thor a slight disturbance arose, which was quickly suppressed.

Bandmaster Carey's Funeral.

KINGSTON, Ont., Dec. 3.—The funeral of the late Bandmaster Carey took place yesterday. The military turnout, which was very imposing, included the firing party, composed of non-commissioned officers of the Prince of Wales' Own Rifles, the bands of the 14th Battalion and A Battery, the Battery men and Royal Military College Cadets.

Must Get Up And Dust.

VALPARAISO, Dec. 3.—The Chilian Government has accepted the parole of General Velasquez, who has been confined aboard of a warship, and permits him to return to his estates near Quillota.

It is reported that it is the intention of the Government to notify the chief officers of the late rebel, Balmaceda's, army who are now in prison at Santiago, to leave the country within eight days.

A Southern Railway Scheme.

VALPARAISO, Dec. 3.—News comes from Rio Janeiro that a scheme has been presented to Congress for the building of a railway from Rio to Pernambuco, thus shortening the voyage to Europe to six days. The Rothschilds are said to be back of the scheme.

WHAT IS PLUCK ?

A Batch of Definition Sent to a British Paper.

This is the one that won:

"Fighting with the scabbard when the sword is broken."

The following are some of the best definitions sent in:

Moral backbone.

The power a man has to say "no" when he knows his wife wants him to say "yes."

Fearlessness free from foolhardiness.

The chivalry of nature's knighthood.

That which enables one, when fighting against adverse circumstances and knocked down, to rise and try another round.

The heart of a lion in the body of a man.

The best remedy for despair.

The force which converts an ordinary man into a hero.

Honest daring without caring.

The absence of fear in the presence of danger.

The courage to do the right thing at the right moment.

Irrepressible stout-heartedness.

That which keeps a man up when he is down.

The offspring of courage and the mother of success.

WHIPS REFUSE TO WORK

PARTY POLITICS RUN HIGH IN GREAT BRITAIN.

The Conservatives Will Offer a Bill Making It Illegal for Priests to Represent Illiterate Voters—Revision of Rents Imperative.

LONDON, Dec. 3.—Although the opening of Parliament is still eight weeks distant the Conservative party is already on the scene with three amendments to the address in reply to the Speech from the Throne.

One amendment attacks the Irish Evicted Tenants' Commission. Another relates to the distress of the agricultural classes and the third relates to the wavering policy of the Government with regard to Uganda.

Besides these there are other amendments under discussion. These amendments will prolong the discussion on the address, thus obstructing the work of Parliament, and the object is to test the strength of the Government.

A prominent Liberal member of Parliament said to an Associated Press representative yesterday:

"We expect the warmest time any Parliament has seen since the discussion of the Reform Bill of 1832. What threatens to make matters worse for members personally is the fact that the relations between the parties are so embittered, that the party whips decline to try to arrange pairs.

The Government's Narrow Majority.

"The Opposition will pair with Liberals. The result will be that every member will be kept in constant attendance in the House of Commons for fear the Government's narrow majority may be submerged by some snatch vote."

"Be unsleeping," accurately represents the advice of the Ministerials, who, however continue to be confident of weathering the divisions on the address, and even hopeful of passing the Home Rule bill.

There is reason for belief that the party whips will bring every man to the House on the opening of Parliament, and will keep all there until Home Rule is decided one way or the other.

The Conservatives, apropos of priestly intimidation in Ireland and the unseating of Mr. Fullam, intend to introduce a bill making it illegal for priests to act as agents for illiterates or otherwise at polling stations.

Another trouble before the Government is renewed agitation of Irish tenant farmers for an abatement of judicial rents fixed four years ago. The tenants declare that the fall in prices of live stock and of farm products generally makes a revision of rents imperative.

A temporary clause of the act of 1887 empowered the Land Commission to reduce rents in ratio of decline in agricultural prices. The clause was operative for only three years and expired at a time when it would have done most good. The Government will ask Parliament to restore the clause exactly as it was.

Couldn't Form a Cabinet.

PARIS, Dec. 3.—M. Brisson, who was selected by President Carnot to form a new Ministry, has abandoned the undertaking, and the political situation is more muddled than ever. Brisson, in explanation of his failure, says he desired to form a Cabinet that would co-operate with all the factions, but the refusal of M. Perier to enter the combination and the declination of M. Bourgeois to accept the portfolio of the interior forced him to abandon his task.

President Carnot has charged M. Perier to form a Cabinet.

Mrs. Deacon After Damages.

PARIS, Dec. 3.—Mrs. Deacon has brought an action for slander against The Galignani Messenger. The alleged slander consisted in the publication of a report that Mrs. Deacon in the middle of November agreed to surrender her eldest child and to authorize Mr. Deacon to secure a divorce from her in Paris, providing he abandoned the criminal action now pending at Grasse against her for adultery.

According to the paper Mr. Deacon had accepted these conditions.

Anti-Semitics At Work.

LONDON, Dec. 3.—The Standard's Berlin correspondent says that in a draft of the Conservative platform the first paragraph reads:

"We combat Jewish influence in our national life, on which it acts with disintegrating effect. We demand Christian government for Christian people and Christian teachers for Christian pupils; we condemn the excesses of anti-Semitism."

The Austrian Secret Service Credit.

VIENNA, Dec. 3.—The Reichsrath Friday by a vote of 167 to 146 refused to grant the credit asked for secret service purposes. The majority against the credit was made up of German Liberals, German Nationals and Young Czechs.

The Suzerainty of Chitral.

CALCUTTA, Dec. 3.—Sher Afzul Khan, the usurping ruler of Chitral, has recognized the Ameer of Afghanistan as Suzerain of Chitral. Goods in transit from India through Chitral will henceforth pay duty to the Ameer.

The Indian Government will not admit the suzerainty of the Ameer.

Fired On Europeans.

TANGIER, Dec. 3.—Excitement was caused here yesterday by a Moorish police guard firing upon four Europeans, killing one and wounding another.

Robbery In Kingston.

KINGSTON, Dec. 3.— Yesterday morning a daring burglary was committed in John Marshall's residence, notwithstanding there were seven people asleep in the house. The burglars went upstairs and they carried a desk belonging to Mrs. Marshall, sr., downstairs to a shed at the rear. The desk being locked they had to pry it open and found inside $51.25. A bag containing a handsome gold watch was also in the desk, but they did not consider it safe to take jewelry.

Mr. Marshall's brother-in-law was first awakened by dogs barking and he called Mr. Marshall, who ran downstairs and found the back door open and the desk in the shed. The robbers could not be seen.

Drifted Five Days.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—The British steamer Cynthiana from Hamburg arrived last night, having on board Capt. Lorimer and his crew of 24 men of the steamer Lunedale, which sailed from Philadelphia Oct. 31 for Copenhagen and was found sinking in mid-ocean.

She had drifted five days with her engines broken down and leaking badly. She went down soon after all on board were rescued. She carried no passengers.

Mrs. Maybrick Again.

PANAMA, Dec. 3.—The American residents of Colon have sent an appeal to the British Home Secretary on behalf of Mrs. Maybrick.

Dividing Up Dahomey.

PARIS, Nov. 26.—Gen. Dodds, commanding the French forces in Dahomey, advises that Dahomey be divided into three territories, to be under the rulership of native chiefs controlled by a French resident at Porto Novo.

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CANADIANS ABROAD.

In order to respond to the constant demand for information respecting the number of Canadians in the United States, Mr. Eratus Wiman has induced the Census Department at Washington to specially expedite the figures in relation to this subject and to-day is in receipt of the result. The number of Canadians in the United States, according to the census of 1890, was 980,941, as compared with 717,157 in 1880, an increase of 263,784, or about 37 per cent. The number of Canadians in the New England States in 1890 was 380,167, as against 175,426 in 1880, showing that in ten years the number has considerably more than doubled. The division of the population of Canadians in the New England States is, English, 174,406; French, 205,761. In Massachusetts the increase is very marked the number of Canadians residing there in 1890 being 207,601, as against 74,203 in 1880.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

THE Young Liberal-Conservative Association is beginning to make its presence known in Canadian politics. If it would only dispense with the imported dozy deadwood of the Castells-Hopkins style there would be hope for the party with which they are affiliated.

THE "Dear Old Mother Land" rather hits the Canadian live cattle in the neck, and it would be a mighty handy thing to have the American market open just now.

AN English Provincial newspaper, published in Yorkshire, wants to have the English people inoculated with Col. (?) Denisons "loyalty." Evidently the loyal Britishers in Britain don't mouth to any great extent about their loyalty.

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WHEN THE CORN IS RIPE

THEN SHOULD THE NATIONS GIVE THANKS TO THE LORD.

Talmage's Thanksgiving Sermon — He Points Out the Analogy Between Husking Time and the Great Re-Union That Will Take Place in Heaven—A Shock of Corn.

BROOKLYN, N.Y., Nov. 27th.—Rev. Dr. Talmage to-day chose for his subject of discourse one eminently suited to the time following the ingathering of the harvests, and to the Thanksgiving season. The decorotions of the Thanksgiving Day still remained on the platform and the galleries, and long rows of yellow and white corn on the front and back of the platform was in accord with the sermon. The text selected was "As a Shock of Corn Cometh in in His Season." (Job 5; 26.)

This is the time of the year for husking corn. If you have recently been in the fields of Pennsylvania, or New Jersey, or New York, or New England, or in any of the country districts, you know that the corn is all cut. The sharp knife struck through the stalks and left them all along the fields until a man came with a bundle of straw and twisted a few of these wisps of straw into a band, and then gathering up as much of the corn as he could compass with his arms, he bound it with this wisp of straw and then stood it in the field in what is called a shock. There are now at least two billion bushels of corn either standing in the shock, or having been already husked. The farmers gather, one day on one farm, and then another day on another farm, and they put on their rough husking apron, and they take the husking peg, which is a piece of iron with a leathern loop fastened to the hand, and with it unsheath the corn from the husk and toss it into the golden heap. Then the wagons come along and take it to the corn-crib.

About corn as an important cereal or corn as a metaphor the Bible is constantly speaking. You know about the people in famine coming to buy corn of Joseph, and the foxes on fire running into the "standing corn," and about the oxen treading out the corn, and about the seven thin ears of corn that in Pharaoh's dream devoured the seven good ears, and the "parched corn" handed to beautiful Ruth by the harvesters of Bethlehem, and Abigail's five measures of "parched corn" with which she hoped to appease the enemies of her drunken husband, and David's description of the valleys "covered over with corn," and "the handful of corn in the earth," and "the full corn in the ear," and Christ's Sabbath morning walk through corn-fields, and the disciples "plucking ears of corn," and so I am not surprised to find corn-husking time referred to in my text: "As a shock of corn cometh in in his season."

How vividly to all those of us who were born in the country comes the remembrance of husking time. We waited for it as for a gala day of the year. It was called a frolic. The trees having for the most part shed their foliage, the farmers waded through the fallen leaves and came through the keen morning air to the gleeful company. The frosts which had silvered everything during the night began to melt off the top of the corn-shocks. While the farmers are waiting for others, they stood blowing their breath through their fingers, or thrashing their arms around their body to keep up warmth of circulation. Roaring mirth greeted the late farmer as he crawled over the fence. Joke and repartee and rustic salutation abounded. All ready, now. The men take hold of the shock of cork and hurl it prostrate, while the moles and mice which have secreted themselves there for warmth, attempt escape. The withe of straw is unwound from the cornshock and the stalks heavy with the wealth of grain are rolled into two bundles between which the husker sits down. The husking peg is thrust in until it strikes the corn, and then the fingers rip off the sheathing of the ear, and there is a crack as the root of the corn is snapped off from the husk, and the grain disimprisoned is hurled up into the sunlight. The air is so tonic, the work is so very exhilarating, the company is so blithe, that some laugh, and some shout, and some sing, and some banter, and some tease a neighbor for a romantic ride along the edge of the woods in an eventide, in a carriage that holds but two, and some prophesy as to the number of bushels to the field, and others go into competition as to which shall rifle the most corn-shocks before sun-down. After a while, the dinner-horn sounds from the farm-house, and the table is surrounded by a group of jolly and hungry men. From all the pantries and the cellars and the perches of fowl on the place the richest dainties come, and there is carnival and neighborhood reunion, and a scene which fills our memory, part with smiles but more with tears, as we remember that the farm belongs now to other owners, and other hands gather in the field, and many of those who mingle in that merry husking scene have themselves been reaped, "like as a shock of corn cometh in in his season."

There is a difference of opinion as to whether the Orientals knew anything about the corn as it stands in our fields; but recent discoveries have found out that the Hebrew knew all about Indian maize; for there have been grains of corn picked up out of ancient crypts and exhumed from hiding-places where they were put down many centuries ago, and they have been planted in our time and have come up just such Indian maize as we raise in New York and Ohio; so I am right when I say my text may refer to a shock of corn just as you and I bound it, just as you and I threw it, just as you and I husked it. There may come some practical and useful and comforting lessons to all our souls, while we think of coming in at last "like a shock of corn coming in in his season."

It is high time that the King of Terrors were thrown out of the Christian vocabulary. A vast multitude of people talk of death as though it were the disaster of disasters, instead of being to a good man the blessing of blessings. It is moving out of a cold vestibule into a warm temple. It is migrating into groves of redolence and perpetual fruitage. It is a change from bleak March to roseate June. It is a change of manacles for garlands. It is the transmuting of the iron handcuffs of earthly incarceration into the diamonded wristlets of a bridal party; or, to use the suggestion of my text, it is only husking time. It is the tearing off of the rough sheath of the body that the bright and the beautiful soul may go free. Coming in "like a shock of corn cometh in in his season." Christ broke up a funeral procession at the gate of Nain by making a resurrection day for a young man and his mother. And I would that I could break up your sadnesses and halt the long funeral procession of the world's grief by some cheering and cheerful view of the last transition.

We all know that husking time was a time of frost. Frost on the fence. Frost on the stubble. Frost on the ground. Frost on the bare branches of the trees. Frost in the air. Frost on the hands of the huskers. You remember we used to hide between the corn-stacks so as to keep off the wind, but still you remember how shivering was the body and how painful was the cheek, and how benumbed were the hands. But after a while the sun was high up and all the frosts went out of the air, and hilarities awakened the echoes, and joy from one corn-shock went up, "Aha, aha!" and was answered by joy from another corn-shock, "Aha, aha!" So we all realize that the death of our friend is the nipping of many expectations, the freezing, the chilling, the frosting of many of our hopes. It is far from being a south wind. It comes out of the frigid north, and when they go away from us we stand benumbed in body and benumbed in mind, and benumbed in soul. We stand among our dead neighbors, our dead families, and we say, "will we ever get over it?" Yes, we will get over it amid the shoutings of heavenly re-union, and we will look back to all those distresses of bereavement only as the temporary [illegible] husking [illegible] "Weeping may endure for a night but joy cometh in the morning." "Light, and but for a moment," said the apostle as he clapped his hands, "light, and but for a moment." The chill of the frosts followed by the gladness that cometh in like a shock of corn cometh in in his season."

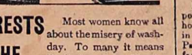
Of course the husking time made rough work with the ear of corn. The husking peg is to be thrust in and the hard thumb of the husker had to come down on the swathing of the ear, and then there was a pull and there was a ruthless tearing, and then a complete snapping off before the corn was free, and if the husk could have spoken it would have said: "Why do you lacerate me? Whp do you wrench me?" Ah! my friends, that is the way God has arranged that the ear and husk shall part, and that is the way he has arranged that the body and soul shall separate. You can afford to have your physical distresses when you know that they are only forwarding the soul's liberation. Every rheumatic pain is only a plunge of the husking peg. Every neuralgic twinge is only a twist by the husker. There is good in you that must come out. Some way the shackle must be broken. Some way the ship must be launched for heavenly voyage. You must let the Heavenly Husbandman husk off the mortality from the immortality. There ought to be great consolation in this for all who have chronic ailments, since the Lord is gradually and more mildly taking away from you that which hinders your soul's liberation, doing gradually for you what for many of us in robust health perhaps he will do in one fell blow at the last. At the close of every illness, at the close of every paroxysm you ought to say, "Thank God, that is all past now; thank God, I will never have to suffer that again; thank God, I am so much nearer the hour of liberation." You will never suffer the same pain twice. You may have a new pain in an old place, but never the same pain twice. The pain does its work and then it dies. Just so many plunges of the crowbar to free the quarry-stone for the building. Just so many strokes of the chisel to complete the statute. Just so many pangs to separate the soul from the body. You who have chronic ailments and disorders, are only paying in instalments that which some of us will have to pay in one payment when we pay the debt of nature. Thank God, therefore, ye who have chronic disorders that you have so much less suffering at the last. Thank God, that you will have so much less to feel in the way of pain at the hands of the Heavenly Husbandman when "the shock of corn cometh in in his season."

Perhaps now this may be an answer to a question which I asked one Sabbath morning, but did not answer: Why is it that so many really good people have so dreadfully to suffer! You often find a good man with enough pains and aches and distresses, you would think, to discipline a whole colony, while you will find a man who is perfectly useless going about with easy digestion and steady nerves and shining health, and his exit from the world is comparatively painless. How do you explain that? Well, I noticed in the husking time that the husking-peg was thrust into the corn, and then there must be a stout pull before the swathing was taken off the ear, and the full, round healthy, luxuriant corn was developed; while, on the other hand, there was corn that hardly seemed worth husking. We threw that into a place all by itself, and we called it "nubbins." Some of it was mildewed, and some of it was mice nibbled, and some of it was great promise and no fulfilment. All cobs and no corn. Nubbins! After the good corn had been driven up to the barn, we came around with the corn-basket and picked up these nubbins. They were worth saving, but not worth much. So all around us there are people who amount to comparatively nothing. They develop into no kind of usefulness. They are nibbled on one side by the world, and nibbled on the other side by the devil, and mildewed all over. Great promise and no fulfilment. All cobs and no corn. Nubbins! They are worth saving. I suppose many of them will get to heaven, but they are not worthy to be mentioned in the same day with those who went through great tribulation into the kingdom of our God. Who would not rather have the pains of this life, the misfortunes of this life—who would not rather be torn, and wounded, and lacerated, and wrenched, and husked, and at last go in amid the very best grain of the granary, than to be pronounced not worth husking at all? Nubbins! In other words, I want to say to you people who have distress of body, and distress in business, and distress of all sorts, the Lord has not any grudge against you. It is not derogatory, it is complimentary. "Whom the Lord loveth He chasteneth," and it is proof positive that there is something valuable in you, or the Lord would not have husked you.

You remember, also, that in the time of husking it was a neighborhood reunion. By the great fireplace in the winter, the fires roaring around the glorified back-logs on an old-fashioned hearth, of which the modern stoves and registers are only the degenerate descendants, the farmers used to gather and spend the evening, and there would be much sociality; but it was not anything like the joy of the husking time, for then all the farmers came, and they came in the very best humor, and they came from beyond the meadow, and they came from beyond the brook, and they came from regions two and three miles around. Good spirits reigned supreme, and there were great handshakings, and there was carnival, and there was the recital of the brightest experiences in all their lives, and there was a neighborhood reunion, the memory of which makes all the nerves of my body tremble with emotion as the strings of a harp when the fingers of the player have swept the chords. The husking time was the time of neighborhood reunion, and so heaven will be just that. There they come up! They slept in the old village churchyard. There they come up! They reclined amid the fountains and the sculpture and the parterres of a city cemetery. There they come up! They went down when the ship foundered off Cape Hatteras. They come up from all sides—from Potter's Field and out of the solid masonry of Westminster Abbey. They come up! They come up! All the hindrances to their better nature husked off. All their spiritual despondencies husked off. All their hindrances to usefulness husked off. The grain, the golden grain, the God-fashioned grain, visible and conspicuous. Some of them on earth were such disagreeable Christians you could hardly stand it in their presence. Now in heaven they are so radiant you hardly know them. The fact is, all their imperfections have been husked off. They did not mean on earth to be disagreeable. They meant well enough, but they told you how sick you looked, and they told you how many hard things they had heard about you, and they told you how often they had to stand up for you in some battles until you wished almost that they had been slain in some of the battles. Good, pious, consecrated, well-meaning disagreeables. Now, in Heaven all their offensiveness has been husked off. Each one is as happy as he can be. Every one he meets as happy as he can be. Heaven one great neighborhood reunion. All kings and queens, all songsters, all millionaires, all banqueters. God, the Father, with his children all around him. No "good-by" in all the air. No grave cut in all the hills. River of crystal rolling over bed of pearl, under arch of chrysoprase, into seas of glass mingled with fire. Stand at the gate of the granary and see the grain come in; out of the frosts into the sunshine, out of the darkness into the light, out of the tearing and the ripping and twisting and the wrenching and lacerating and the husking time of earth into the wide open door of the King's granary, "like as a shock of corn cometh in in his season."

Yes, Heaven is a great sociable, with joy like the joy of the husking time. No one there feeling so big he declines to speak to someone that is not so large. Archangel willing to listen to smallest cherub. No bolting of the door of caste at one heavenly mansion to keep out the citizen of a smaller mansion. No clique in one corner whispering about a clique in another corner. David [illegible] the airs of a giant-killer. Joshua making no one halt until he passes, because he made the sun and moon halt. Paul making no assumption over the most ordinary preacher of righteousness. Naaman, captain of the Syrian host, no more honored than the captive maid who told him where he could get a good doctor. O my soul, what a country! The humblest man a king. The poorest woman a queen. The meanest house a palace. The shortest lifetime eternity. And what is more strange about it all is we may all get there. "Not I," says someone standing back under the galleries. Yes, you. "Not I," says some one who has not been in church in fifteen years before. Yes, you. "Not I," says someone who has been for fifty years filling up his life with all kinds of wickedness. Yes, you. There are monopolies on earth, monopolistic railroads, and monopolistic telegraph companies, and monopolistic grain dealers, but no monopolies in religion. All who want to be saved may be saved, "without money and without price." Salvation by the Lord Jesus Christ for all the people. Of course, use common sense in this matter. You cannot expect to get to Charleston by taking the ship for Portland, and you cannot get to heaven by going in an opposite direction. Believe in the Lord Jesus Christ and thou shalt be saved. Through that one gate of pardon and peace all the race may go in.

"But," says some one, "do you really think I would be at home in that supernal society if I could reach it?" I think you would. I know you would. I remember that in the husking time there was great equality of feeling among the neighbors. There at one corn-shock a farmer would be at work who owned two hundred acres of ground. The man whom he was talking with at the next corn-shock owned but thirty acres of ground, and perhaps all that covered by a mortgage. That evening, at the close of the husking day, one man drove home a roan span so frisky, so full of life, they got their feet over the traces. The other man walked home. Great difference in education, great difference in worldly means; but I noticed at the husking time they all seemed to enjoy each other's society. They did not ask any man how much property he owned, or what his education had been. They all seemed to be happy together in those good times. And so it will be in Heaven. Our Father will gather His children around him, and the neighbors will come in, and the past will be rehearsed. And some one will tell the victory, and we will all celebrate it. And some one will tell of great struggle, and we will all praise the grace that fetched him out of it. And some one will say, "Here is my old father that I put away with heartbreak; just look at him, he is as young as any of us!" And some one will say, "Here is my darling child that I buried in Greenwood, and all the after years of my life were shadowed with desolation—just look at her! She doesn't seem as if she had been sick a minute. Great sociality. Great neighborhood kindness. Go in and dine. What though John Milton sit down on one side and John Howard sit down on the other side. No embarrassment, What though Charlotte Elizabeth sit down on one side and Hannah More sit down on the other side? No embarrassment.



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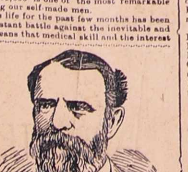
JAY GOULD IS DEAD.

He Controlled About 13,000 Miles of Railway Lines.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Jay Gould died at 9.15 yesterday morning.

The history of Jay Gould from the bare-footed boy who wandered over the rough hills of Delaware County to the railroad king whose wealth was estimated at $60,000,000 is one of the most remarkable among our self-made men.

His life for the past few months has been a constant battle against the inevitable and all means that medical skill and the interest



JAY GOULD.

that friends and relatives could suggest were employed to prolong the financier's life. He was taken about in private luxurious cars to places where milder air and the absence of business excitement might be expected to work a recuperation of his energies. But to no avail.

Mr. Gould controlled about 13,000 miles of railway lines.

The direct cause of his death, as stated at the house this morning, was pulmonary consumption.

No two estimates agree as to the amount of Mr. Gould's fortune. The most conservative estimates place it at about $60,000,000, while some people in Wall-street, who think they know something about his accumulations, figure that he must have gotten together fully $100,000,000.

THE PANAMA AFFAIR.

No One Wishes Any Longer to Become a Cabinet Minister in France.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—The Herald's Paris correspondent says: The Panama scandal continues with such violence that no one is interested any longer in the Ministerial crisis, which, however, still lasts. No one wishes any longer to become a Cabinet Minister—a new phenomenon in France.

Another grave fact, according to reliable people who tell the story, is that the Baron de Reinich had for visitors on the eve of his suicide a very well-known minister and a deputy also well known. All three worked together burning documents from 9 o'clock in the evening till midnight. Two hours later Baron de Reinich was found dead. If this fact is correct no one can guess the gravity of the situation.

It is certain a general reorganization of things as they exist will ensue. If the republic stands it is because there is nothing to take its place.

The Clergy Dragged In.

LONDON, Dec. 3.—The Paris correspondent of The News says: M. Brisson hopes to reveal the part the clergy took in assisting Count de Lesseps to float the Panama Canal bonds. De Lesseps and family were conspicuous for their regular attendance at high mass at the Church of the Madeleine all the time the bubble was being blown. Each christening in his family became a public event.

Speculation in Panama options went on at the Vatican, and the clergy got heavy commissions for advising the members of their flocks to invest in Panama bonds. The priestly run on the Panama Canal offices was so great that just prior to the collapse a special office and staff was about to be established to receive them. Count de Lesseps sent some nuns in the most sensational way to the hospital at the scene of the canal works.

He made an appeal one night through a religious paper to the devotion and zeal of the Daughters of St. Vincent de Paul and 38 of them volunteered to go to the Isthmus the next day. The eyes of the Catholic world were riveted upon the poor heroines, who were forgotten until another batch was wanted to replace the ravages of the yellow fever.

The event of the day is the publication of a fac-simile of a letter written by Baron Reinich to M. Proust, dated in July, 1886, notifying him of a gift of 1000 Panama Canal bonds.

A LIFE BOAT.

Drifted Ashore With a Crew of Three Dead Bodies.

LONDON, Dec. 3.—A lifeboat belonging to the British steamer Greystoke, which sank in the Elbe on Wednesday last, containing three dead bodies, drifted ashore this morning. One of the bodies was that of Chief Engineer Evans.

The crew of the Greystoke numbered 21 all told. It is believed that all on board the steamer were lost.

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BREACH OF PROMISE.

Erastus Wiman Vouches for the Fair Petitioner.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—In an action of Albertina La Belle, 21 years old, to recover $20,000 damages from Samuel B. Moore for alleged breach of promise of marriage, Moore was arrested yesterday on an order of Justice Andrews of the Supreme Court. He gave the $5000 bail required and was released.

Albertina lives with her sisters at New Brighton, S.I., but her family comes from Montreal. She became acquainted with Moore while both were residing at the Colonnade Hotel in November, 1891. She says he engaged to marry her on January 1 last. Moore denies the promise of marriage.

The arrest was partly based on an affidavit of Erastus Wiman, who says he was informed by Mr. Brennan of Hornthal, Whitehead & Co., who employ the defendant, that Moore had arranged to go to Virginia to reside permanently about Dec. 1.

Mr. Wiman says he knows the family of Albertina in Montreal, and that it is respectable and influential. "It is well-known there," he says, "and enjoys the respect and esteem of good people." He had been introduced into the family himself, and believes the statement of Albertina about her relations with Moore.

EARTHQUAKE SHOCKS.

One-Third of An Island Split Off By An Earthquake.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 3.—The steamer City of Panama brings further news of the earthquake in San Salvador, October 18.

Signs of activity were noticed about the crater of the Conchequa volcano, near La Union, in the Gulf of Fonseca. At 10 o'clock that night a violent earthquake and the 5000 inhabitants of La Union fled to the beach.

Shock after shock struck the city and the older buildings were tumbled in ruins. The stone cathedral was reduced to a formless heap and 50 or 60 other buildings were wrecked. Twenty-four persons were injured.

One-third of the island of Conchequa in the Gulf of Fonseca, seven miles from Latenim, was split off by the shock, and suddenly sank out of sight. The crater of Conchequa did not break forth again, but it shows signs of coming eruptions.

His Head Crushed In.

LINDSAY, Dec. 3.—On Tuesday evening a fatal accident occurred on the farm of Mr. Frank Chambers, Fenelon, on the boundary between Mariposa and Fenelon, west of the village of Cambray, whereby Joseph Wells, a young man of 23 years of age, lost his life.

Mr. Wells, who owned and ran a steam threshing machine, had been threshing for Mr. Chambers, and, having got through, got on top of the engine to lower the smoke-stack, when he slipped, falling between the fly-wheel and the boiler. Death was instantaneous, his head being crushed in as well as the body being more or less mangled.

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GAZETTE NOTICES.

J. J. Harding of London an Applicant for Divorce.

OTTAWA, Dec. 3.—To-day's Canada Gazette will contain notices of appointment of John Evers Cuft of St. Catharines as Collector of Customs, and J. Wesley Holt of Blissville, N.B., as sub-Collector of Customs.

Letters patent have been granted incorporating the Central Electric Light Company of Montreal, with capital of half a million.

Notices of application for letters patent of incorporation are given by the Gurney Foundry Company, limited, for the purpose of purchasing the Toronto business of the E. & C. Gurney Co., limited, with capital $40,000; headquarters at Toronto. And by the Chaudiere Electric Light and Power Company, limited, of Ottawa for power to increase its capital stock to one million and to have power to amalgamate with any other company doing a similar business.

John James Harding of London, Ont., gives notice of application for divorce from his wife, Janet Harding, now of Grand Rapids, Mich., on the grounds of adultery and desertion.

The Grand Trunk Railway Company gives notice of application to Parliament for an act to confirm the agreement made with 14 other companies for amalgamation under the name of the Grand Trunk Railway Company of Canada.

Notice is given of application to Parliament for an act to wind up the Montreal Mining Company.

The revenue cutter Constance is still patrolling the lower St Lawrence, on the lookout for smugglers, and will remain out as long as possible, as this is the time of the year when that class of gentry is usually most active.

Hon. Peter White, Speaker of the House of Commons, was here yesterday. He says that the vacancies in the accountant's branch will be filled by him shortly, and intimated pretty clearly that the appointment would not be from members of the House of Commons staff, but would be made from outsiders. The appointments rest entirely with the Speaker, although the committee on the internal economy of the House fix the salary, which will probably be considerably lower in the case of the accountant than what Mr. Brewer was receiving. Mr. Bolton was only appointed last year as a second class clerk, and his successor will most likely receive the same position.

The Department of Marine, having received information that the last grain barges for Montreal had arrived, instructions were to-day given to the contractors to take the light ships in Lake St. Louis into winter quarters and lift the buoys. All the light ships and buoys between Montreal and Quebec have been taken up and navigation of the St. Lawrence may be considered as closed, except between Montreal and Sorel, where the shore lights will be kept up for another week to accommodate the steamers still running between those two places.

All the fisheries protective cruisers are now laid up for the winter, except the Curlew, which is still in the Bay of Fundy, and Vigilant, which is cruising along the Nova Scotia coast. Repairs to the Government steamer Newfield have been completed and she has been taken from the dry dock at Halifax and is now at the Government wharf at that place. The Government steamer Le Canadien is still running between Quebec and Grosse Isle, and will continue to do so as long as her services are needed in connection with the quarantine service. The Government steamer Stanley yesterday commenced her regular winter service between Charlottetown and Pictou.

The steam disinfector which was obtained by the Government from Toronto for use at Grosse Isle during the cholera scare has been removed to Halifax and will be used there if necessary while the new disinfector ordered for that place is being made.

Hon. J. C. Patterson returned to the city last night with his family and has taken up his residence in the house purchased by him from the estate of the late F. N. Gisborne.

Bradstreet's Report.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—At Montreal general distributive trade will not be quite so active now that navigation has closed, and, except with dealers in holiday goods, business is expected to be of moderate proportions until after New Year's.

Shipments from Toronto in wholesale lines are fairly active and prices firm. Demand for heavyweight drygoods has increased, as has that for dried fruit and sole leather on eastern account.

Total bank clearings at Halifax, Montreal, Toronto and Hamilton amount to $19,564,000 this week, a decrease of 17 per cent. from the week before and of 5 per cent. from the total in the like week of 1891.

Montreal banks disbursed $1,250,000 in dividends on Thursday and the tendency of the money market is towards greater ease.

The Dominion reports 35 business failures this week. In the week before the total was 27 and one year ago 35.

He Was Ill-Fated.

ERIE, Pa., Dec. 3.—Joseph Kane, a Lake Shore employe, went on a long spree some days ago and his wife had him arrested. Promises of reform secured his release yesterday.

He hunted up his wife, and at once emptied the contents of a revolver into her body. Kane then ran down a steep grade on the Philadelphia and Erie Road, uncoupled the rear car of a train, gave it a push and sprang in front of it.

He laid his neck on the rail and his head was severed. Four little children are orphaned by the tragedy. Kane lost his father and three brothers in railroad accidents and considered himself ill-fated.

Has Not Yet Resigned.

QUEBEC, Dec. 3.—Premier De Boucherville consulted the members of his Cabinet yesterday on his intention of resigning his portfolio, but the honorable gentleman has not yet resigned.

His colleagues urged upon him to await further events. However, his resignation may be looked upon as certain if Hon. Mr. Chapleau's appointment as lieutenant governor of Quebec is maintained.

Shocked for Ten Seconds.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Dec. 3.—An earthquake shock was felt here yesterday. The vibrations lasted 10 seconds. The shock was not so severe as the one which first shook Charleston in 1886, but was like the lesser shocks which followed several days afterward.

Behring Sea Negotiations.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec. 3.—It was announced that Prof. E. J. Phelps of Yale, ex-Minister to Great Britain, has been appointed by President Harrison to continue his work in connection with the Behring Sea negotiations.

A Coal Strike Expected.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Dec. 3.—A special from Coal Creek says a serious outbreak is expected among the miners in a few days.

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All through the Provinces the rapid increase of La Grippe, is causing great alarm. A report was received here to-day, of a new development o the disease, which is worse, perhaps than any other. Wm. Hanley of N. Y. City, died in terrible agony after sickness of only four days, His tongue swelled to such an extent as to make it impossible for him to close his jaws or swallow any food. The report is causing the people in this district to inquire into the noted Grip-cure, recently referred to in so many papers. In Cape Breton the disease has spread very rapidly and with fatal results. D. J. Killop of L'Archeveque writes Feb. 11th that this cure has been tried in his neighborhood and with such success that all those residing there are obtaining a supply believing it to be the only remedy affording relief and effecting a certain cure. He finished his letter by asking for a large quantity of the Medicine (Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills) to supply the demands of the immunity for the relief of LaGrippe.

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Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used by millions of mothers for children teething for over fifty years, with perfect success. It relieves the little sufferer at once, produces natural quiet sleep, and freeing the child from pain, and the young cherub wakes as bright as a button. It is pleasant to taste, soothes the child softens the gums, allays pain, relieves wind, regulates the bowels, and is the best known remedy for diarrhoea, whether arising from teething or other causes 25cts

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Immigration in the United States.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—The annual report of W. D. Owen, Superintendent of Immigration, shows that 579,663 emigrants arrived in this country during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1892; 2801 came in violation of law and were returned to their homes. Of this number 1763 were contract laborers.

The distressed condition of labor throughout Europe, the report asserts, tends to increase emigration to America, and the number of landings would have been increased enormously but for the restrictive features of the law of March 3, 1891.

Satisfied With the Theory.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Dec. 3.—The final experiment of producing rain by means of concussions was concluded here yesterday. There were 12 hours of continuous bombardment, but no satisfactory results were obtained from a practical point of view, although Gen. Dyrenforth and Prof. Ellis claim that the scientific correctness of the theory has been proved.

Indicted on Three Counts.

TAUNTON, Mass., Dec. 3.—Lizzie Borden has been indicted by the grand jury on three counts.

It is understood that Miss Borden will not be immediately arraigned to plead, but that the indictments will be served on her at her quarters in Taunton jail. She was notified to-day by friends of the return of the indictments by the grand jury, and is said to have preserved the same stolid demeanor which has marked her course during the trial.

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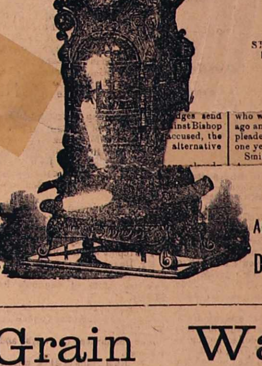

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THE DAILY ONTARIO

BELLEVILLE, SATURDAY, DEC. 3rd

CHURCH DIRECTORY

BRIDGE ST. METHODIST CHURCH Pastor—Rev. E. N. Baker, M A, B D Sunday, Dec. 4. Sermon at 11 a m and 7 p m by the pastor. Morning subject—"Members one of Another." Evening subject "Judge not."

Strangers in the city, students at Albert college, the business colleges and schools and all other visitors welcomed to these services and to Sunday school at 2:30 p.m.

TABERNACLE CHURCH—REV. D. O. Crossley, pastor. On Sunday, Dec 4th the pastor will preach both morning and evening. Morning subject, "The natural man understandeth not the things of God." In the evening, Song Sermon. Subject, "Help for troubled hearts, from scripture and song" Mrs. Caverly Nash will sing two numbers in the evening service.

All who attend these services will be made very welcome by pastor and people.

ROYAL TEMPLARS OF TEMPERANCE Belleville Council No. 297, meets every Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in Royal Templars Hall, Front street, Caldwell Block. Gospel temperance meeting Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. All are cordially invited.
BERTHA RICHARDS, Sec. W. W. CHOWN, S. C.

PROBABILITIES.

—Westerly winds, mostly fair; some local falls of sleet or rain; not much change in temperature.

TOLD IN A LINE OR TWO

City council Monday night.

Harry Lindley at the Queen's Opera House to-night.

Probate has been granted in the estate of Albert Johnson. Estate $1912.

...imply symptoms ... such as headache, losing sense of smell, foul breath, hawking and spitting, general feeling of debility, etc. If you are troubled with any of these or ... The Stirring symptoms, you have ... COLD

met last week and elected the following officers: President, treasurer and depositary, Dr G H Boulter. Vice-presidents—All the resident ministers of the village; secretary, James Currie; committee— B Bush, S V Hough, L Meiklejohn, S McGee, J S Chard, Wm Winsor, J Boldrick and H Warren.

There was a large market to-day. Hay sold for $6 to 8 per ton; potatoes, 65c to 75c; beef $4 to $4.50 per cwt; pork, $6 to $6.50; chickens, 40c to 50c; ducks, 75c per pair; turkeys, 75c to $1.00; eggs, 16c to 20c; butter, 18c to 22c; Apples, 40 to 60c.

The Weese Bros to-day received from Point Ann a limestone, weighing four tons to built into a thousand dollar monument for the grave of the late W. Coe, of Madoc. The stone was brought to the city by Dave Bradford.

At the regular meeting of Benjamin L. O. L., No. 276 last evening the following officers were elected for the ensuing term: Ald W H Gordon, W M; D T Rutledge, D M; Geo Worrell, Chap; Jas D Clarke, R S; L Moore, F S; Ald T M Clark, treas; Thos Good, D of C; Jas Worrell, Sec; H F Ketcheson, A R Dougall, Alex Elliott, Wm Johnson, Thos. Wills, committee.

Joseph Green, of Rawdon township was to-day convicted by Magistrate Flint on the criminal charge of selling twenty-five bags of rotten potatoes to W. Y. Mikel, grocer. He was fined $11 and costs. The case was decided on two English authorities, their being no Canadian authority on the subject. Ald. W. C. Mikel appeared for the prosecution and E. G. Porter for the defence. The defendent will now be civilly prosecuted for the value of the potatoes.

TOWN TALK

Deacon & Doyle carry a full line of gas fixtures, also Bray's patent burner the great saver of gas.

It will be worth your while to call and see the grand stock of stoves and ranges Deacon & Doyle have on hand.

"Rob Roy" the celebrated Scotch drama will appear in the Queen's Opera House Thursday, Dec. 7th, with Henry Walton, a former Bellevillian in the title role.

New goods just arrived at Goldsmith's fish store, Bridge street—groceries, fish, fruits, cigars, oysters, cider, candies. Refreshments and lunches at all hours.

Increasingly Prosperous

The past week has been a remarkable one at the Ontario Business College, for a period so early in the season. Within the week students entered from New Hampshire, Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, Qubec, and many sections of Ontario, Hastings and Prince Edward counties contributing a larger number than in any previous November. The additional new rooms and the additional new Bridge street entrance, will be in use next week.

THE COUNTY COUNCIL

THE LAST SESSION CHARACTERIZED BY HARMONY AND GOOD WILL

The Members say Nice Things of Each Other—Warden Cross Retiring From Public Life—James English the Coming Warden of 1893.

Jas Montgomery moved, seconded by M. Vermilyea, "That this council hereby place on record its sense of the high personal character of the late Calvin Williams, first deputy-reeve of Rawdon, and express their sincere condolence to his widow and family and that a copy of this resolution be sent to Mrs. Williams by the clerk." Carried.

The motion was spoken to by the mover, seconder and Messrs. Bateman, Kingston and Aylsworth. The speakers paid the deceased a high tribute for his integrity and worth as a public officer.

Moved by John Dench seconded by James Clare "that Mr. Hurley and Mr. Holgate be a committee to confer with the council of the city of Belleville and make such arrangements with them in the matter of market fees that will give better satisfaction in future than it has in the past to the ratepayers of this county as it is in the opinion of this council that they have exacted more than they should, and to report at the January session in 1893.—Carried.

In answer to a question in reference to the appointment of a magistrate for Deseronto, Mr. Aylsworth said that a petition had been circulated on behalf of Mr. McCullough. The speaker said that he himself, was not a candidate.

Council adjourned until 9.30 a. m. Friday.

Friday Morning Session.

James Haggerty, chairman of the gravel roads committee, submitted the following report:

1.—That the chairman sup't, and reeve of Tyendinage be authorized to settle with Chas. Long for stone used in building Bell's Creek bridge in Tyendinaga.

2.—That the superintendent pay P. F. $25 for damages sustained by the breaking down of Keler's bridge in the Township of Madoc.

3.—That the chairman and superintendent settle with Robt. McCavett for damages sustained by defective bridge in Thurlow providing the amount does not exceed $5.

4.—That the chairman, superintendent and Messrs Farley and Hurley be a committee to examine the county road through the village of Frankford as to the advisibility of changing the course of the drainage, with power to act.

5.—That no action be taken on petition to have the old Hastings road assumed as a county road in lieu of the Snow road as the municipalities interested have not complied with the act requesting such change.

6.—That the account of Billa Flint for stone used on county road be not entertained, he having been previously compensated for the labor in blasting out the stone used.

7.—That the tender of the Central Bridge Company of Peterboro for the sum of $2,326 for the erection of a steel bridge with a five foot sidewalk in the village of Tweed be accepted, and that the warden and chairman be authorized to enter into a contract with the company for the construction of the same. The village of Tweed agree to pay half the cost of side walk, being $114.

8.—That the action of the warden and chairman accepting the tender of the Central Bridge Co., for the erection of a street bridge over Deer Creek on the boundary between the Counties of Peterboro and Hastings at a cost of $868, one half to be paid by each county, be confirmed.

9.—That the county solicitor be requested to notify the city waterworks company to at once put the grade of the road leading from the city limits to the D. D. Institute in as good repair as it was before they laid their water pipes, and if necessary take action to have the same performed.

10.—That the Supt. pay P. Thumb $20 when he get certificate from the reeve of Tudor that he has moved his bridge near Millbridge off the county road, as required by the chairman and superintendent.

11.—That Geo. Henderson be paid $5 for gravel put on the north west corner of lot 25 in the first concession of Hungerford.

That the superintendent pay Wm. Baker $7.30 for 246 yards gravel used on road between Marlbank and Stoco.

That the chairman and superintendent examine the road near John McKinnon's farm in Madoc and if considered necessary to have the rock blasted out of the ditch.

That the chairman and superintendent have material for county roads banked in such places as they deem to be in the interests of the county.

The report was adopted.

Mr. Dench drew the attention of the chairman and the superintendent to the defective state of Gordon's bridge in Sidney.

Mr. Aylsworth said the bridge would be examined when the committee went to Frankford.

The committee on ways and means resumed.

The usual grant of $100 was given to the Madoc Model school.

Mr. Pearce moved, seconded by Mr. Aylsworth that the clerk send six copies of the list of lands to be sold for taxes to the treasurers of the minor municipalities.—Carried.

The committee arose and reported.

Mr. Dench moved, seconded by Mr. Martin, "that the warden do now vacate the chair and that it be occupied by Jas. English, reeve of Madoc township, pro tem."—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Dench, seconded by Mr. Martin, "that this council hereby bears cheerful testimony of the faithful, efficient and impartial manner in which his honor Thos. Cross, Esq., has presided over the deliberations of this body during the current year."

In moving the resolution Mr. Dench stated that he regretted to learn that Mr. Cross would not be a candidate next year. The speaker entered the council when Mr. Cross re-entered public life a few years ago and their association had always been of the pleasantest nature.

Mr. Martin fully endorsed all that had been said by Mr. Dench. The council of 1882 had been most successful under the regime of Warden Cross.

James Farley also referred in a few well put words to the warden's ability and worth as a public servant and sincerely regretted his retirement from municipal life.

Mr. Hurley could not express his feelings in better terms than those used by the previous speakers. The Warden had always been kind and courteous in his relation to his colleagues and during his acquaintance of twenty-four years with Mr. Cross he had always found him a gentleman.

Mr. Holgate was pleased to see how well Mr. English could look in the Warden's chair. He knew of only one other man that could fill the chair any better. (Laughter). The present year had been one of harmony which he attributed largely to Mr. Cross' genial influence which had brought together North and South Hastings.

Messrs. Pearce, McLaren, Montgomery, Vermilyea, Aylsworth and English also referred to "his honor, the warden" in complimentary terms and one and all regretted his retirement from the council.

Mr. English then put the motion which was carried by a standing vote.

Mr. Cross in resuming the chair felt that their expressions of kindness had been somewhat overdrawn. He had not found his duties hard, but rather pleasant, made so more especially by the elder heads of the council—Messrs. Vermilyea and Aylsworth. He charactised these men as the ablest and most experienced in the council, and who had given long and valuable years to the interests of the council. His reasons for retiring from municipal life was on account of the pressure of business. He regretted to leave behind so many friends, but the best of them must part.

The council then adjourned sine die.

WOMENS MISSIONARY SOCIETY

An Interesting Meeting Held in Bridge Street Church

Interest in missionary work is evidently increasing in Belleville, as the large gathering in the lecture room of Bridge St Methodist church yesterday afternoon evidenced. Mrs. Elliot, president of Bridge St. auxiliary, occupied the chair, and was ably supported by Mrs. Maybee, and Miss Wilson, presidents of the Tabernacle, and Holloway St. auxiliaries, respectively. Reports from these three auxiliaries, and from no less than eight mission bands, the whole representing nearly 300 members, were read and listened to with interest, as all noted, increased in members, money, etc., for humanity and for the extension of Christ's kingdom on the earth. Not only foreign work was reported, but by some of the bands home mission work in the hospital and among the poor of the city, was mentioned; some homes and children having been made happier by efforts of these young ladies.

A pleasing program was presented to the audience, in which a paper by Miss Swayzie, on "the responsibility of Christian women towards those of heathen lands, the need of a greater liberality on the part of Christians, and of sympathy and prayer for converts from heathenism." A concise and interesting report of the General Band, lately held in Brantford, by Mrs. Elliot, and appropriate songs by the several mission bands, were the principal features.

Some facts were stated in reference to the recent persecution of missionaries in China, that elicited strong sympathy, and a desire to help those who suffer thus for Christ's sake.

The spirit of the meeting throughout, betokened an earnest determination to "push the battle to the gates," and to help in winning the world for Jesus.

A SIDNEY WEDDING.

Miss Melissa Ketcheson and Maitland ... Sine United in Marriage

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...ful company. The frosts which had covered everything during the night began to melt off the top of the corn-sh... While the farmers are waiting for ... they stood blowing their breath through their fingers, or thrashing their ... around their body to keep up warmth circulation. Roaring mirth greeted ... late farmer as he crawled over the fe... Joke and repartee and rustic salutat... abounded. All ready, now! The ... take hold of the shock of cork and hurl ... prostrate, while the moles and mice wh... have secreted themselves there for warm ... attempt escape. The withe of straw ... unwound from the cornshock and ... stalks heavy with the wealth of grain ... rolled into two bundles between whi... the husker sits down. The husking ... is thrust in until it strikes the corn, a... then the fingers rip off the sheathing ... the ear, and there is a crack as the root ... the corn is snapped off from the husk, a... the grain disimprisoned is hurled up in ... the sunlight. The air is so tonic, the wo... is so very exhilarating, the company i... blithe, that some ...

The Marriest Girl that's Out

"Bonnie sweet Bessie, the maid o' Dundee," was, no doubt, the kind of girl to ask, "What are the wild waves saying?" or to put "a little faded flower" in your button hole, she was so full of vivacity, and beaming with robust health Every girl in the land can be just as full of life, just as well and just as merry as she, since Dr. Pierce has placed his "Favorite Perscription" within the reach of all. Young girls in their teens, passing the age of puberty, find it a great aid. Delicate, pale and sickly girls will find this a wonderful invigorator, and a sure corrective for all derangements and weaknesses incident to females.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS

The Royal Templars of Temperance Hold their Half Yearly Meeting

At a regular meeting of Belleville council No. 297 Royal Templars of Temperance, held Thursday night in their hall, Caldwell block, the semi-annual election of officers took place. The following officers being elected—Geo E Minns, select councillor; Miss Maggie McKimm, vice-coun; John T Burns, chap; Miss Bertha Richards, rec sec; Miss Nettie Yeomans, asst. rec sec; W J Magrath, fin sec; W S Clark, treas; Chas Clapp, herald; Sarah Richards, dep herald; W Hanna, guard; W B Riggs, sentinel.

MUSIC AND THE DRAMA.

Last evening saw the first representation by a professional company of King Curlett's play, "The Three Students." It might almost be considered a new drama, inasmuch as the play was produced as the author intended without the introduction of a church scene with a bitter curse, taken from Stormbeaten, and the Dundrearyisms by a lord, which were the work of the stage manager. The best scene, however, curtailed on the previous occasion, was the gem of the performance, last evening. We allude to the Students scene which was as bright and artistic a piece of work as could be devised, being full of repartee wit and admirable situations. It was one roar of laughter from beginning to end. Mr. Mackie who was to play the Irishman, in finding his part totally different had to retire from lack of time, but his place was filled admirably at short notice by Gus Livingston. Lindley, Lewis and Livingston were the students and in this scene they fairly outdid themselves, whilst the trio of giddy girls were admirably portrayed by Misses Manning, Palmer and Flint. Miss Flint also enacted Margery with her customary grace and skill. Mr. Chapman was as the "drunkard" fully up to the requirements, and Mr. Sinfield wrestled with an immense amount of verbiage to the satisfaction of the audience. In critising the play one finds that the first, second, third and last act are above the average as regards language, situation and plot, but the two other acts are dreary and lachrymore, and should be either eliminated or curtailed, which no doubt Mr. Lindley will do, as he means to produce the play elsewhere. Miss Wallace and Mr. Secord worked hard to make the best of two dreary characters, whilst H. C. MacDiarmid and Jack Dempsey, were villianous enough for their characterizations. Little Ethel was cute as Maude. The scenic effects were all there. To-night several volunteers will appear—and it is the last appearance of the Co., when the cow makes its final departure from stage life.

BIG FIRE IN PICTON

THE SKATING RINK AND BOWLING ALLEY BURNED OUT

The Loss is not Likley to be Large in View of the Heavy Insurance—The Picton Band Lose all Their Instruments

PICTON, Ont. Dec. 3rd.—(Special)—Shortly before four o'clock this morning fire broke out in the skating rink and had made such headway when discovered that it was impossible to check the fire. In a few minutes the rink, and bowling alley attached were completely enveloped in flames and were totally consumed. The rink and bowling alley is owned by the Picton rink company and during the summer is leased by the Cleveland Seed Co., to store their surplus peas. There was about 4000 bushels of peas burned. Total loss about eleven thousand dollars. Insured as follows: Skating rink, $2,500, in British American; bowling alley, $1,100 in Imperial. Cleveland & Co. had $5000 on peas in the North British and Mercantile. The 16th battalion band lost all their instruments and uniforms.

A BIG FAILURE.

Several Creditors Will Loose Heavily by the Caverly Failure.

A meeting of the creditors of Jefferson and Charles Caverly, was held in Madoc yesterday. The interests of the estate of S. B. Burdett was looked after by M. Wright, of Lazier Bros. & Wright The Caverly Bros. were not present, but through their solicitor, A. A. McDonald, they offered twenty cents on the dollar. The offer was not accepted. The liabilities of the firm are placed at $32,000 with assets $25,556, of which $19,200 is secured. E. D. O'Fylnn of Madoc and N. B. Faulkiner, of Belleville, were appointed inspectors.

The Madoc Review this week gives these further particulars of the failure:—"The announcement made in these columns last week of the assignment of Caverly Bros., (Jefferson Caverly, of Madoc, and Charles Caverly, of Rathbun), was received with a good deal of surprise. Mr. Jeff Caverly the principal, has been carrying on business as general merchant and lumberman, in the vicinity of Gilmour and Ormsby, for some years, and was generally supposed to be doing a good business The heaviest creditors are: E. D. O'Flynn, Madoc; the S. B. Burdett estate (well secured) have a claim of $3,000. There are also several Montreal creditors in small sums of from $200 to $700, besides a large sum for wages. etc.

NEARLY SUFFICATED

Hurley is Found in an Unconscious Condition at the Gas Works

John Hurley, better known as "Salter" from the fact that he was at one time a sailor, was found in the "receiver" at the gas works this morning in an unconscious state, having been overpowered with gas. It appears that he crawled into the receiver last night, which is frequently his custom on cold nights and went to sleep. He will likely recover from the effects of the gas. The victim is well known in the low end of the city where he has lived for some years. He is about forty years of age, but rarely does any work. He hangs about the gas works a good deal of his time.

A Prominent Doctor Accused of Murder

A gentleman recently made a startling accusation in the hearing of the writer. Said he "I firmly believe that Dr. —— intentionally or unintentionally, killed my wife. He pronounced her complaint—Consumption—incurable. She accepted the verdict, and—died. Yet since then I have heard of at least a dozen cases, quite as far advanced as hers, that have been cured by Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. Her life might have been saved. 'Consumption is not incurable.' Of course it is not. The "Discovery" will remove every trace of it, if taken in time and used faithfully. Consumption is a disease of the blood—a scrofulous affection—and the "Discovery" strikes at the root of the evil. For all cases of weak lungs, spitting of blood, severe lingering coughs and kindred ailments, it is a sovereign remedy.

THE TRENTON FIRE

A Lengthy Inquest Held Yesterday by the County Crown Attorney

A. A. Roberts, barrister, acting for Geo E. Henderson, Q.C., County Crown Attorney, yesterday conducted a coroner's inquest before Dr. Moran at Trenton on the remains of Mrs. Rawe who perished in the Saylor fire this week. The enquiry lasted from 2 p.m. till 11.15 p.m. and was adjourned until 2 p.m., Monday. Twelve witnesses were examined. There is a strong belief that the fire was of incendiary origin but the authorities are puzzled as to the motive. The evidence brought out threw but little light on the question.

The Excelsior Life

We would call the attention of our readers to the advertisement of the Excelsior Life Insurance Company of Toronto which appears in another column of this paper. This popular Insurance Company has lately completed its second full year in business. The result of its operations for the past twelve months cannot fail to be a pleasing surprise to the many policy holders and others interested in the company, eclipsing as it does the phenomenal record of the first year. The amount of new business written during the past twelve months as $868,750. Politics for $1,364,250 have been written up since the company commenced business, of which $1,100,750 is in force. It is also pleasing to note that the Revenue cash income has considerably more than doubled, and an astonishing fact is that although the amount of business done has been so large the death losses have only been $2,000 for the two years. The Excelsior stands foremost in features essential to success, viz, proportion of assets to liabilities; in the small cost of new business; in the low expenses of management; in the remarkably low rate of morality; and the high rate of interest earned on its investments. This company is well deserving of its full measure of public patronage. The agent for the Belleville District is Mr. J. A. Campion whose office is in the Waterworks office, opposite the post office on Bridge Street.

Popular Parties

The popular parties led by the Canadian Pacific Railway leave Toronto every Friday. The train is provided with a tourist car beautifully upholstered and is in strict charge of a competent porter, and runs through from Toronto without change. The rates are second class and the charge for double berth to Vancouver is only five dollars. Rates, tickets and information secured at S. Burrows ticket office, Front St., Belleville.

Children's Overcoats

In order to get a lot of children's overcoats at a price, a week ago, we bought a large quantity. The Oak Hall tables are again loaded down with boy's overcoats at great bargains. We do not intend to carry over these goods and have put such prices on them that they will sell at sight.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

C. E. Lyons, barrister, returned from Toronto last night where he has been engaged in the court of appeal in the case of Howard vs. Herrington.

H. A. Hodgson, of Hodgson Bros. cheese commission brokers, Montreal, was in the city to-day.

A T Harshaw, Napanee; J H Campbell, Brockville; W McInnes, Prescott; Chas F Rees, S C Durand, P H Kane, Tom Gibbard, M Rosenburg, A W Craig, Montreal; J J Jones, S H Merrick, E DeWolf, Hamilton; D H B Phillips, F M Cheeseman, Geo. E Conway, E M Kallmeyer, C J Fox, R Rogers, C M Thorn, S Robertson, J B Watson, J Hodge, R Lawrence, J Buchanan, W H Martin, W J Taylor, J H Ireland, J H Lyons. G Zrayd, Morgan Davis, Toronto; F Caron, A M Brack, Mellville, W Dawson, Kingston J H Vanderburg, Orono; D Williams, Georgetown; A McMaugh, St Catharines; Geo Tait, Buffalo, N. Y., Aorteous, Stratford; P J O'Rourke, Trenton; M J Ostrom, Peterboro; J A Weldon, Geo Leigh, J G Bottomby, London; Alf Fowell, Quebec, are at the Anglo American Hotel.

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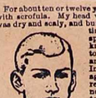

to keep the dirt from getting into the sores. After I would wash, I would be covered with big red pimples all over my neck and face. Some two or three people advised me to try the CUTICURA REMEDIES. I did try them, and am glad I have done so. Glad to say I am a well man, and in the best of health since. I cannot praise the CUTICURA REMEDIES too highly. I enclose my portrait.
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One Complete Sore

offensive to the smell and dreadful to look at. Her general health waned and she would lay in a large chair all day without any life or energy. The sores caused **great itching** and burning, so that at times we had to restrain her hands to prevent scratching. For 3 years

She Suffered Fearfully

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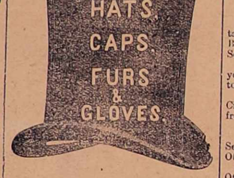

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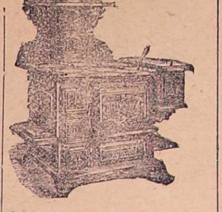

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CHRISTMAS CAKES

should be made from 3 to 4 weeks before cutting. We have a nice lot already and would advise our customers to come in and select one or more and we will put them away untill required. We will finish them up with or without Almond Icing according to order. Anyone making their own cakes and would like to have us bake them must have them in between this and the 19th of December.

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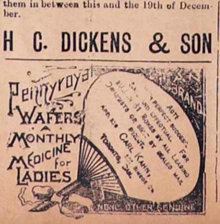

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ROTHSCHILD'S SUPPORT

IS FELT AT THE MONETARY CONFERENCE BUT LITTLE.

Delegates From the Countries in the Latin Union Favor International Free Coinage—A British Currency Association Gives Its Views.

BRUSSELS, Dec. 5.—The rejection of the Rothschild plan by the committee of the International Monetary Conference does not finally dispose of Rothschild's proposals. The minority of the committee who supported the plan are feeling their way to taking a vote of the conference on the scheme with the amendments offered in the committee that no limitation be made on the price of the proposed annual European purchase of 30,000,000 ounces of silver; that the purchases be over and above the ordinary purchases for token coinage and metal, and that the purchases be employed as money either by coinage or as a metallic basis of notes to be issued. These modifications increase the value of the plan in the eyes of the bi-metallists.

When the conference resumes its session on Tuesday Sir William Houldsworth, one of the British delegates, will bring forward further amendments to Rothschild's proposals, as the committee recommended a discussion of the plan with amendments by the full conference. The proceedings on Tuesday will probably continue on the lines of yesterday's meetings, unless the American delegates decide to ask the Conference to proceed without delay to discuss the question of international bi-metallism.

Want International Free Coinage.

It has transpired that the delegates of the countries belonging to the Latin Union voted against the Rothschild proposals on the ground that they were not able to recommend their governments to increase their stocks of silver under the limited purchase scheme, and because the countries in the Latin Union could not increase their present silver currency without international free coinage being established.

With regard to the plan of Moritz Levy, which includes the withdrawal of all gold coins under the value of 20 francs, Sir C. Freemantle, deputy master of the British mint, declared he could not promise the consent of the British Government to the withdrawal of its half-sovereign pieces.

The British and International Currency Association will send a memorial to Sir William Vernon Harcourt, Chancellor of the Exchequer, asking him to instruct the British delegates to the International Monetary Conference to entertain any reasonable proposals for establishment of an international currency.

LONDON, Dec. 3.—The leading financial papers, The London Economist and Statist, disapprove of the Rothschild scheme and recur to their prediction that the conference would not adopt anything practical. An eminent authority writes to The Statist that he advocated the Rothschild plan for the sole reason that a delay in the silver collapse in the United States would enable India and other countries to arrange their financial systems.

A PLUTOCRAT'S WEALTH.

It Was Purchased at Too High a Price for the Country.

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—The Herald editorially says:

It is said of Mr. Gould that within the limits of the family circle he was beyond the reach of criticism. But Mr. Gould was also a public man. He exercised a large influence over the careers of many who had commercial aspirations, and that influence tended to lower the moral tone of business transactions.

The example he set is a dangerous one to follow. The methods he adopted are to be avoided. His financial success, judged by the means by which it was attained, is not to be envied. His great wealth was purchased at too high a price. The respect of the community is the guinea's stamp, and all coin is counterfeit unless thus stamped. Mr. Gould's policy may be easily found. It is hidden under cover of an emphatic negative to the question, "Am I my brother's keeper?"

He played the game of life to win, and he reckoned the possible ruin of thousands as a matter with which he had no concern. In strategy he was a genius, in financial tactics he was without a peer, in utter disregard of consequences he stood alone. To those who fell under the crushing weight of the avalanche which he started he had only the old-time answer, "I am not my brother's keeper."

He has, therefore, left untold millions and an example. The millions will be inherited, but the example will be repudiated. "Go not thou and do likewise" is the lesson of a life.

The World says, editorially: But few very rich men have ever been more cynically indifferent than he to the truth that wealth has obligations. Mr. Gould could have done for New York what George Peabody did for London.

He could have emulated and far surpassed the noble service of Peter Cooper to this city. He could have done vast good in many directions. He has done nothing but to heap up money, often by dishonourable means, and leave it in trust for his children.

It is not a great career. It is not an admirable character. It is not a death that will cause any public sorrow.

Suffering In Nova Scotia.

HALIFAX, Dec. 5.—The almost entire failure of the fisheries along the western coast of Nova Scotia has even thus early in the winter occasioned a great deal of destitution.

When the fish struck in there was no bait and when bait arrived the fish had gone. As the inhabitants are dependent upon the fisheries their condition is most distressing. Unless aid is furnished by the Government great suffering must ensue.

Hippolyte's Hand at the Helm.

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—The steamer Prince Frederick Hendrick, which arrived yesterday, reports all quiet at Port au Prince. There was no danger of an outbreak, Hippolyte having everything well in hand. Business was in excellent condition.

Caused 1000 Men To Be Idle.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 5.—The South 15th-street mills of the Oliver Iron and Steel Company have closed down in all departments, throwing 1000 men out of work. The suspension of operations was a surprise to the workmen and the only explanation given was an overstocked mill and lack of orders.

Her Mission Work Ended.

CHICAGO, Dec. 5.—The W.C.T.U. National headquarters received a cablegram from Tokyo, Japan, stating that Miss Mary Allen West, who has been doing temperance work in that country for the past year, died in Tokyo Thursday.

The Dusky Diamonds.

WINNIPEG, Dec. 5.—A splendid deposit of coal has been discovered in the vicinity of Treherne.

Ocean Steamship Movements.

Date.	Name.	Reported at.	From.
Nov. 26	La Gascogne	New York	Havre
" 26	Friesland	London	New York
" 26	La Bourgogne	Southampton	New York
" 27	Furnessia	New York	Glasgow

THE SPREE IN MID-OCEAN

A PASSENGER LOST HIS WITS AND WENT OVERBOARD.

A Broken Main-Shaft Bored a Hole in the Bottom of an Atlantic Liner—The Water-Tight Bulkheads Saved the Vessel.

LONDON, Dec. 5.—The North German Lloyd steamship Spree, which left Southampton on Nov. 23 and was due in New York on Nov. 30, arrived at Queenstown yesterday in tow of the British steamship Lake Huron, which sailed from Montreal Nov. 19 for Liverpool.

The Spree's main shaft broke down on Nov. 26. Part of the machinery went through her bottom under the second cabin, which immediately filled with water. The passengers thought the vessel was going to the bottom and rushed on deck. For a time a panic prevailed. The water could be heard rushing through the hole in the bottom, and in a short time the vessel began to settle. The passengers ran about the ship in wild confusion, but when they saw that the vessel was not going to the bottom the counsels of the officers and the more cool-headed among their own number prevailed and a semblance of order was restored. Life preservers were in great request and many of the passengers kept them close at hand even when it became known that there was no immediate danger.

As soon as the accident occurred the boats' crews were piped to their stations, and everything was placed in readiness for the abandonment of the vessel should such a course be deemed necessary. The stewards busied themselves in getting provisions into the boats, and everything that prudent seamanship would dictate was done.

The Bulkheads Saved the Vessel.

It was shortly seen, however, that the watertight bulkheads were answering the purpose for which they were constructed, and that though the water was pouring into the compartment beneath the second cabin very little was getting into the other compartments. With only one compartment filled the steamer lost little of her buoyancy, and when it was stated by the officers that all danger of sinking was passed the passengers became calm.

When the accident occurred the Spree was about 1000 miles from Queenstown. The Lake Huron towed her the entire distance back. The Spree leaked so badly that it was impossible for the pumps to gain on the water, which is still 30 feet deep in the after compartment.

The shaft broke at 6.30 in the morning. at that early hour few of the passengers had arisen and when the noise made by the pounding of the broken shaft aroused them they were thrown into great alarm. Many of them rushed on deck in their night clothing, mothers clasping their babes in their arms, and a second-class passenger named named Paul Kelson was so terribly frightened that he jumped overboard and was drowned. The other passengers are all well.

DAVITT WILL RESIGN.

He Wishes to Avoid the Trial of the Petion Against Him.

LONDOO, Dec. 5.—The Parnellites were jubilant when they succeeded in having Fullam, the anti-Parnellite, who was elected to represent South Meath in Parliament, deprived of his seat and there is a prospect that they will have further cause for joy in the case of Michael Davitt, against whose return from North Meath a petition has been presented. As in the case of Mr. Fullam, clerical intimidation in favor of Mr. Davitt is charged. It is expected that the judges, after unseating Mr. Davitt, will report Bishop Nulty of Meath and several priests of that diocese to Parliament as guilty of intimidation.

It has been stated that Mr. Davitt desires to resign his seat and to stand again for election without priestly assistance, but under the charge of undue clerical influence he would not be allowed to accept the Chiltern Hundreds.

Should the election petition judges send to Parliament a presentment against Bishop Nulty and the priests who are accused, the Irish executive would have no alternative but to prosecute them.

The Irish Catholic Bishops have already decided to convene a meeting to discuss the situation as bearing on future political manifestoes which it is likely will be more carefully worded than those heretofore issued by bishops.

The Worcestershire election petition has been rejected with costs against the petitioners, who are Liberals.

THE SEAL QUESTION.

The Arbitration Tribunal Will Meet in Paris in February.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.—It is ascertained at the State Department that the Behring Sea Arbitration Tribunal will hold its first meeting in Paris on Feb. 23 next.

By the terms of the treaty the case of each Government was delivered Sept. 1 last and the counter-cases on each side should have been delivered Dec. 1, but taking advantage of a provision of the treaty to that effect the British Government asked for an extension of time of 60 days, which postponed the time for the delivery of the counter cases to Feb. 3, and the meeting of the Tribunal of Arbitration to Feb. 23 next.

Very Fresh Students.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec. 5.—The celebration of Yale freshmen Saturday was carried to extremes. Besides breaking up a play at the Opera House they broke into a dime museum and played havoc with the proprietor's chattels.

Four of the party were arrested. The Yale faculty will investigate the matter and a number of expulsions are inevitable.

Ben Is To Settle the Trouble.

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—The steamer Vigilancia arrived here yesterday from Brazilian ports and brought three of the Brazilian commissioners to serve in the settlement of the Missions boundary case, which, by agreement between the Brazilian Government and the Argentine Republic, is to be left to the decision of President Harrison.

Unusual courtesies were extended to the commissioners by the customs inspectors under orders from the Treasury Department.

Another Express Man Gone.

TROY, N.Y., Dec. 5.—Captain E. H. Virgil, who established the National Express, died here yesterday. He was born in 1808.

The captain was one of the originators of the British and American Express Company operated in Canada.

That Ship Canal.

DULUTH, Dec. 5.—Secretary Thompson of the Chamber of Commerce has prepared a letter calling for a convention to consider the construction of a ship canal through American territory from the great lakes to the Hudson River, and thus to the sea.

Dividing Up Dahomey.

PARIS, Nov. 26.—Gen. Dodds, commanding the French forces in Dahomey, advises that Dahomey be divided into three territories, to be under the rulership of native chiefs controlled by a French resident as

GAMBLING STOPPE

Montreal Has Closed the Back a Determined Way

MONTREAL, Dec. 5.—The tu sion room, 201 St. James str which so much has been said an is closed. The Gazette say the law failed to do Montreal public have successfully accompl very few months. The p gambler has been sucked dry, wealth he possessed has passed pockets of those Canadian "su whose verdancy he confidently ex find a bonanza.

The pool-room, once thronged w ing men and reeking with tobac is cold and empty.

Its glory has departed. The public has proved too much for e successive syndicates who have to operate it, and now the place v vacant and deserted until some n zation can be tempted to buck th

When its first owner, Mr. J. C New York, found that the Mo of his poolroom circuit was a lo cern he sold out to a syndicat gamblers. As each of these su dropped what money he had an fresh partners were taken in, u in the last few months over 10 have invested their "stuff" and the rooms. Gradually the "ta came afraid of the place. all of the original syndic dropped out one by one until a betting man, who formerly operat farther down in St. James-street, saloonkeeper, and a French-Canadi became the leading spirits. Bett became afraid of their chances of what they won. There was a rus tickets and the syndicate had to their horns. Large bets were refus sporting man who desired to lay had his bet declined; and it was that the end was not far off. struggled along until Thursday the Guttenburg races being po they played the Gloucester instead. Unfortunately, the public had got these races down and the room was hit right and le result was that on Friday the ro closed. Whether it will open not is a question. It is rumor some Toronto sporting men hav persuaded to take hold of it; bu doubtful if any syndicate with onl thousand dollars to lose can make where Jimmy Gleason with all hi and experience proved a failure. open again it will not likely last lo thus, fortunately one moral p'ag that the law could not touch wil b eradicated from our fair city of M

GRAND TRUNK RUMORS

It Is Said That Two High Officials Asked to Resign.

STRATFORD, Ont., Dec. 5.—The and most startling rumor since th Trunk's policy of retrenchment h put into force gained currency Satur was to the effect that General M Seargeant and Mechanical Superin Wallis had been asked to resign. said a private message to that eff gone over the G.T.R. wires, but enquiry failed to confirm the Everyone of course had heard the but that was all. Mr. Wallis is at in Chicago attending a convent mechanical superintendents.

The rumor did not stay at having Seargeant and Wallis asked to resi General Manager W.J. Spicer and M cal Superintendent H. Roberts Chicago and Grand Trunk were na successors, the entire system from C to Portland being placed under t management by the rumor. G Manager Spicer of the Chicago and Trunk has just returned from th Country, and his private car went to treal the other day to meet him. two occurrences are looked upon haps significant.

HE IS AN ARCHITECT.

An Omaha Embezzler Sent to Penite For a Year.

OMAHA, Neb., Dec. 5.—Sidney who was arrested in Toronto three m ago and brought back to Omaha for fo pleaded guilty and was sentenc one year in the penitentiary.

Smith was formerly president o Association of Architects.

Smith was arrested by Detective Grath in King-street on Oct 31. He living at 172 Mutual-street under the of Henry Thomas. He had not been ing while in Toronto, but had called number of architects as he was an arc himself. He expressed a willingn not anxiety, to go back to Omaha after he had left, it was learned that h married a young woman here, despi fact that he had a wife living in O Rev. Mr. Smith of the Metropolitan formed the ceremony. The Toronto met him in a boarding house in which were living. She is now living with fr in Oakville.

WANTED TO DIE.

An Immigrant Woman Refuses Because She Is Not Allowed Remain in the United States.

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—At the immi station on Ellis Island is a pale-f hump-backed woman, who seems bent starving herself to death. She is Chri Schoefferberger and 48 years old.

She arrived last Wednesday, and then has steadfastly refused to take food. She said, "There is no more for me in this world, and I might as die now as I must die going back over ocean."

She is to be sent back on Tuesday on steamer Westernland, by order of Weber. She came here with her Knupper, to act as his housekeeper. man was allowed to land, but she barred.

A Plain Funeral for Gould.

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—It was dec Saturday to have the funeral services of Gould at the house this afternoon 4 o'clock. There will be no pallbearers no addresses. After the service the fri of the family will have an opportunity view the body in the front parlor on 47th-street side. The casket has been pared. It is of plain oak, covered w black broadcloth, and having oxyd silver handles and an oxydized silver pl A number of telegrams of condolence h been received by the family.

Captured the Desperadoes.

GRAND FALLS, Mont., Dec. 5.—Four the desperadoes who held up the Gr Northern train Tuesday near Malta w captured yesterday. They are Alexan Black, Henry Bass, W. C. Hunt and W. Baugh.

An Important Position.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.—Monsignor S tolli, the papal delegate, has been empow ed by the Pope to decide without app all religious questions between bishops a priests in the United States.

Fruits of Gambling.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Nov. 28.—Charl Platt, editor of The Leader, was killed Gainesville by S. Strangefellow in a gam bling dispute. Platt was a leading yo journalist and his murderer is highly nected.

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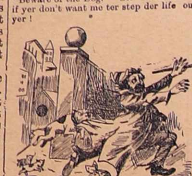
The ONTARIO has the Largest bona-fide Circulation of any Paper in the Midland District.

NOT SUCH A GOOD JOKE.

Greasy Pippin.—Well, what cheek! "Beware of the Dog." Git outen de road if yer don't want me ter step der life outen yer!



Chorus of Pups.—Do him, Mama! do him!

Yellow Flowers In High Favor.

"Yellow! Yes, yellow as virgin gold! That is the accepted color and will be the rage this fall," said an up-town florist to me yesterday. "If eras were marked by colors this would, indeed, be the golden era in floriculture. A yellow chrysanthemum is the flower by long odds most in favor and will be the reigning favorite throughout the season. They fetch double the price of any other shade of the same flower, and so great is the demand for them that it is impossible to obtain enough to supply it.

"They are used for corsage and hand bouquets. Nothing is handsomer than a bunch of these golden beauties worn at the corsage of an ivory white evening dress, and a bunch of them, with the long stems tied with a wide Spanish yellow ribbon with long ends, is just the thing to set off a white or black dress.

Yellow roses are also much in favor, but they pale their ineffectual fires when compared with rich shades of the chrysanthemum. A young swell thinks himself in high feather when he can get a big yellow chrysanthemum to wear for a boutonniere. From $2 to $5 is nothing for some men about town to pay for a beautifully tasseled and perfectly filled out chrysanthemum.

"The rich, deep yellow single and double marigolds are also much in favor, but they lack grace on account of their stiff stems and do not make such effective decorations on that account. It is greatly to be regretted that our national flower the golden rod, is short-lived, for it is the most graceful of flowers and wherever used as a decoration is without pier.—New York Herald.

Some Turkish Proverbs.

Sit down crooked if you like, but talk straight.

It is not by saying "Honey, honey," that sweetness comes into the mouth.

The dog barks, but the caravan passes.

Do not consider the whiteness of the turban; the soap was, perhaps obtained on credit.

A neglected cough brings on consumption—the most fatal and prevalent of all physical ills that flesh is heir to. To check the malady in its early stage, before the deadly turbercles develop themselves in the lungs use Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil which also annihilates bronchitis asthma, catarrh, piles, kidney troubles, and soreness of the muscles and ...

That unrivalled cough mixture "Magnus-Expectorant" has been in the mark only a short time, but it has become the greatest favorite with the people, and is doing more good than anything else of its class. Only 25cts a bottle at any drug store in town.

How Mr. W. D. Wentz of Geneva, N.Y was cured of the severest form of dyspepsia He says everything he ate seemed like pouring melted lead into his stomache. Hood's Sarsaparilla effected a perfect cure. Full particulars will be sent if you write C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell Mass.

Found Out

It takes a little persuasion sometime come to a right conclusion, but when we do, we known what's the right thing th... ; as for example: 108 King St. West, Toronto, Ont., "I was persuaded through a friend of mine, to try some St. Jacob's Oil on an old running sore on my father's leg, and have found it a splendid medicine. It is wonderful how it healed up his leg." A. D. Tingley.

A Minister's Opinion.

In a few words, and to the point, the Rev. T. G. Hawkins, pastor Baptist church, Fuersville, Mo., U. S. A., expresses himself. February 7, 1890: "St. Jacob's Oil is without a peer for pains, bruises, aches, etc."

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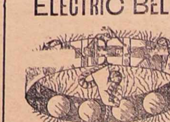

cures without medicine, LAME BACK, RHEUMATISM, SCIATIC, NEURALGIA, INDIGESTION, KIDNEY and LIVER TROUBLES, SPINAL and HEART WEAKNESSES, FEMALE COMPLAINTS, SEMINAL WEAKNESSES, IMPOTENCY, VARICOCELE and and all muscular and Nervous Diseases. The Dorenwend Appliance "The World's Best", they are the result of a careful study, acute observation and inventive genius, and being the very latest they combine all the advantages to make electrical treatment a success. They produce a continuous current without shocks, and cure when it is possible to cure by electricity. Do not be gulled by concerns who say that everything but theirs is a fraud or an imitation. If you are seeking a reliable electrical appliance deal only with reliable makers. The Dorenwend belt is the only one in the country made by the original inventor. Drop line for book and testimonials. THE DORENWEND E. B. and A. Co.

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Ache they would be almost priceless to those who suffer from this distressing complaint; but fortunately their goodness does not end here, and those who once try them will find these little pills valuable in so many ways that they will not be willing to do without them. But after all sick head

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Bill Bass war arrested this afternoon by Sergt. McCrudden for drunkenness. He had to be taken to the cells in a truck.

What She Said

Mrs. R. Peck, 15th street, New York City, visited Canada year, and had the good fortune to pick up something which not only suited her, but her neighbors also. Writing the manufacture of Nerviline she says:—"I bought three bottles of Nerviline while in Canada and treated my neighbors to some of it, and all think it the best medicine for internal or external pain they have ever used." Nerviline deserves such commendation, for it is a most powerful, penetrating, and certain remedy for pain of all kinds. Take no substitute

A Cure For Constipation and Headache

Dr. Silas Lane while in the Rocky Mountains discovered a root that when combined with other herbs makes an easy and certain cure for constipation. It is in the form of dry roots and leaves, and is known as Lane's Family Medicine. It will cure sick headache in one night, For the blood, liver and kidneys, and for clearing up the complexion it does wonders. Druggists sell it at 50 cents a package.

The Wild Cherry combined with Milburn's Cod Liver Oil Emulsion makes it delicious in taste and perfect in curative power.

As an after dinner pill, to strengthen the stomach, assist digestion, and correct all bilious tendencies, Ayer's pills are considered the best. Being sugar coated, they are as agreeable as any confection, and may be taken by the most delicate.

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The Dr. Butler Med. Co., Brockville.

Gentlemen.—I was troubled with corn for ten years and tried all the remedies advertised. None removed them a speedily and painlessly as "Cooper Lightning Corn Cure" procured from ... Wold not be without it. It is worth its weight in gold.

Yours truly,
T. BETUNE,
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Have you Thought of it

For four thousand years or more the world groaned, suffered and fumed about its corns, for their was no positive relief—no certain and painless cure until Dr. Scott Putman gave to the world his great Corn Extractor. If there is suffering now it is a result of carelessness, for the remedy is at hand. Try Putman's Corn Extractor. It is sure painless, and prompt. Beware of substitutes. N. C. Polson & Co. proprieters, Kingston.

Cured Female Weakness

Mr. Hugh Caldwell, Clydesdale, Ont, writes:—"My daughter was under the care of doctors for more than a year for female weakness, without getting relief. I then procured Pink Pills and they cured her." All dealers 50 cents a box or 6 boxes for 2.60, or mailed on receipt of price. Dr. Williams' Med. Co.. Brockville, Ont., and Schenectady, N. Y.

It you have a cough or cold do not neglect it; many without a trace of that hereditary disease have drifted into a consumptive grave by neglecting what was on a slight cold. Had the used Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup before it was too late their lives would have been spared. Mr. A. W. Levy Mitchell, writes. "I think Bickel's Anti-Consumptive Syrup the best preparation on the market for coughs and severe colds. About six years ago I caught a severe cold which settled on my lungs, and for three months I had a cought. I had a physician attending me, but gradually grew worse until I was on the verge of Consumption, and had given up hopes of being cured, when I was induced to try Bickel's Syrup. Before I had taken one bottle I found myself greatly relieved, and by the time I had finished the second was completely cured. I always rec... for severe colds and consumption

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How to save money is a problem that interests everybody. One way to do it is to invigorate the system with Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Being a highly concentrated blood medicine, it is the most powerful and economical It is sold for a dollar a bottle, but worth five.

If you are suffering from piles, of any description, DON'T pray for death until you have tried Magic Pile Lotion. If that does not cure you then go ahead with your prayers for nothing else will be of any use to you.

Probate has been granted in the estate of Albert Johnson. Estate $1912.

DOWN WITH CIVIL WAR.

THREE POWERFUL NATIONS JUMP ON SAMOA.

Local Differences Over Racial Opposition For Business In Hawaii Must No Longer Cause Civil Wars—Order Must be Restored.

LONDON, Dec. 5.—The Berlin correspondent of The Daily News has learned that the Governments of England, Germany and the United States have agreed to common action to restore order in Samoa.

Murderer Neill's Will.

LONDON, Dec. 5.—It is known that Thomas Neill made a will disposing of his property, but the question arises, is it valid? Discussing this point The Law Journal seems to think that the act by which the crown may appoint administrators of the possessions of any convict does not cover the case of a convict on whom the capital sentence has been carried out.

The crown may, therefore, so far interfere as to pay through its administrators the cost of the dead convict's prosecution out of his property, defray his debts and pay compensation to persons injured by his criminal acts.

FOREIGN BUSINESS.

The Trade of France Has Not Been Flourishing for a Long Time.

LONDON, Dec. 5.—Latest discount quotations yesterday were 2 for three months and 1½ for short. Rates were firm at the beginning of the week, but relapsed largely owing to banks repaying some loans to the market.

Business on the stock exchange was fairly active. The leading feature was a heavy drop in South American securities. British, Colonial and Indian funds were slightly higher.

In European stocks little business was transacted. English railways advanced slightly. The unusual efflux of gold from America had a depressing effect on American railways, but there was a partial recovery in the death of Jay Gould.

The week's variations include an increase in Louisville and Nashville of 1½, and the following decreases: New York, Pennsylvania & Ohio, 3; Wabash mortgage, Missouri & Kansas and Lake Shore, 1 each. Atcheson mortgage, Northern Pacific preferred and Ohio and Mississippi ½ each; Atchison shares, Norfolk and Western preferred and Union Pacific ½ each. Grand Trunks were in better favor, first and second preference closed 3 higher and do. guaranteed 2 higher.

France's Difficulties.

PARIS, Dec. 5.—Prices on the bourse opened higher, but declined owing to the ministerial crisis. The tone was rather better yesterday. Rentes withstood the prevailing depression better than was expected. Investors still hold aloof. Men competent to judge are of the opinion that a continuance of the recent violent changes of Government will have a serious effect upon the trade of France, which has not been in a flourishing condition for a long time.

Unless the outlook improves soon, failures in many quarters are inevitable. International funds showed a slight upward movement.

Credit Foncier closed 26 1-4 lower owing to criticisms in the chamber shaking the confidence of shareholders. Suez Canal was slightly higher. Rio Tinto closed at 410. Railways show an average decline of 10 francs.

Foreign Securities Firm.

BERLIN, Dec. 5.—Prices on the boerse during the past week were firm, especially in the case of foreign securities, and the movements were only fractional. Iron and coal shares were dull. The final quotations included: Prussian fours, 107; Austrian credit, 167.75; Deutsche bank, 158.90; private discount, 2⅜.

A Steady Gait.

FRANKFORT, Dec. 5.—Prices were steady on the boerse during the past week. International funds were quiet, Hungarian gold rentes closed at 96, Austrian credit at 267 and Austrian gold rentes at 98.

A HARD TASK.

Making a French Cabinet Staggers the Genius of Leaders.

PARIS, Dec. 5.—M. Perier, who was summoned Saturday by President Carnot to form a Cabinet, after M. Brisson had abandoned the undertaking, has also given up the task, finding it impossible to get the men he wanted to accept the portfolios he offered them.

M. Constans has written a letter to the President of the Panama Canal Investigation Committee denying the statements made by a witness before the committee that he (Constans) brought papers relating to the Panama Company.

M. Bonaparte Wyse, a well-known French Engineer who negotiated the new Colombian concession to the Panama Canal Company, died at Cannes yesterday.

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Those who have not used Boschee's German Syrup for some severe and chronic trouble of the Throat and Lungs can hardly appreciate what a truly wonderful medicine it is. The delicious sensations of healing, easing, clearing, strength-gathering and recovering are unknown joys. For German Syrup we do not ask easy cases. Sugar and water may smooth a throat or stop a tickling—for a while. This is as far as the ordinary cough medicine goes. Boschee's German Syrup is a discovery, a great Throat and Lung Specialty. Where for years there have been sensitiveness, pain, coughing, spitting, hemorrhage, voice failure, weakness, slipping down hill, where doctors and medicine and advice have been swallowed and followed to the gulf of despair, where there is the sickening conviction that all is over and the end is inevitable, there we place German Syrup. It cures. You are a live man yet if you take it.

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"Save who can!" was the frantic cry of Napoleon to his army at Waterloo Save health and strength while you can by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. is advice that applies to all, both young and old. Don't wait until disease fastens on you; begin at once.

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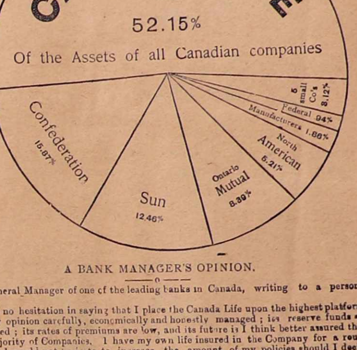

A BANK MANAGER'S OPINION.

The General Manager of one of the leading banks in Canada, writing to a personal friend says:

"I have no hesitation in saying that I place the Canada Life upon the highest platform. "It is in my opinion carefully, economically and honestly managed; its reserve funds are "well invested; its rates of premiums are low, and its future is I think better assured than "a great majority of Companies. I have my own life insured in the Company for a round "amount, and would not hesitate to increase the amount of my policies should I decide "upon taking out further insurance.

A GOVERNMENT INSURANCE ACTUARY'S OPINION

ON THE RELATION BETWEEN ORDINARY AND TONTINE SURPLUS.

It is frequently asserted by Companies whose business is nearly all Tontined, that although the Canada Life may and does pay large ordinary profits, yet it cannot compare so favorably on a long term distribution or tontine period, and that in the end better results can be obtained on a Tontine policy in the Canada Life. To prove the absurdity of this statement, the following piece of common sense is quoted from Mervin Tabor, late Actuary of the Illinois Government Insurance Department. In his well known book "The Three Systems of Life Insurance" he says: "A company that gives large dividends on the ordinary kinds of policies, can give much larger on the same kinds when Tontined, and a company that pays but meagre dividends on the usual forms, adopting perhaps the Tontine system to "cover up" its small surpluses, cannot be relied on for large returns of surplus under the Tontine Forms of Insurance."

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PALE AND SALLOW GIRLS

should take these Pills. They enrich the blood, restore health's roses to the cheeks and correct all irregularities.

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A FATAL JUMP.

A Young Commercial Traveler Killed at Hamilton.

HAMILTON, Dec. 5.—The first fatal accident which has occurred on the Grand Trunk Railway in the vicinity of this station happened Saturday. Henry Melzar, a young man who has been in this city a week, meeting his death in trying to board a moving train. Melzar is a commercial traveler, his line of business being with the shoe trade. He arrived here on Saturday, Nov. 26, just one week ago to-day, and registered at the Royal Hotel.

Saturday he started for the station to board the 9.25 train for the west. As he got to the platform the train started. The platform was slippery after the night's rain and frost, but Melzar made a special run, and after passing one car attempted to get upon the third—the car behind the smoker. He had a regular traveler's valise in his right hand, and with this hand he caught the hind hand rail, and at the same time, carrying at the front end of the valise with his left hand he jumped for the step. It was a fatal leap. He missed the step and, still holding and having an object, he was swung around backwards between the two cars and fell.

The wheels of the car did not go over him, but he was terribly crushed diagonally across the stomach by being squeezed between the truck frame and the road bed. His left arm was broken in three or four places and his head was bruised, but not broken in any one place. Deceased was a well-built, handsome and steady young man of about 24 years of age. He has no relatives here, and as far as is known this was his first business trip to this city.

The body was removed to Bloor's undertaking establishment, where it was identified by Mr. Hood. Deceased had left instructions at the hotel to have his mail forwarded to Eler P. Melzar, No. 628 Ridge-avenue, Evanston, Ill. A telegraphic message was at once sent to the address, carrying the terrible news. In his valise was found an envelope, judged from a note across the front of it, to contain papers. It was addressed to Mrs. Henry G. Trickey, 34 Monadnock-street, Dorchester district, Boston, Mass. In the note on the face of the envelope was a reference to "Gertie," evidently a young girl and a relative. A portion of an envelope was also found, on the corner of which was the business address of the American Shoe Tip Company, Boston.

THE FISCAL POLICY.

A General Convention to Be Held in Montreal in January.

MONTREAL, Dec. 5.—At a meeting of the members of the Club National held Saturday evening notice was given that at the next meeting a motion will be made to call a general convention of all the municipal, political, university, labor and other organizations in the Dominion, to be held in Montreal in the course of January next, to discuss the opportunity of adopting some means to change the political and economical condition of the country. The question will be fully discussed at the next meeting of the club. The movers and seconders base their motion on the fact of serious dissatisfaction manifested in different parts of the country with the present regime.

A Small Boy Accidentally Shoots Himself.

HAMILTON, Dec. 5.—A terrible accident occured early Saturday to a little boy named George Humphreys, son of Mr. Joseph Humphreys, who resides at 219 Picton-street east. The little fellow, who is only 5 or 6 years old, was playing with a loaded gun belonging to his father, and the weapon went off, the charge lodging in the lad's left thigh. An awful wound was the result, the gun being heavily loaded with buck shot. Some little time elapsed before medical aid could be procured, Dr. White was called through the telephone, but was not at his surgery. Subsequently he saw the injured boy, and it is feared that the injuries will prove fatal.

QUEBEC'S PREMIER.

Mr. Taillon May Be Asked to Form a Ministry for That Province.

MONTREAL, Dec. 5.—The provincial crisis consequent upon De Boucherville's resignation was fully discussed at a meeting of Conservatives here Saturday, and it was decided, in the event of Mr. De Boucherville's resignation being accepted, to appoint Mr. Taillon leader.

It is understood that Mr. Taillon will be asked to form a Ministry.

Leading Conservatives express the opinion that Mr. De Boucherville's resignation will strengthen the Government.

A BLOCK CREMATED.

Four Simcoe Business Men Suffering from the Fire Fiend.

SIMCOE, Ont., Dec. 5.—A serious fire occurred here yesterday about 4 o'clock, by which Perry's block was totally consumed. The losses are:

G. R. Perry, art gallery and building, $20,000, insurance $14,200; J. S. Collins, gents' furnishings, stock $5000, insurance $2000; O. Hendry, drygoods, stock badly damaged by water, insured for $5000; A. W. Smith, dentist, loss on furniture $200; Board of Trade rooms, total loss.

Suicide of a Jockey.

COLUMBUS, Ga., Dec. 5.—Bob Maynard, the well-known jockey, committed suicide here Saturday morning by shooting himself through the heart. Tom Grimes, one of Maynard's friends, was reading a letter to him at the time concerning some property he had sold in Southwest Georgia. No cause for suicide is known. Maynard's body will leave for Atlanta by the 3.45 train to-day.

Robbed the Poor Boxes.

KINGSTON, Dec 5.—Burglars resumed work Saturday. McDonald's music store suffered to the extent of about $100 and the poor boxes in St. Mary's Cathedral were broken open and robbed of their contents. No arrests made.

Charged With Incest.

ROCKWOOD, Ont., Dec. 5.—John Carter, the constable, was arrested yesterday on a charge of incest, laid by his eldest daughter Sarah. He was tried by Squire Grange and sent up to stand his trial. Acting Constable Soper conducted him to Guelph jail.

He Bled to Death.

KINGSTON, Dec. 5.—James Kerr, while engaged in doing chores for James Stanton, Clear Lake, fell and broke an artery in his leg, bleeding to death before medical aid could be summoned.

A Royal Pass.

WINNIPEG, Dec. 5.—C. K. Royal, son of the Lieutenant-Governor of the Northwest, was yesterday admitted to the bar of Manitoba. He is the first French-Canadian lawyer to pass the course in this province.

A Sprinter Suicides.

SPOKANE, Wis., Dec. 5.—H. H. O'Dell, at one time the champion sprinter of America, committed suicide Saturday.

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All across the Provinces the rapid crease of La Grippe, is causing great alarm. A report was received here to-day, of a new development o the disease, which is worse, perhaps than any other. Wm. Hanley of N. Y. City, died in terrible agony after sickness of only four days. His tongue swelled to such an extent as to make it impossible for his to close his jaws o. swallow any food. The report is causing the people in this district to fear a visit the noted Grippe, recently referred to in so many papers. In Cape Breton the disease has pread very rapidly and with fatal results, D. J. Kilup of L'Ardoise was taken Feb. 11th that this cure has been tried in his neighborhood and with such success that all those residing there are obtaining a supply believing it to be the only remedy affording relief and effecting a certain cure. He finished his letter by making for a large quantity of the Medicine (Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills) to supply the demands of the community for the relief of LaGrippe.

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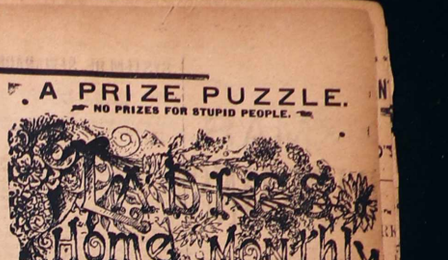

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A LETTER.

[MONTREAL, Nov. 26, 1892.

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Rev. Mr. Hudgins preaceed in the Rossmore Methodist church yesterday morning.

Two boys, named Cummings and Dunn had a narrow escape from drowning yesterday while skating on the bay. Both were rescued after serious difficulty. This should be a warning to other venturesome boys.

Read the advertisement headed, "A Telegram."

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Mr Well Cole, who has been for a number of years a trusted employee of A. Knox, grocer, leaves for New York this week where he will locate.

Miss Maude Wilson, South John street, who has been dangerously ill for the past few weeks, is recovering.

Mr. Henry E. Walton, well known in Belleville, is with the "Rob Roy" Co'y.

The new hose cart and appliances were given a trial this afternoon and proved to work very successful.

Judge Fralick is holding Division court at Bancroft. He is accompanied by C. E. Lyons. They will return on Thursday.

Harry Lindley, the well-known showman is issuing an anto- biography. It will be ready for distribution shortly.

CONFIRMATION SERVICES.

Held Yesterday in St Thomas and St John's Church

Yesterday morning Rev. Arthur Sweatman, Bishop of Toronto, ably assisted by Rev. Canon Burke and Rev. F. C. Powell, held confirmation services in St. Thomas church. Owing to illness, the Bishop of Ontario was unable to attend. The church was handsomely decorated for the occasion and there was a large congregation present. The holy rite of confirmation was administered to 14 females and 15 males. The former were dressed in white with white veiling and looked very pretty. The address by the bishop was very impressive and instructive and was listened to with rapt attention by those present. He spoke of the duty devolving upon them as Christians and hoped they would always remember that duty when occasion required

In the evening the Bishop held confirmation services in St John's. That pretty little church could not have looked more handsome with its beautiful decorations of white. A large cross of white crysanthemums adorned the altar. The church was crowded beyond its capacity. The Bishop was assisted by the Rev. D. F. Bogart, who had spent much labor in fitting the candidates for confirmation. The singing was very beautiful and appropriate and rendered by a full choral choir. There were 7 males and 16 females who received the holy rite and the Bishop's address was very impressive. The Bishop left for Toronto to-day.

TOWN TALK

"Rob Roy" the celebrated Scotch drama will appear in the Queen's Opera House Thursday, Dec. 7th, with Henry Walton, a former Bellevillian in the title role.

New goods just arrived at Goldsmith's fish store, Bridge street—groceries, fish, fruits, cigars, oysters, cider, candies, Refreshments and lunches at all hours.

You will save money by getting your stoves and ranges from Deacon & Doyle

Deacon & Doyle carry a full line of gas fixtures, also Bray's patent burner the great saver of gas.

It will be worth your while to call and see the grand stock of stoves and ranges Deacon & Doyle have on hand.

F. A. Abraham, issuer of marriage licenses at the ONTARIO Office.

Police Court Items

The door of a business house was found open by the police last evening.

The assault case of Burgoyne vs. Burgoyne has been further enlarged.

The case of Geo. Cummings vs. John Keeholer for obtaining a sideboard under false pretenses has been settled by the deft. paying the costs.

A rig driven by Samuel Bowen, of Ross Corners, ran into a carter named Bolyea, on Saturday evening, on Front St. damaging the carters vehicle to a considerable extent. He paid the damages to Bolyea but will be called to appear at the police court to answer the charge of immoderate driving.

SYSTEM OF SEWARAGE

A WELL KNOWN ENGINEER'S VIEWS ON THE SUBJECT

The Letter to be Read at the City Council To-Night—The Estimated Cost will be $160,000

In conformity with the resolution adopted by you—copy of which I have received —I map out for your honorable body the features necessary for the collection of the city's sewerage, and methods of disposal of same, herewith unfolding as follows: Preliminary thereto, I state that the sewers which have present existence, though they will undoubtedly be considered when construction works are actually proposed, require no special mention in this report. The topography of east and west Belleville is of that character which eminently conduces to easy drainage, but on account of the substructure it would be more costly than ordinary; the natural drainage is to the Moira river, therefore, downfall and latual drains on both sides of the river are easy to line, but judgment must be used as to capacity, and proper calculations be entered upon prior to construction. To this end a map of the city is requisite, upon which should be marked the sizes of main and downfall sewers, the points of connection and sizes of lateral drains, all to be in keeping with requirements of the population they are destined to serve. This should be looked upon as an essential in any scheme of drainage, for, by thus preparing the haphazzard, in congenous works indulged in by other cities can be avoided.

Such precautions being taken the main works should be first constructed, the necessary downfall sewers branching therefrom, constructed at such time as circumstances permit, for which connection provision should be made, as well as, those immediately undertaken and for lateral drainage thereto, man holes, tupped culverts and overflows for excessive collections must receive consideration in any matured scheme. Before speaking of removal mains, it becomes necessary to direct your attention to methods of disposal; in this matter the Ontario government has directed that the Provincial Board of Health be consulted as to drainage schemes for cities and towns, and that plans for such purpose be submitted for their approval before construction works are entered upon. At present your honorable body desires to ascertain a practical method, with view to the carrying out of same at a future time, submission therefore of a copy of this report, should it meet your approval, may be all sufficient for their purpose, and let us hope their sanction and commendation.

Diverse opinions exist in all countries where sanitation is considered of moment to the health of the inhabitants, as to the best method of disposal of sewage accumulations. Sewage companies without number have been formed, each having special methods of treatment, and each being according to their promoter the best and most effective, be that treatment one of simple pucipitation, or precipation, with after filtration of the resultant effluent, with disposal of the sludge by cumation, or, by use upon farm land, either in a semi-liquid state, or, as a prepared dry manure. This advocacy is into comparison results to treatment of the extended cnde sewage, whether it be by polarization, electrolysis, carbon, sulphate of tin, sulphuric acid, lime, sulphate of alumina, phosphoric acid, or, combinations of the above and other methods too numerous to recite, but, all having the one object in view, deprivation of the cinde sewage of its solids and suspended matter, in so far as possible. This attainable object is largely accomplished by any of the systems, but by none to a greater extent than by simple deposition. While favoring the mechanical treatment of sewage by cities or towns in environed positions, or, where discharge into water would prove a grievance, I distinctly affirm that, where water carriage is obtainable without disadvantage of a serious nature, such should be taken advantage of for removal.

In this opinion I am supported by no less an authority than Baldwin Latham, the great English engineer and sanitarian, as well as many other eminent men. A scientific commission appointed by the city of Chicago U. S., made the tour of Europe, and the British Isles, for the purpose of inquiry into the methods in use, and in an exhaustive report, affirmed that water, wher obtainable, was the proper receptacle of sewage, especially so, if that water had a distinct course or line to follow, consequently we find that Chicago has commenced works to give outflow to their sewage, by connection of Chicago river with the Desplaines, thence to the Illinois, and by that river to the Mississippi, ultimately to reach the Gulf of Mexico, and at an estimated cost of $40,000,000. This seemingly extraneous matter is putment to our subject, and, it is necessary, that the position may be so placed before you that due consideration being given to all its features, sound conclusions can be arrived at prior to the entrance upon construction works.

How then is the city of Belleville situated in respect of water carriage as a disposing medium? The Bay of Quinte is a fine example of a fresh water estuary. At its head we find the Trent river discharging its accumulations—gathered in its course for more than a hundred miles—a quantity sufficient to renew the water of the bay from Trenton to Belleville approximately carry thirty days in combination with the creeks lying between, while at a most convenient point the Moira adds its quota, safely stated at an average of 10,000,000, cubic ft daily, the whole waters wending their way onward through bay, lake, and St, Lawrence river to the ocean.

It becomes self evident that, the water of the bay in front of the city, is daily and constantly being pushed forward by the inflow of waters embouchering thereinto. It is thus seen that the situation is one eminently fitted for the purpose of sewage removal if discharged therein. A further and important feature in connection therewith will be revealed in its proper place.

We now lay before you our line of construction works. Belleville proper (east) should have an interceptory sewer of adequate size, commencing say at Burrell street, following on line of Mill street to the upper bridge, thence, southward on Front street to Dundas street. The portion of the city south of Dundas street should have a collecting sewer, from east end of wharf street, falling westward to junction with Front street, thence northward on line of that street conveying at Dundas street with its co-collector, thence, on Dundas street line extended to the river, with continuance by means of steel piping, into the channel recently dredged, or by a more proper disposition, at the same time more costly one—southward, across the water intervening as between the main land and Mill island, discharging its accumulations into the main channel on the west side thereof, there to be instantaneously removed and diluted millions of times. Surplus materials arising from construction works could be utilized for roadway to the island, at same time, such roadway would form protection works to piping.

The latter outlined mains, would enable the easy collection of sewage and drainage from the flats, with disposal of same, as readily as from the more elevated portions of east Belleville.

The alternative of this section would be, the continuance of the Front street sewer southward, with extension of very considerable length across the shallow water on the east side of the pier, this for the purpose of conveyance of sewage to deep water, practically into the main flow of waters moving eastwards, for the entire removal of same; discharge near the shore, would, very shortly create a nuisance which would have to be rectified.

To effect an easy discharge, and at the same time maintain a thoroughly sanitary interceptory one free from mephitic gases. A water inlet should be constructed from the view at or near Russell street, connecting with the main sewer, this sewer could of course be extended to the station if desired, thus conveying a delutted agent, as well as a propelling force sufficient to prevent deposits, at same time creating the requisite velocity through the steel pipe, with after impetus of admixed sewage and water in the main channel of the river. This is a most important feature, as its action would in addition to benefits recited have the tendency to dilanate matters rendering it easier of suspension, dispersive and non-visible. When found expedient West Belleville could be treated on the same line, making commencement of interceptory at point beyond Lingham's mill on Moria street to the river, thence southward to its junction with Coleman street, southward on Coleman street to river, with street pipe continuation to the channel. Water inlet should also be provided for this sewer and for the reasons previously set forth.

An alternative to the discharge would be as follows: On lot south of the Fire Hall and opposite Dundas street, erect the necessary houses, enclosing tanks, forming sewage receptacles, therein treat the crude sewage as would be hereafter arranged, permitting the effluent to flow into the river close by the works, dealing with the resultant sludge, either in manner as previously set forth or by such ermative works as would efficiently remove or reduce the matter to innoxious ash, similar works would be required in such case on the west side at foot Coleman street. Such works would entail large annual operative expense, and are to be avoided if at all possible. While, constructed works with water carriage disposal are entirely free from such charges and are especially adapted for Belleville. In lieu of duplicate tanks etc. on west side of river, steel piping could convey sewerage across to the east side, requisite pumping plant would then be required.

Another strong point would seem to lie in the water carriage disposal, that of rendering the channel ice, from which so much difficulty is experienced in spring, more susceptible of removal from the usual banner position, giving thereby freer exit to waters, this from the probable temperature increase, owing to the sewage discharged along channel line.

The following approximate estimate of the various methods is submitted:

EAST BELLEVILLE.

7,500 feet of sewer on Mill, Front and Wharf streets at $5.50....	41,250 00
Culverts	6,000 00
Manholes	1,000 00
500 feet of steel piping laid	12,500 00
Roadway to Island	1,000 00
Road repairing	4,000 00
Add 10 per cent for contingences,	6,475 00
Total for intreceptory and disc'ge.	$72,225 00

WEST BELLEVILLE.

5,400 feet of sewer on Moira and Coleman street at $5.50	29,700 00
Culverts and manholes	4,000 00
Steel piping (laid)	5,000 00
Road repairing	2,000 00
Add 10 per cent for contingencies	4 070 00
Total for interceptory and disc'ge	$45,770 00

GENERAL.

9,000 feet downfall and latual drains	20,000 00
Culverts and manholes	6,000 00
Refixing roadways	5,000 00
Contingencies	2,005 00
	33,0 5 00
Total—	$150,000 00

In the event of council deciding that mechanical and chemical treatment is preferable to water carriage disposal, then the cost of removal main east side, will be reduced by the amount set down for roadway to Island ($1,000). The $12,500 set down for steel piping, will then be required for the requisite houses, tanks, steam pumps, and other essentials to that method while the approximate for the west side, will be increased by an additional sum of $6,000 for similiar requirements, unless steel piping was extended to tank houses on east side.

It would not be well to burden this report with statistics of costs in connection with purefication works, suffice it, they would be large, and such can be obtained when required. Estimates given show that an extended system of sewage may be carried out for a gross sum of $160,000 or for the east side only for $100,000. All of which is respectfully submitted.

DYNAMITE EXPLOSION.

In Which a Considerable Amount of Damage is Done

Thursday last while the men engaged in placing the poles of the Bell Telephone Co'y., in position, about one mile from Rossmore, between Picton and Belleville, had a very narrow escape from death. One of the men was engaged in thawing the dynamite and had the cap on the fuse ready for insertion, when a spark from the fire ignited the fuse and before it could be severed the cap cracked. The jar of the cap set off ten or twelve pounds of the explosive, which tore up the ground considerably. The man succeeded in getting away from it about twelve feet and the shock gave him a bad shaking up, he falling insensible to the ground. The rest of the men succeeded in getting away, but the force of the explosion tore up the ground considerably. All the glass in the windows of a house near by were blown out and a little boy sitting on a sofa was thrown across the room. Rails from the fence was blown a quarter of a mile and the shock was felt for five miles.

Clear Havana Cigars

"La Cadena" and "La Flora." Insist upon having these brands.

Harry Lindley

The Harry Lindley Co'y concluded a two weeks stay at the Queen's Opera House Saturday evening, and during their stay in the city the individual members of the company have made many friends. Mr. Lindley and family are general favorites in this city and many will regret their departure. He now has the best company he ever had. To know Mr. Lindley is to regard him as a warm hearted and whole souled man. Mr. W. W. Power, proprietor of the Queens Hotel and manager of the Queen's Opera house endeavored to make their stay in this city as enjoyable as possible and to say that he succeeded is known by all who are acquainted with the latter gentleman's manner. They left for Kingston to-day where they open a month's engagement. Charlie Gibson had the lucky number that drew the cow at Saturday night's performance. It was 729.

For catarrh or cold in the head use nttits catarrh cure, A L Geen agent

THE HARLEM COMMONS

MR. J H SCRIVER THROWS SOME LIGHT ON THE SUBJECT

He Says the Society is Being Duped by Unlawful and Foul Means—Take no Notice of Them

W. J. Smith, civil engineer, of Toronto, who had charge of the sewage construction at the Institute for deaf mutes, has sent the ONTARIO the following letter, dealing with the system of sewerage which he thinks best adopted for Belleville. Mr. Smith's communication will be read at the meeting of the city council to-night.

DEAR SIR.—Will you allow me space in your columns to correct a seeming error or misrepresentation in an article which appeared in your paper of Saturday's issue, referring to a notice sent out by J. H. Peck, of Trenton, to one Clark, of Deseronto, "to attend a meeting of the Canadian branch of the association of claimants," to the above estate. I wish to say for the benefit of the members of our association, known as the Canadian Branch of Harlem Heirs," the above branch has nothing to do with it, or the Harlem Associated Heirs Title Co'y., no has Mr. Peck or Mr. McCruy. As Mr. Peck when writing friends in the past took particular care to warn them against being deceived by Scriver and Sharpe who were trying to get all the money they could and their deeds and give nothing in return, and lat erly Sharpe and Caen who were doing the same thing were now backed up by McCruy, in order to modify the past and pull the wool over the eyes of their dupes try hard to do the same thing.

This Clark is one of the claimants caught some years ago by Peck and McCruy. He paid his money into Mr. Peck, and knows how much satisfaction he has since got. I have met several who did the same thing and not one knows to-day what become of the money paid in. At their Belleville meeting McCruy made certain statements and Peck issued a circular to which was attached the name of certain lawyers. The statement made by McCruy on investigation I found out to be untrue, and the lawyers denied any knowledge of the circular or having given authority to put their names to such circular. I published this circular and the letters I received in the Hastings Star, and sent a copy to Mr. Peck and all his friends I knew the address of, and to which all can refer if they so desire.

Mr. McCruy said in the Washington Post in October he was the only one who had brought a suit in this case, but did not say how he succeeded.

The first taken up was Finis Count then S. P. Morgan. From good authority I learn Mr. Peck is now to be made plaintiff and trustee and so put in possession and exclude everybody else, and a very prominent claimant says "now or never." What an elephant he will be with $200,000,000 o property on his hands and excluding everybody who can't pay him one dollar association dues, for they will now be asked a second time. How generous.

Can any one tell me why. When Mr. Peck approaches his people the first thing is to warn them against being deceived by Sharpe, Cain or Scriver. Neither of which whom are trying to interfere with him or his following or want anything from him or them.

Let me say to those who have joined the H. A. H. T. Co'y., pay no attention to either Peck or McCruy. You are being cared for by as good counsel as McCruy can employ and the man at the head does not require to come to Canada to be educated by Mr. Peck.

And those who have neglected to comply with report sent out by Mr. C. M. Cain, if left out they have no one to think but their own negligence. And further if Mr. C. M. Cain does not make a success of his undertaking backed up as he is by such men as Philips, Fleming, Jones and Curtis, to our will. Nor does Mr. Cain ask one cent now or heretofore from one of those he represents. Any money paid into the Canadian association excepting the joining fee to Harlem Commons Syndicate, has been used in connection with our own association and I am ready to answer for it when ever called upon to do so.

J. H. SCRIVER
Sec-Magr., Canadian Branch

MUSIC AND THE DRAMA

Rob Rob

Every lover of Sir Walter Scott. Scotchman, yes and Englishman has the memory of this immortal creation in his heart. Robin Hood who is his English equivalent is an evergreen. The sayings of "Ballie Nicol Jarvie" are household words. This is not exactly a drama, it is an operatic play in which Lewis Reeves has immortalized "My love is like the red red rose" and other ballads. It is a production which can only be seen rarely as the cast is large and the actors have to be in affinity with the language The comedy is immense, being varied by comedy, Major Galbraith, Lowland comedy The Baillie Hieland Comedy, "The Dougal," whilst Rob Roy and Helen are two of the most picturesque characters in the drama. Mortimer Murdock, who is known in Glasgow, Edinboro, etc., as a tragedian, plays (being familiar with the dialect.) the Baillie. Many Belleville people will be glad to renew acquaintance with Mr. Walton who has succeeded here, and last but not least we understand the vocal position is strong. They play here Wednesday evening.

Holiday Times

Holiday times create a demand for pretty styles in boy's suits. The juvenile department of the Oak Hall is full to overflowing with bright ideas put into the styles, material, and general appearance of boys clothing. No where is this more prominent than among the boys suits.

A writer in the Mail thus describes the condition of affairs in Toronto:—"The want of work is rife in our city. Our mechanics are leaving us in numbers, and the exodus will increase as the winter approaches. Of course it is difficult to reach figures. Many leave, not as intended settlers in another country, but simply to find employment. Of these no record can be retained, but others who leave with 'settlers' effects,' and with their families, are recorded, and it seems probable that nearly ten thousand people have left Toronto for the United States during the past twelve months. The fact is there is too little employment in the city for the wants of its mechanic population."

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Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria

THAT ABDUCTION

A CASE THAT HAS AROUSED WIDE SPREAD INTEREST

The ONTARIO Investigates the Fact and Presents Them to its Readers—Segt Downs is not to Blame

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day. To many it means Backache, Sore Hands Hard Rubbing over a steaming tub, and lon

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however Sergt Downs comes in for some unmerited criticism, since it is said, he allowed the girl to be kiddapped, as some alleged for immoral purposes. What ground there is for such an accusation would be hard to conceive in view of the facts. As a matter of fact the girl, who is the object of so much talk, is said to be an illegitimate child, the daughter of a man named Rookey. The girl was born to the woman who claims to be her mother (and there is no reason to doubt that fact,) while she was a widow living in Belleville. She subsequently moved to the United States and lost sight of the girl for some years. Some time ago she married a man of considerable wealth in Indiana and she unfolded the fact to him that she had a daughter by a previous husband living in Canada. The husband at once wanted to adopt the girl as they had no children themselves. This accounts for the woman's desire to evade publicity as can readily be seen. She employed a detective to locate her daughter and for several weeks he has been engaged on the case. He first got track of her in an orphans directory in Toronto and it was learned that she had entered the employ of Thos. Wallbridge, near Rossmore. The detective found that she had worked as a domestic in several families in Belleville and finally located her in one of the city hotels. Why she did not wish to accompany the detective, or whether the detective asked her to go is a question. In a few days the mother arrived and asked the hotel clerk to see her daughter. She was asked to remain until morning but stated that she could not make direct connections unless she caught the next train. In her anxiety to catch the next train going west she hastened to Chief of Police Newton's house where she was told that the officer on duty would attend to her wants. She told Sergt. Downs at the station her name and convinced him that the girl was her daughter. The officer was also convinced that the detective was not shamming. He accompanied the pair to the hotel, but positively states that he did not demand the girl, nor did he receive or was he offered any money by the mother. The girl was being aroused when the party arrived at the hotel. Magistrate Flint on Saturday telegraphed to the Mayor of Aylmer and learned that Detective Clayton was a resident of that place and was on the Provincial staff. He has been asked to make a sworn statement before a notary of all he knows of the case in order to vindicate the Belleville officer.

A Minister's Opinion

In a few words, and to the point, the Rev. T. G. Hawkins, pastor Baptist church, Fuersville, Mo., U. S. A., expresses himself. February 7, 1890: "St. Jacob's Oil is without a peer for pains, bruises, aches, etc."

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One Complete Sore

offensive to the smell and dreadful to look at. Her general health waned and she would lay in a large chair all day without any life or energy. The sores caused **great itching** and burning, so that at times we had to restrain her hands to prevent scratching. For 3 years

She Suffered Fearfully

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should be made from 3 to 4 weeks before cutting. We have a nice lot already and would advise our customers to come in and select one or more and we will put them away untill required. We will finish them up with or without Almond Icing according to order. Anyone making their own cakes and would like to have us bake them must have them in between this and the 19th of December.
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OFFICIALS IN TROUBLE.

ALDERMAN OF HALIFAX IN A PRETTY PICKLE.

The Board of Works Have Conducted a General System of Loose Account-Keeping For Years—Instances of Bungling.

HALIFAX, N.S., Dec. 6.—At a meeting of the city Board of Works yesterday exposures were made which will no doubt lead to a civic scandal.

It came out that for years the business of the department has been conducted without any system of proper bookkeeping, no regular cash book being used, and a general system of looseness the rule.

Many thousand dollars are annually expended by the board, nearly all the public works of the city being conducted through it.

There is no charge of boodling so far, but an investigation will be held.

Accounts have been paid twice, money paid has not been credited and innumerable instances of other bungling, if not something worse.

THE PAPAL DELEGATE.

He Has Not the Authority of a Pope In the American Church.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.—Mgr. Satolli authorizes the following statement in reference to the Baltimore despatch of yesterday morning:

"The report is not exact. It is true that by letters dated from the beginning of last month I have received authority to examine and decide without appeal the controversies arising between bishops and priests, etc., in the United States. It is absurd to ascribe to me the place and authority of a pope in the American Church."

As to Cardinal Gibbons, for whom the Apostolic delegate entertains the highest veneration and a special affection, he preserves all the dignity and authority which belong to his office. There is no reason for surprise in this case, as the Pope is accustomed to send delegates from time to time to various countries on similar missions and with similar powers.

DEATH IN A CELLAR.

Whisky Made His Foothold Insecure and He Plunged Headlong to the Bottom.

TORONTO, Dec. 6.—Richard Lockhart, an ex-soldier in the British Army, went to the Central Lodging House, 66 Jarvis-street, last night when under the influence of liquor and was refused lodgings. He went away, but soon returned and started down stairs to the sitting room. When about half way down he lost his footing and fell the rest of the way. The back of his head struck the floor and he was unconscious when picked up. He was taken to the Hospital, when an examination of his injuries showed that the base of the skull was fractured. At an early hour this morning he was no better. The injured man was formerly employed by Morton & Co., 3 Adelaide-street east.

WRECKERS OF TRAINS.

Make an Ineffectual Attempt to Throw a Passenger Train.

ERIE, Pa., Dec. 6.—The Erie accommodation on the Philadelphia and Erie Railway last night was running at a 45-mile rate when, two miles west of Langdon, the engineer detected an obstruction.

He got his train down to a 10-mile rate before he struck the obstruction. Three ties, which had been placed in a most ingenious manner across the track, failed to derail the engine entirely.

The trainful of passengers was severely shaken up, but none were seriously injured.

UNCLE SAM'S DEFENCES.

He Will Spend a Million and a Half More On His Army.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—The estimates submitted by the Secretary of the Treasury for the support of the army during the fiscal year of 1894 call for $25,922,955, a million and a half more than the appropriation for the fiscal year of 1893.

U. S. Estimates.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—The Secretary of the Treasury yesterday transmitted to Congress the estimates of appropriations required for the service for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1894.

The total estimates are $421,612,215, being $12,003,522 more than estimates and $1,649,755 less than the appropriations for the present fiscal year.

Included in the above statement are the figures relating to every branch of the Government. The estimates for pensions are $166,831,350, being $19,766,800 more than the estimates and $12,036,482 more than the appropriations for the current fiscal year.

Extradition Refused.

ALBANY, N.Y., Dec. 6.—United States Commissioner Frothingham has decided that William Ferguson, alias Oscar Hopkins, whose real name is now given as Oscar Tammann, cannot be extradited by the Canadian Government on account of defective papers. June 30, 1887, he was convicted of forgery and sentenced to 10 years. Dec. 24, 1889, he escaped. In Aug., 1890, the amendment to the treaty was enacted and he cannot be extradited.

He has served a term in the Albany Penitentiary for flim-flaming.

A New Pest.

BRIDGETON, N. J., Dec. 6.—The farmers in some of the lower counties of this state are greatly exercised over the appearance of an insect found imbedded in the wheat and corn kernels, which threatens its destruction.

In Cumberland and Salem counties the pest has developed alarmingly and the entire contents of many corn cribs and wheat bins have been found possessed by the little stranger.

Erie Canal Transportation.

ALBANY, Dec. 6.—Superintendent Hannon of the State Department of Public Works said yesterday afternoon that eastbound boats on the Erie Canal were moving along and he thought that all but a few would get through to tide water.

At the request of mill owners of Rochester the water will not be drawn off the section between Rochester and Lockport until Dec. 10, in order that the 20 boats at Rochester loaded with grain may be unloaded.

Working Up a Stampede.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 6.—The gold excitement in the Sni Hills east of here continues at a high pitch. Outbound trains carry hundreds of persons who are going to prospect in an endeavor to locate a claim. Several hundred tons of valuable ore were taken out yesterday, and it all showed the same high grade as in former tests.

Comic Singers on Their Uppers.

ITHACA, N.Y., Dec. 6.—Nineteen members of the Boston Comic Opera Co. are stranded here. The singers allege that the manager, Harry Curtis, abandoned the troupe last night without paying them.

Ocean Steamship Movements.

Date.	Name.	Reported at.	From.
Nov. 26	La Gascogne	New York	Havre
" 26	Friesland	London	New York
" 26	La Bourgogne	Southampton	New York
" 27	Furnessia	New York	Glasgow

THE BATTLE OF FREEDOM

SAID TO BE WON BY MODERN BIBLICAL CRITICISM.

The Actual Trial of Dr. Briggs for Heresy Commenced—He Believes in a Middle State After Death, But Not in Purgatory.

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—The actual trial of Dr. Briggs was begun here yesterday. Col. McCook of the Prosecuting Committee read extracts from the second edition of Dr. Briggs' inaugural address and introduced in evidence the confession of faith, the Bible, the catechisms and other documents to be used during the hearing.

Then Dr. Briggs read a statement telling what he had to present against the evidence of the prosecution. He offered in evidence the Holy Scriptures and the standards of the Presbyterian Church, from which he quoted at length.

Dr. Briggs declared that he did not believe in purgatory according to the teachings of the Catholic Church. He also rejected the Armenian doctrine of sanctification after death. He did believe, however, in a middle state, for the Bible, he said, did not teach that a man was sanctified immediately after death.

In speaking of the divine and human authority of the Bible Dr. Briggs said:

The Bible is the Word of God and its authority is divine authority that determines the life and faith of man. Biblical scholars have been long held in bondage to ecclesasticism and dogmatism, but modern Biblical criticism has won the battle of freedom.

On all sides it is asked, not what do the creeds teach, what do the theologians say, what is the authority of the church; but what does the Bible itself teach us?

Dr. Briggs occupied nearly all the afternoon in reading his paper.

A BIG DEAL.

The Sandwich, Windsor and Amherstburg Road to Exchange Owners.

WINDSOR, Dec. 6.—The Sandwich, Windsor and Amherstburg Railway will in all probability change hands before many days go by.

The deal is on and its consummation is a mere matter of time. At present there is a difference of $2500 between the parties, but as each has been giving and taking in the matter the sale will undoubtedly be made.

The price at which the present company offer the road is $160,000, while the prospective purchasers are willing to give $157,500.

When negotiations were opened they offered $150,000, but the railway company refused to look at less than $165,000. Since then the company have dropped $5000 and the other parties to the deal made a corresponding raise.

Since then they have agreed to split the difference and their offer now is $157,500.

As to the composition of the company who wish to obtain the road the full facts are not known. William Gibson of Beamsville, Ont., M.P. for Lincoln, is the prime mover, and with him are associated William Hendrie of Hamilton and presumably the Hendries of Detroit street railway fame.

A GRAND FINALE.

Lizzie Borden's Friends Came Up at the Eleventh Hour.

BOSTON, Dec. 6.—In The Globe yesterday one of the grand jury men is reported as saying that the Attorney-General and District Attorney were so worked up over the abuse and vilification to which they were subjected in the Borden case that they sent for Andrew J. Jennings, counsel for the defence, and asked him to put the evidence for the defence and he did so.

Mr. Knowlton sat back and took no part in the matter, but left it to the jurors to ask questions.

"The Government witnesses," said the juror, "acted as if they wanted to believe Lizzie Borden innocent. The witnesses for the defence, however, came in, testified freely and handled truth carelessly."

At the eleventh hour the friends of Lizzie Borden came up and told what clinched the case in the minds of the jurors.

H. G. Trickey's Death.

FALL RIVER, Dec. 6.—News of the death of Henry G. Trickey, the reporter who wrote up the Borden case, and who was killed at Hamilton, Ont., on Saturday, causes much comment in this city as to the outcome of the indictment said to have been found against him.

To-day one of the grand jurors stated that Mr. Trickey's death would not produce any effect on the indictment and that there were other parties concerned.

FOOTPADS AND SUCH.

It Looks as if St. Louis is Getting a Haven for Toughs.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Dec. 6.—Within a week there have been daylight highway robberies and scores of hold-ups, or attempted hold-ups, at night.

Yesterday at Broadway and Washington-streets Thomas Houlihan was stopped at an early hour by three men, two of whom have since been arrested. The street was crowded at the time.

A little later Frank Glinder was held up in Fifteenth-street and gave up a watch and about $10 in cash.

WHILE AT LUNCH.

A New York Editor a Victim of Heart Disease.

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—While taking lunch in a restaurant this afternoon Louis Neumann, managing editor of the German edition of The Daily News, died suddenly of heart disease.

He was 45 years old and has been well known in German journalism in this city since he was a young man.

The Change in Typesetting.

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—Typographical Union No. 6 adopted yesterday a scale for typesetting machines. The committee recommended that a time charge should be made instead of by the piece. The suggestion was adopted and the price fixed was:

For morning papers $27 a week of eight hours a day for six days; on evening papers $24 a week of eight hours a day. The scale for hand setters will remain the same, 50 cents per 1000 ems on morning news papers and 40 cents per 1000 on eve... newspapers.

A Temperance Wa...

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec... Murphy, son of the ... addressed four audien... persons, and secure... the temperance ... Among the co... students ... greatest th... has

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NEW HAVEN, ... aged 2 years, took coals from the stov... a baby carriage in... old sister. Both...

JACKSONVILLE ... Platt, editor of ...

SILVER TO FALL.

The Times Predicts It, And Says the Conference Will Be a Failure.

LONDON, Dec. 6.—The Times, speaking editorially on the Monetary Conference, says: "It is not going too far to say that the Monetary Conference has already resulted in failure. When it was found that the Americans were not prepared to make the first move the conference kindly accommodated them.

"Mr. De Rothschild's proposals are a mystery, unless he wished to force the Americans to realize and admit that, except there was universal bi-metallism, there was no arrangement which would suit. If they were of this Machiavellian character they have apparently succeeded, for already in America strong objection has arisen to continue the purchase of silver.

"The childish talk indulged in two years ago respecting the ability of America to act in defiance of the elementary principles of economics has been abandoned in the presence of the plain fact that the Gresham law is not dead, and that inferior money still drives out better money if given a chance.

"It is probable there will be a sharp fall in silver when it is recognized that the conference will have been lost."

THE HALF-GUINEA.

It May Be Abolished to Suit the Advocates of Silver.

BRUSSELS, Dec. 6.—When the International Monetary Conference resumes its sittings to-day the first matter requiring settlement will be whether the report of the committee appointed to consider the Rothschild plan shall be further debated or the proposals of the American delegates proceeded with.

Mr. Rothschild, Sir C. Fremantle and Sir William Houldsworth, all of whom are British delegates, desire some expression of opinion regarding Rothschild's plan from the full conference. Bertram Currie, another British delegate, aiming to bring the conference to a speedy close, would accelerate the consideration of the American resolutions as hastening the winding up of the meeting.

Sir C. Fremantle with a view to resumption of the debate on the Rothschild plan has amended his declaration declining to pledge the English Government to withdraw its half sovereign pieces in favor of silver, by adding the words, "Except concurrently with the adoption of the Rothschild's project or some other proposal having the same compensatory value." Sir C. Fremantle, who is Deputy-Master of the British Mint, has never been known to take independent action or personal initiative, and it is therefore taken for granted that he is the mouthpiece of the British Government in announcing assent to the abolition of the half sovereign.

Mr. Dana Horton to-day, in speaking of the Monetary Conference, said:

It would be difficult to over-estimate the educational value of Rothschild's proposals. This conference is only a step in a long series. It is a lesson in the education of the nations of the advantage of co-operation in common interests.

Telegrams from Berlin to-day say that there is talk of the silver question being raised in the Reichstag, before the conference adjourns, with a view to inducing the Government to authorize the German delegates at the conference to go beyond the proposals Germany presented at the Paris conference of 1881.

King Leopold gave an audience to the delegates at the palace to-day in the presence of the Ministers.

The next meeting is expected to be of unusual interest. Congressman James B. McCreary, one of the United States delegates, is expected to make an important statement with reference to the American program and the probable future policy of his Government.

The special committee on proposals adjourned to-day without arriving at any decision on the proposals of C. F. Tietgen, the Danish delegate.

Colonists Ruined.

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 6.—Owing to a series of bad crops in Samara large numbers of German colonists have been ruined. Many of them who desire to emigrate find it impossible to procure passports. This fact, however, does not prevent them from leaving the country. They steal across the frontier into Prussia and make their way to the ports, whence they emigrate to America.

Famine in Burmah.

LONDON, Dec. 6.—The Times' correspondent at Rangoon, British Burmah, says that there is a severe famine in Khiangmai. The American missionaries are feeding the starving people. The Siamese Government is doing nothing to relieve the distress.

Kossuth Still Lives.

VIENNA, Dec. 6.—The report that Louis Kossuth, the Hungarian patriot, was dying, is untrue.

House in Lindsay Burned.

LINDSAY, Ont., Dec. 6.—About 3 a. m. yesterday a house owned by Mr. Currin of 43 Elizabeth-street, Toronto, was discovered to be on fire, and before the firemen arrived it was too far gone to be saved.

The house was occupied by Mr. William Balance, who lost all his effects that were upstairs. The furniture, etc., downstairs was saved. The firemen did good service in saving adjoining houses.

The Hencoop Case.

WHITBY, Dec. 6.—Baker and Lingford were committed for trial at Spring Assizes by Magistrates Harper and Bunting here yesterday morning. They were charged with shooting Palmer in the Pickering tragedy. There was a sensation created in court by a statement of the magistrates that they had received threatening letters.

Must Pay For the Crime.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 6.—Judge Moise has overruled the motion for a new trial in the case of C. C. Antoine, the Ex-Lieut.-Governor of Louisiana, convicted of obtaining money under false pretences; therefore, he will probably get two years in prison.

Wants Immigration Suspended.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—Senator Chandler has prepared for introducing a bill suspending immigration, except from North and South America, for one year after March 1.

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THE ANNEXATION MOVEMENT.

SURPRISE was caused at Ottawa on Nov. 30th. by an editorial in the Journ... a newspaper that has been recognized ... the organ of the present Government, warning its readers that the annexation agitation is a serious matter. It says:

"About 1,000 votes out of 8,000 were cast for annexation at the big meeting in Montreal on Monday evening. On the heels of this comes the news that the Liberal Association of South Norfolk, in Ontario, has declared straight out for annexation. It is time for Canadians who love their country above any party to be plain spoken. This country cannot be maintained in wholesome entity if a party which has gained power loads the dice to keep itself there. If the other party finds that it cannot get fair play under our Constitution some of its members are sure to turn toward the Constitution under which our neighbors live.

"The Liberals have been misled. There was a time when no doubt existed of their loyalty to Canada, and their leaders should never have given cause for doubt, and, in a measure, their own lack of faith is responsible for their loss, in election after election, of those votes that hold the balance of power. But still the Liberals have not had fair play, and it is a question with many in Canada whether they should have a trial in power partly in the hope of giving a needed lesson to unscrupulous Conservatives and partly that a term of trust may both wed the Liberals better to the Canadian idea and pave the way for a reform of the abuses and excrescences which have gained hold in our policy.

"Are we to hope that the new Conservative administration will fight more fairly than its predecessors? Are we to hope that it will overhaul our customs tariff, with an honest determination to reduce the burdens that press most heavily on our heads? Are we to hope that it will either secure more favorable terms of inter-imperial trade, or else prepare to cut loose from the empire altogether and hoe our own row to the best advantage wherever we can? Are we to hope that this country's opportunities and resources will be so handled as to secure the influx of population and capital which we ought to get?

"If these hopes are disappointed in the next few years the annexationists will be strong enough to require to be answered by bayonets."

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Goldwin Smith has been offered and accepted the position of honorary president of the Continental Union Association. In his letter of acceptance he says: "That a change must come, the returns of the census, the condition of our industries, especially of our farming industry and the exodus of the flower of our population, to clearly show. Sentiment is not to be disregarded but genuine sentiment is never at variance with the public good. Love of the mother country can be stronger in no heart than it is in mine; but I have satisfied myself that the interest of Great Britain and that of Canada are one. Let the debate be conducted in a spirit worthy of the subject. Respect the feelings and the traditions of those who differ from us while you firmly insist on the right of the thought and speech respecting the question of its own destiny."

A Minister's Opinion.

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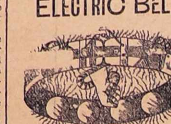

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The Other Deputies Horrified—A Hurried Adjournment—Business of the Panama Committee Cannot Go to the Press—It Will Not Have Magisterial Powers.

PARIS, Dec. 6.—In the Chamber of Deputies yesterday the Panama question again caused great excitement.

Deputy Alfred Letellier demanded that the proceedings of the committee should be taken down stenographically in order that the record might be used for future reference. It was important, he said, that the whole truth should be made known.

M. Brisson replied that he had no objection to such a course, but feared it would be difficult.

At this instant a fearful shriek rang through the chamber and the deputies sprang to their feet and gazed in the direction from which the shriek had come.

Deputy Dubreuil was writhing in the convulsions of epilepsy. He was pawing with his hands and seemed to be foaming at the mouth.

It was a fearful spectacle, and one that horrified the deputies. The sitting was at once suspended, while a score of members ran to succor their unfortunate companion, who was borne, still shrieking, from the chamber.

M. Letellier made a motion in the Chamber of Deputies to-day that the minutes of the Panama Committee be immediately communicated to the press, as it was essential that the truth regarding the Panama Canal Company should not be distorted.

Amid much applause M. Letellier demanded urgency for his motion.

M. Brisson, the president of the committee, opposed the motion on the ground that the official act of the committee's proceedings would give certain evidence of importance that it would not otherwise receive, and newspapers could only reproduce extracts from the evidence.

The motion was rejected by a large majority.

M. Boisserin moved that the committee be empowered to nominate a magistrate to co-operate with it, and asked that the Chamber appoint a sub-committee to-morrow. This proposal, with a demand for urgency, was adopted by a vote of 333 to 182.

The Chamber then adjourned until Thursday.

In the Senate M. Giraraulr, a member of the Extreme Left, proposed that the Panama Committee be given magisterial powers and demanded that the Canal Company be reimbursed for the sums of money that have been improperly paid out of its treasury.

These proposals were rejected by an almost unanimous vote.

M. Ribot, at present Minister of Foreign Affairs, has informed President Carnot that he has succeeded in forming a Cabinet which is a reproduction of the Loubet Cabinet, except that M. Bourgeois, formerly Minister of Public Instruction and the Arts, will be succeeded by M. Loubet as Minister of Justice and Public Worship. M. Dupuy, deputy from Haute-Loire, will be Minister of Public Instruction, and M. Siegfried will replace M. Roche as Minister of Commerce.

The Protectionist policy will be maintained.

M. Siegfried represents Havre in the Chamber of Deputies and the cotton spinning interests. He is strongly opposed to free trade. His predecessor, M. Roche, advocated a treaty of commerce with Switzerland and was thus to some extent an opponent of the Meline tariff.

WHAT GARDNER SAYS.

Our Cattle to Enter England as Usual When Free From Pleuro-Pneumonia.

LONDON, Eng., Dec. 6.—Mr. Gardner, chairman of the Board of Agriculture, has given a pledge on behalf of the Imperial Government that the restriction recently imposed on Canadian cattle imported into Great Britain and Ireland will be removed as soon as Canada has proved beyond a doubt that the Dominion is free from pleuro-pneumonia.

The High Commissioner has communicated with the Dominion authorities to have the necessary inspection made and the proof of the country's immunity from the disease forwarded to London.

Meanwhile, those interested in the Canadian cattle trade, particularly in Scotland, are keeping up the agitation to have the schedule against Canadian cattle at once removed. They maintain that no cases of pleuro-pneumonia were found to have existed in any imported Canadian cattle.

The opponents in England of the Canadian export trade are not, however, idle. The farming clubs are now meeting and are urging the Board of Agriculture to secure the passage of an act requiring that all foreign stock be slaughtered at the port of landing, whether any contagious disease is reported to exist in the country from which they are exported or not.

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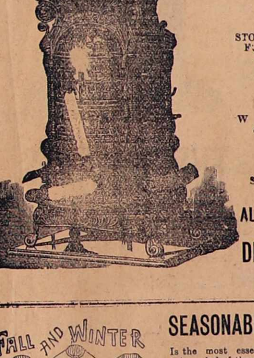

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A SWINDLER'S RETURN.

How the Former Toronto Broker Was Traced Through Europe.

TORONTO, Dec. 6.—A. T. Kerr, the former Toronto broker, whose arrest in Liverpool for swindling the Jarvis Conkling Mortgage Trust Co. of Kansas City, of which he was head bookkeeper, has been reported, arrived in New York yesterday on the Aurania in charge of Detective Bowman of Chicago.

The landing of the pair marked the end of an exciting chase extending over a considerable part of America and Europe. When Kerr disappeared last March and with him $20,000 of the Jarvis Conkling Mortgage Company's money, Detective Bowman was instructed to find him. After a search in the United States the detective went to Europe. A month's work in England and he had no clue. Then he crossed to France, and in Paris he heard of the object of his journey. Bowman chased his prey all over Sweden from town to town. He finally lost track of him and for two months could get no trace of him. While in Paris he again got a clue of his man, this time from Monte Carlo, the famous gambling resort. The detective immediately went there, but just reached the place in time to learn that Kerr had left, having won £1000 the night before. The Chicagoan prepared for another chase. He traced his man to Versailles, to Berlin, to Brussels again, and to Paris. It seemed that as the detective went in one side Kerr went out the other. Finally Bowman got authentic news that the man had crossed the channel. The detective reached London the day of the Derby and went down to the race. Kerr was there, but Bowman could not find him. It was not until three months later that the inspector placed his hands upon Kerr, and the long search was brought to an end. He caught him in Liverpool, and it is said that Scotland Yard had a hand in the final capture.

SHORT WEIGHT.

An Ingenious Scheme to Rob the Customers of a Coal Company.

TORONTO, Dec. 6.—The arrest of Thos. Addison, 125 Agnes-st., last night for receiving a bag of coal stolen from R. C. Gibson is believed by the police to satisfactorily explain the reason why numerous citizens of late have been suspicious that when they ordered a ton of coal they did not receive 2000 lbs.

Detective Harrison learned that a carter named Macdonald, in the employ of the Conger Coal Company, was in the habit when delivering coal in bags to retain one bag in his cart and drive off with it. He notified the company, with the result that Macdonald was watched, and after he had delivered Mr. Gibson's coal the wagon was searched at the stable and a sack of coal found. Macdonald was accused of the theft, but took to his heels. He was captured by Detective Harrison late last night, however. Thomas Addison, the owner of the horse and wagon, came out and it is alleged tried to settle. He was promptly arrested as a receiver.

DAVIDSON'S EXTRADITION.

The Governor-General Wires the British Minister to Mexico to Expedite Matters.

TORONTO, Dec. 6.—Some time ago Charles E. Davidson was arrested in Mexico on a charge of obtaining about $10,000 from the Bank of Hamilton at Hamilton by discounting forged orders for nursery stock. Detective Murray, who is trying to get him back, has written to the provincial authorities complaining of what he considers unnecessary delay in the extradition proceedings. The Lieut.-Governor of Ontario represented the matter to the Governor-General and on Saturday His Excellency telegraphed to Sir Spencer St. John, British Minister to Mexico, asking him to use his good offices to expedite the extradition in so far as it was proper to do so.

KICKED BY A HORSE.

Accident to a Young Lad Which May Prove Fatal.

TORONTO, Dec. 6.—About 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon Harry Williams, a six-year-old lad, was kicked by a horse belonging to J. Puddy, milk-dealer in Gerrard-street east. The horse had been unhitched from the wagon and was being led into the stable when the lad ran up to it and was knocked six or seven feet by the kick the horse gave him. The little fellow was carried to the residence of Dr. Bray, 288 Gerrard-street. The physician found a portion of the skull one and a half inches long and half an inch wide crushed in. When this was removed the membrane inside was seen to be intact and the brain uninjured. The boy returned to consciousness during the operation, and this gives the doctor hope that he may survive the accident, though in that case the brain will have to be protected with a silver plate. The boy was the youngest son of Frank Williams, the Colborne-street pickle manufacturer.

SUDDEN DEATH.

A Former Toronto Citizen Found Dead in Bed.

TORONTO, Dec. 6.—Mrs. Joseph Dundas of this city received a telegram last evening announcing that her brother, Dr. Jonas Jones, formerly of Toronto, had been found dead in bed at Rochester.

Deceased, who was born in Canada in 1837, had been for many years the leading physician of Rochester. He was a member of the Park Commission, Vice-President of the Trustee Board of the Mechanics' Institute and President of the Humane Society.

MORE DISMISSALS.

Off Go the Heads of Another Batch of C.P.R. Conductors.

TORONTO, Dec. 6.—Several more Canadian Pacific Railway conductors having runs between Toronto and Detroit have received their conge during the past few days as the result of the trip of a spotter over the road, and rumor has it that the basket still yawns for more heads.

It was reported that the removals were the result of an investigation into the smuggling of Chinamen across the border, but there is no truth in this report.

ANOTHER NEWSPAPER.

A New Provincial Organ For the Irish Catholics.

TORONTO, Dec. 6.—It is understood that a company is in process of formation to commence the publication early next year of a new newspaper devoted to the Irish Catholic element. The scheme is to absorb Bro. Boyle's Irish-Canadian and The Catholic Review. The necessary capital has already been subscribed.

Bro. Boyle, when spoken to about the new venture yesterday, said: "It would be premature to say anything about the matter just now. See me again."

Gold in Newfoundland.

TORONTO, Dec. 6.—A private despatch received by a Toronto capitalist yesterday states that Newfoundland copper ore contains a good percentage of gold. From that mined at Tilt Cove this year $50,000 worth of gold was extracted, and the company now, finding the news has become public, are working up the refuse copper at the works, thinking to make it pay. Speculators are much excited over this discovery, which presages a boom in mining operations.

Blaine Recovering.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—Mr. Blaine is making good progress towards complete recovery.

Steamship Movements.

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All through the Provinces the rapid increase of La Grippe, is causing great alarm. A report was received here to-day, of a new development of the disease, which is, worse, perhaps than any other. Wm. Hanley of N. Y. City, died in terrible agony after sickness of only four days. His tongue swelled to such an extent as to make it impossible for him to close his jaws or swallow any food. The report is causing the people in this district to imitate into the noted Grip-cure, recently referred to in so many papers. In Cape Breton the disease has spread very rapidly and with fatal results. D. J. Killop of L'Archeveque writes Feb. 11th that this cure has been tried in his neighborhood and with such success that all those residing there are obtaining a supply believing it to be the only remedy affording relief and effecting a certain cure. He finished his letter by asking for a large quantity of the Medicine (Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills) to supply the demands of the community for the relief of LaGrippe.

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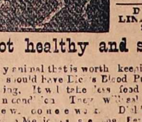

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Belleville, Dec. 1st, '92.

THE DAILY ONTARIO

BELLEVILLE, TUESDAY, DEC. 6th

TOLD IN A LINE OR TWO

Consul Twitchell, of Kingston, states the census of the United States shows over 900,000 Canadians, but this only includes native Canadians. There are thousands of people, born in the United States who have lived in Canada many years and then returned to their native land. These are not counted as emigrants from Canada. With these counted in, there might be 1,500,000 people from Canada in the United States.

The Countess of Aberdeen, who keeps eighty servants in her home in Scotland, and is considered to be the one woman in Great Britain who has come closest to a solution of the servant-girl problem, will tell of her methods of treating her help, etc., in an article for The Ladies' Home Journal, entitled "How I Keep My Servants."

A. A. Roberts, acting for Geo. E. Henderson, Q. C. county crown attorney, went to Trenton yesterday to resume the inquest on the body of the late Mrs. Rawe. The inquest was adjourned until to-morrow night at 7:30.

Four members of the Peterboro fire brigade named Earnest Hutchison, Geo. Kirkaid, M. Metheral and Archie Moore have been arrested on a charge of arson in connection with the numerous incendiary fires that have lit the town within the past few weeks.

W. H. O'Neill, of Belleville, has joined the Harry Lindley Co'y. at Kingston.

A new plate glass is being placed in Thos. Stewart's window in place of the one accidently broken last week.

At a meeting of the Belleville Natural Gas and Oil Company, held in the mayors office yesterday afternoon, it was decided to offer the wells for sale by tender and to place all unpaid subscriptions in the hands of their solicitor for collection.

The Toronto papers state that Isaiah Finkle, better known as "Ding," and who is well known in Belleville, who has been living in Toronto for the past few years has been lost on Lake Michigan, off the steamer Gilcher. He left Toronto for Chicago, via. Buffalo about the time the ill-fated vessel left Buffalo and as he has not written for two weeks as was his custom, it is feared by his relatives that the rumor has some foundation.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Miss Mary Hunter Napanee, is visiting friends in the city.

Harry Burrell, is able to be out after two months illness with typhoid fever.

D. O. Roblin was in Toronto yesterday.

J Langton, R. Mathews, T F Clarke, Wm Cauldwell, J B. Edwards, J S White, T F Galer, David Cornell, W C Foster, Anton Simmers, A Betton, John Smith, H A Patterson, F R Lanbyn, Rev R Terry, Toronto; J C Reddick, Woodstock; J J Cooley, C J Cooley, Trenton; G E Morbely, T A Hogle, Alex Stewart, J Misell, A MacFarlane, S G Stephenson, P Gauthier, Thos Walmsley, F Lewis, Jas Anderson, Thos F Gigson, R B Hill, M J Sage, Montreal; T P Janes, Gannanoque; R V Moore, Lisbon, N. Y.; M S Sutherland, Kingston; Thos Fraser, Norwood; A MacKay, New York; Alexander M A O Stewart, Hamilton; Jas A Mackay, Goderich, are at the Queen's.

John Allen, of Gouvenour, St. Lawrence Co., N. Y., is visiting Capt. Allen, Dundas street.

Harry Walton, of the "Rob Roy" Co., who spends his vacation in this city, is a guest at the Queen's.

A SUCCESSFUL TEST.

No 1 Fire Company Show the Citizens What Can be Done.

Yesterday afternoon No. 1 Fire Co'y., were called out to give a test of their new hose cart. The run was very successful. The members who had charge of the affair were: W. J. Brown, foreman; John Thompson, Fred Bourne, and Geo. M. McCoy. The hose was attached at the corner of Hotel and Bridge streets and a stream of water sufficient for any emergency was on hand in 35 seconds. Those who witnessed the performance express the opinion that the Belleville Fire Brigade was never in better shape than at present.

After the test Mr. W. J. Brown, foreman of No. 1 company was presented with a handsome silver-plated lantern by Mr. Thos. P. J. Power.

by the pleasant experience of all who have used it, and the success of the proprietors and manufacturers of the California Fig

A SHORT SESS[ION]

Of the City Council—Business of Little Importance.

The regular meeting of the city council was held last evening, Mayor Bogart in the chair. All the Ald. are present excepting Ald. Taylor.

Communications.

The Board of Health stated that they had recommended the Board of Education to remove the nusiances from the High school yard and have proper closets placed in the basement of the school and that a system of sewerage be extended to the Pinnacle street sewer.

A number of residents on George street asked for a light on the above street between Queen and Bridge streets.

The executive committee recommended the payment of a number of accounts.

The Public Works committee instructed the city solicitor to notify the Gilmore Company that the city would hold them to their agreement.

The council went into committee of the whole on reports, Ald. Grills in the chair.

In reference to the nuisances in the High School yard, Ald. Diamond thought there was no hurry to do away with them. He passed the place every day and he had never noticed any unfavorable odor.

Mayor Bogart thought they should be removed immediately. Other schools had perfect systems and Belleville should be no exception. He thought the Dowd-Smead system would be satisfactory.

The matter was referred to the finance committee.

The report was received and adopted.

Enquiries.

Ald. Hay stated that some time ago the Mayor of Toronto gave a pass to a family to come to Belleville and now they were a burden on the city. He would like to know what should be done.

Ald. Slater wanted to know what was being done with his Frank s reet matter?

The mayor stated that the matter was being left in abeyance until Mr. Hannaford was in the city.

Ald. Ponton stated that he had been in that vicinity lately and that the way matters were at present he thought was a disgrace to the city. The Grand Trunk were dealing very unfairly with the citizens in that part of the city.

Ald Fowell enquired if the pump on Alexander street had been repaired.

Ald. Luscombe stated that he had given orders for that work yesterday.

Ald. Walmsley gave notice of a by-law for the appointment of deputy-returning officers for the city for the coming municipal election. Read a third time, passed and numbered 749.

Ald. Clarke gave notice for the introduction of a by-law for the governing and limiting of tavern licenses. Referred to the by-law committee.

The council went into committee of the whole on by-laws, Ald. Slater in the chair.

Ald. Diamond gave notice for a by-law for the purpose of substituting the names on the High School Board in place of Jas. H. Simpson and Emanuel Haynes.

Ald. Ponton gave notice of motion that with the consent of the harbor commissioners the cutting of ice in the bay within the harbor of the city of Belleville be subject to the approval and suspension of the city surveyor—both as to sanitary precaution of location and proper protection of openings.

W. N. PONTON, ESQ.

DEAR SIR—Preparations of a preliminary character are apparently being made in sewerage matters by your city council. I have chosen to write you regarding the above matter in which I am professionally interested, I would be pleased to meet you in your city, talk the matter over with you and go over the grounds with you without any cost to yourself. In fact it would be most desirable to meet a committee of your council appointed for that purpose so that I might be privileged to point out a number of important matters requisite to the proper management of the work such as systematic plumbing, house drainage and sewerage regulations, properly qualiged inspectors from within your city corporation limits, the laboring men from your city, keeping office records of progress and many other important matters and the keeping exact notes of daily construction. Three years ago I visited your city, examined the ground and found the greatest difficulty would be in the lower parts of the city in the flats where the natural fall is insufficient to afford a good natural outfall for the sewage, this in consequence will be a somewhat difficult problem. In the event of your city council feeling disposed to allow me to make a survey and report on the sewerage system requisite for your city I will have 400 copies of my report printed in pamphlet form by one of your printing firms, provided my traveling, hotel and incidental expenses are paid by the city. Perhaps the city surveyor, Mr. Hulme, could assist me in the field surveys.—Yours truly, L. M. BOWMAN, R. A., P. L. S., Chief Sanitary Engineer, City Health Department, Toronto.

Council adjourned.

Put Me in My Little Bed

I am dizzy, dizzy, dizzy;
And I want to go to bed,
I've no appetite to eat
And headache racks my head.

In other words I am suffering from bilious attack, but Dr. Pierces's Pleasant Pellets will bring me around all right by to-morrow. They often cure headache in an hour. I have found them the best cathartic pill in existence. They produce no nausea or griping, but do their work thoroughly. They are convenient to carry in the vest pocket, and pleasant to take. In vials: 25 cents.

What She Said

Mrs. R. Peck, 15th street, New York City, visited Canada year, and had the good fortune to pick up something which not only suited her, but her neighbors also. Writing the manufacture of Nerviline she says:—"I bought three bottles of Nerviline while in Canada and treated my neighbors to some of it, and all think it the best medicine for internal or external pain they have ever used." Nerviline deserves such commendation, for it is a most powerful, penetrating, and certain remedy for pain of all kinds. Take no substitute.

BROCKVILLE, 1st Sept. 1892.
The Dr. Butler Med. Co., Brockville.

Gentlemen.—I was troubled with corn for ten years and tried all the remedies advertised. None removed them as speedily and painlessly as "Cooper Lightning Corn Cure" procured from ... Would not be without it. It is worth its weight in gold.

Yours truly,
T. BIRUNE,
Grocer, Main...

A neglected cough brings on consumption—the most fatal and prevalent of all physical ills that flesh is heir to. To check the malady in its early stage, before the deadly turbercles develop themselves in the lungs use Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil which also annihilates bronchitis asthma, catarrh, piles, kidney troubles, and soreness of the muscles and ...

That unrivalled cough mixture "Magnus-Expectorant" has been in the mark only a short time, but it has become the greatest favorite with the people, and is doing more good than anything else of its class. Only 25cts a bottle at any drug store in town.

ROB ROY.

A Crowded House Greets the Representation on St. Andrew's Night.

The Ottawa Citizen says: Mr. Wilson Rennie's company is an exceedingly well balanced one the principal characters in the cast displaying an amount of histronic talent not usually found in combination with musical ability. The songs introduced were all well sung particularly the balland, "My love is like a red red rose" by Mr. J. W. Gurville, as "Francis Osbaldistor" which received an encore, and "Within a mile o'Edingburgh toon" by Miss Lina John, who represented "Diana Vernon." In response to an encore Miss John sang "My love he is a Hielandman" which was enthusiastically received. Mr. Mortimer Murdock as

BAILIE NICOL JARVIE

created intense amusement and acted the "pawky" merchant of the saut-market to the life. The other parts were well taken, especially Miss Juliet Durands' presentation of "Helen McGregor."

Of course the main interest of the piece centered about "Rob Roy," the outlawed Highland chieftain and Mr. Wilson Rennie's representation of the part was well worthy of his high reputation and left nothing to be desired. His magnificent physique was displayed to the best advantage in Highland costume and in appearance he was an ideal "Rob Roy." In the scene with "Dougal Creature" as represented by Mr. Henry Walton, both were perhaps at their best.

Christmas Number of the Musical World

The Christmas Holiday number of Brainard's Musical World is out, filled with interesting reading, fine illustrations and the following choice new music: "Christmas Bells" Reverie, and "Sunshine in Spain," by Richard Ferber; "The Glenwood" Schottische Capriee, by F. Lurt; "Song Without Words," by G. Holzel; and "Jack and the Sea," song by E. A. Phelps. The music is alone worth more than a years' subscription. The Christmas number will be mailed for 15 cents or three back numbers (containing about $5.00 worth of music) will be mailed for 25 cents, cash or stamps. The Musical World is published monthly at $1.50 per annum, and no music lover can afford to do without it. "The Musicians' Guide," a 200 page volume of valuable musical information, mailed on receipt of eight two-cent stamps. Address, The S. Brainard's Sons Co., Chicago Ill.

Children's Overcoats.

We would urge parents not to attempt to buy cloth and trimmings and make your boy's overcoats without first seeing the bargains the Oak Hall are giving. We bought a large lot, sizes 22 to 28 at a long way less than the cost of manufacture. You will appreciate the value of these overcoats where you once see see them.

Cheap Lamps

The slaughter sale of lamps from now until Xmas eve beats anything ever seen in Belleville. When this firm, W. J. Ried & Co., of the Crystal Hall offer any special line at a cut one can rely on getting great value and judging by the prices put for this sale it evidently is the place to get a lamp. It fairly stuns these corner stores who have a few for a side line. The stock of silver and china also at this establishment is simply amazing as to immensity and grandeur of display.

The Bird of Wisdom

An owl sat up in a hickory tree,
And said in an impudent manner to me
"Ter-hoo! ter-hoo! ter-hoo!"
I asked her, politely, "You lovely old bird,
"Have you of the 'Golden Discovery' heard?'
She ruffled her feathers and said but a word
That dreary, montonous "Who?

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is a warranted lung, liver and blood remedy, a powerful tonic and alterative, and a reliable vitalizer for weak persons; a panacea for scrofula, hip-joint diseases, fever sores, swellings and tumors; contains no alcohol, and is a medicine without a peer. There is no risk in buying a guaranteed articel. Your money back if it don't benefit or cure.

Carnot Always Spotlessly Attired.

No president of the French republic has undertaken so many journeys up and down France as M. Carnot. Thanks to his scientific training, the chief of the state is able to model all his trips on the same methodical plan and no hitches of any kind occur during any of his tours. The trips are carefully mapped out long before they begin, nothing being left to whim or caprice. A day is fixed for the departure, a special train is prepared and the president starts punctually at the appointed time. His travelling outfit is arranged on the same simple and orderly plan. In two large boxes are stowed away three dress suits, eleven shirts, three cordons of the legion, four pairs of varnished boots, and dozens of socks, cravats, and white gloves, with two buttons in each of them. If his dress clothes be even slightly damaged by dust or rain the president changes at once without delay, so that he is able to walk as spick and span as if he had just come out of the Elysee into a banquet or reception room. While travelling the president talks to his entourage nearly all the time, never giving himself up to a reverie or to reading. He devotes himself altogether, in fact, to those around him.

M. Grevy was less methodical but equally simple in his arrangements for his annual trip to Montsous-Vaudrey. Marshal MacMahon was also simplicity itself, his chief preoccupation in travelling being his gloves, which were always spotlessly white. M. Thiers invariably superintended his own travelling arrangements, and never went anywhere without his bed—a small military one. On a recent occasion M. Carnot was visiting a provincial town and attended a review at which everybody, himself included, was drenched by a sudden and furious downpour of rain. The presidential carriage took him to the prefecture, where he was staying, in a very bedraggled condition. Several hundred guests had been asked to assemble at 4:30, to meet him, and as it was nearly twenty minutes past when he drove up from the review everybody expected to see him come in with limp collar and spotted garments—like most of the people present. But on the strike of 4:30 the little president strutted in, immaculate as if he just stepped out of a bandbox. His valet had prepared one of the reserve suits and long habit has enabled the president to dress in ten minutes, decorations and all.

Some Turkish Proverbs.

Sit down crooked if you like, but talk straight.

If you come empty-handed they will tell you: "The effendi is asleep." If you come with a present they will say: "Effendi, pray step in."

It is not by saying "Honey, honey," the sweetness comes into the mouth.

The dog barks, but the caravan passes.

If all our wishes could be gratified, every beggar would be a pasha.

Measure yourself by your own yardstick.

Waiting on a young prince and grooming a spirited horse are two very difficult things.

One hour of justice (righteousness) is worth more than seventy years of prayers.

A poor man without patience is like a lamp without oil.

A secret shared by more than two becomes common property.

A king without justice is a river without water.—Il Carlino.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria

THE MAKING OF FOOD.

Natives That Have Made Profits in the Business.

The influence of the provision trade on the development of the countries of production does not concern us directly, but in considering the subject as a whole some allusion must be made to it. The preparation of food for exportation has been a source of prosperity wherever it has been able to establish itself, but among the many regions that have made money by it the United States have profited the most. They were the first to begin, on a larger scale at least, and they have gone on until they may be said to be growing everything. Though the larger part of their product is already required for home use, their shipments elsewhere have become a business of great gain to them, and have aided largely in the opening of new territories, but let it be remembered that, unlike us, they live exclusively on what they raise, and only send away their surplus.

The canning trade of the west has been carried to its actual success, not by exportation, but by home consumption. Of the 1,100,000 tins of fruit prepared in California in 1890 only 147,000 are shown to have been shipped abroad from Californian ports; all the rest "went east"; and though we must allow largely for exportations from Chicago, which has become a great distributing center, it is beyond doubt that the greater portion of the rest was used for native wants. In the matter of fruit the yield can hardly keep up with the home demand, although its increase is so rapid that the quantities of many sorts of both tinned and dried fruits are doubling from year to year. And so it is in many other trades. The pack of tinned salmon on the Pacific coast affords almost the sole example of overproduction; it reaches to about 1,600,000 cases, of which British Columbia furnishes 400,000 and the United States 1,200,000. The market cannot absorb all this, and the make will have to be cut down.

The provision trade of Chicago now attains an annual income of $28,000,000, although meat canning has spread away from its great home to many new points out West, and is prospering, especially at Cedar Rapids, Sioux City, and Kansas City. Beet sugar making is also on the increase. In Canada, too, there has been much progress, especially since the opening of the Canadian Pacific railway; but in comparison with what is happening in the States, Canada seems fast asleep.

Australia is only beginning; but she is trying her hand at many products, and there is good ground to hope that, as the years pass on, she may become the greatest of our purveyors. If she could cure the earthy taste of her wines, they might be largely sold among us. India is augmenting her shipments to us, and there—as almost everywhere, indeed—food of various sorts is assuming an important position among exports. In Europe itself the production of many of the more delicate articles is steadily gaining strength. Malta and Teneriffe are supplying us with increasing quantities of potatoes; and even in such an out-of-the-way little country as Bosnia an important commerce has grown up in dry plums, from 15,000 to 40,000 tons being sent away each year, according to the crop. All the world is gaining in proportion as we gain ourselves.—Blackwood's Magazine.

Gone Away.

There are stones on the turf where but lately we passed
Bridle loose, velvet-hoofed from the road to the sod,
Where the day's solemn work earned a canter at last,
And the Grange's trim yews gave a welcoming nod.

Nothing left—gone the old merry scamper to-day!
The lank herbage stiffened by cobbles and chalks;
The Grange is to let; and it sleeps in decay
With the yews all awry in the briar-strewn walks.

Trailing shrubs, tangled beds in unlimited woe,
The gray expanse blotted and choked by the leaves;
The only thing moving, a jackdaw or so,
And the afternoon sun beaming faint on the eaves.

There the little face came at the window to look
When Jim's busy shoes sounded clattering near,
Little face, pretty head that the brown ringlets shook,
Till the good house was closed with the mellowing year.

Not any bright smile from the gloomy abode,
Nor any sweet face that the hope will descry,
Great blinds staring white on the flint-crested road,
And Jim sidles past with a tear in his eye.

—Clifford Kitchen, in Temple Bar.

A Sagacious Dog.

An Odessa correspondent gives an interesting instance of a dog's sagacity. During the early hours of the morning of the 5th ult. the dvornik of a house in the Nyezheuskaia was awakened by the crash of window glass in the courtyard. Hastily arising, he found that a dog, owned by two ladies occupying apartments on the entresol, had sprung through a lower corridor window and appeared to be in a frantic state of alarm and anxiety. The dvornik awoke the servant on the ground floor, who declared there was nothing wrong in the house, but the action of the dog led them upstairs, where the two ladies were found insensible and apparently asphyxiated by the fumes of a stove which the attendant had neglected to shut off. Two doctors were immediately summoned, and succeeded, after an hour and a half, in restoring one of the suffers. The second case they declared to be hopeless. A third doctor who was then called in varied the restorative appliances by causing very hot water to be poured on the patient's head while ice was kept applied to the chest. After five hours' treatment the lady showed the first signs of recovery. The dog, to whose alarm the two ladies owe their lives, could not be ejected from the room during the process of restoration, and displayed unbounded joy when both his mistresse weres again able to speak to him and reward him with their grateful caresses.

Jenny Lind's Benevolence.

The Century is printing a series of papers on notable women. We quote from the December paper on "Jenny Lind": "The entire proceeds of the American tour, amounting to more than $20,000, were devoted by Jenny Lind to various benevolent objects. From the days of her early girlhood it had been her chief delight to use for the good of others the wealth which her genius brought her. She was ever ready to sing for a hospital, or a college, or a poor fellow-artist, or for the chorus, orchestra, or scene-shifters of the theatres where she appeared. 'Is it not beautiful that I can sing so?' she exclaimed when she was told that a large number of children would be saved from wretchedness by a concert she had given for their behalf. The volumes which contain such a record might well bear the label which Jenny Lind's old Swedish guardian placed round the packet containing her letters to him, "The Mirror of a Noble Soul.'"

Feminine Spite.

"I don't care," said the little girl who had not been invited to the party, "I don't care. I will get even with them!" And her eyes flashed as she stamped her small foot. "Pray, what will you do, my child?" asked her mother. "When I grow up I'll give a great big party, and I won't invite anyone.—Harper's Bazar.

Lives of others oft remind us
Married life may be sublime

We trust to to be forgiven this parody of lines from Longfellow's immortal "Psalm of Life." Husbands who are wise and and thoughtful, know that the happiness of the home depends largely on the health of the mistress of the home. Many are the tasks which daily confront her. How can a woman contend against the trials and worries of housekeeping, if she be suffering from those distressing irregularities, ailments and weaknesses peculiar to her sex? Dr. Pierce's favorite prescription is a specific for these disorders. The only remedy, sold by all druggists, under a positive guarantee from the manufacturers. Satisfaction guaranteed in every case, or money refunded. See printed guarantee on bottle wrapper.

TOWN TALK

New goods just arrived at Goldsmith's fish store, Bridge street—groceries, fish, fruits, cigars, oysters, cider, candies, Refreshments and lunches at all hours.

You will save money by getting your stoves and ranges from Deacon & Doyle. Deacon & Doyle carry a full line of gas fixtures, also Bray's patent burner the great saver of gas.

It will be worth your while to call and see the grand stock of stoves and ranges Deacon & Doyle have on hand.

F. A. Abraham, issuer of marriage licenses at the ONTARIO Office.

For catarrh or cold in the head use uttits catarrh cure, A L Geen agent

Cured Female Weakness

Mr. Hugh Caldwell, Clydesdale, Ont., writes:—"My daughter was under the care of doctors for more than a year for female weakness, without getting relief. I then procured Pink Pills and they cured her." All dealers 50 cents a box or 6 boxes for 2.60, or mailed on receipt of price. Dr. Williams' Med. Co., Brockville, Ont., and Schenectady, N. Y.

Clear Havana Cigars

"La Cadena" and "La Flora." Insist upon having these brands.

A PROLIFIC SOURCE OF DISEASE.—A trifling indiscretion in diet may lay the foundation of confirmed dyspepsia, and there is no fact in medical science more positively ascertained or more authoritatively asserted than that dyspepsia is the parent of a host of bodily ills, not the east of which is contamination of the blood and the maladies of which that is the direct consequence. Their original cause is however thoroughly eradicated from the system by Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Dyspeptic Cure, a medicine which only requires regularity and persistence in it use to cure dyspepsia and many other ills that arise from it. No detelerious mineral ingredient is contained in it, and though its act on is thorough in cases of costiveness it never produces griping pains in the abdominal region, or weakens the bowels like a violent purgative. It invigorates the system through the medium of the increased digestive and assimilative activity which it promotes and is also a most efficient remedy for kidney disease scrofulous and all diseases of the blood female weakness, &c., &c Price $1.00 Sample bottle 10 cents. Ask for Northrup & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Dyspeptic Cure. The wrapper bears a fac-simile of their signature Sold by all medicine dealers.

Monthly Prizes for Boys and Girls.

The "Sunlight" Soap, Co. Toronto, offer the following prizes every month till further notice, to boys and girls under 16 residing in the Province of Ontario, who send the greatest number of "Sunlight" wrappers 1st, $10; 2n $6; 3rd, $3; 4th, $1; 5th to 14th a Handsome Book; and a pretty picture to those who send not less than 12 wrappers. Send wrappers to "Sunlight" Soap Office, 43 Scott St., Toronto not later than 29th of each month, and marked "Competition"; and give full name address, age, and number of wrappers. Winners names will be publishes in The Toronto Mail first Saturday of each month.

Happy

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Rejoice Because

Hood's Sarsaparilla Rescued Their Child from Scrofula.

For Scrofula, Salt Rheum, and all other foul humors in the blood of children or adults, Hood's Sarsaparilla is an unequalled remedy. Read this:

"We are so thankful to Hood's Sarsaparilla for what it did for our little girl that we make this statement for the benefit of other anxious parents and

Suffering Children

Our girl was a beautiful baby, fair and plump and healthy. But when she was two years old, sores broke out behind her ears and spread rapidly over her head and forehead down to her eyes, and into her neck. We consulted one of the best physicians in Brooklyn, but nothing did her any good. The doctors said it was caused by a scrofula humor in the blood. Her head became

One Complete Sore

offensive to the smell and dreadful to look at. Her general health waned and she would lay in a large chair all day without any life or energy. The sores caused **great itching** and burning, so that at times we had to restrain her hands to prevent scratching. For 3 years

She Suffered Fearfully

with this terrible humor. Being urged to try Hood's Sarsaparilla we did so. We soon noticed that she had more life and appetite. The medicine seemed to drive out more of the humor for a short time, but it soon began to subside, the **itching and burning ceased**, and in a few months her head became entirely clear of the sore. She is now **perfectly well**, has no evidence of the humor, and her skin is clear and healthy. She seems like an entirely different child, in health and general appearance, from what she was before taking

Hood's Sarsaparilla

I. W. FREDERICK, 311 Glenmore Ave., East New York, Brooklyn, N. Y.

This Testimonial

Is an illustration of what Hood's Sarsaparilla is doing for the sick and suffering every day, from Maine to California. In the light of these facts who can say that the work of an immense concern like ours is not beneficent?

HOOD'S PILLS cure liver ills, constipation, biliousness, ... sick headache, indigestion.

A Cure For Constipation And Headache

Dr. Silas Lane while in the Rocky Mountains discovered a root that when combined with other herbs makes an easy and certain cure for constipation. It is in the form of dry roots and leaves, and is known as Lane's Family Medicine. It will cure sick headache in one night. For the blood, liver and kidneys, and for clearing up the complexion it does wonders. Druggists sell it at 50 cents a package.

The Wild Cherry combined with Milburn's Cod Liver Oil Emulsion makes it delicious in taste and perfect in curative power.

As an after dinner pill, to strengthen the stomach, assist digestion, and correct all bilious tendencies, Ayer's pills are considered the best. Being sugar coated, they are as agreeable as any confection, and may be taken by the most delicate.

EXCELSIOR LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY (LIMITED)

HEAD OFFICE - - - TORONTO.

President and Managing Director, E. F. CLARKE, M.P.P., Ex-Mayor of Toronto.

The Government Report for the year 1891 shows the Excelsior Life

AHEAD OF ALL OTHER COMPANIES

Doing business in Canada, in all the Essential Points making profits to its Policy Holders larger than in any other Company. The report shows:

1. That the EXCELSIOR has a Larger Ratio of Assets to Liabilities..
2. " " earns a Higher Rate of Interest........
3. " " secured its business at a lower cost........
4. " " has a lower death rate..................

} Than ANY OTHER COMP'Y Doing business in Canada.

DONT BE MIS-LED BY THE BIG FIGURES

Of some other Companies which are unintelligible and misleading.

REMEMBER that the TRUE MEASURE

Of the Security of a Company is its PROPORTION of Assets to Liabilities.

The following are the ratio of Assets to Liabilities of the different Canadian Companies as given in the Government Report for 1891:

EXCELSIOR LIFE....	415 per cent.	:	Dominion Life....	301 per cent.
Canada Life...........	112 "	:	Confederation Life	111 "
Federal Life	144 "	:	London Life......	115 "
Manufacturers Life.....	144 "	:	North American .	125 "
Sun Life...............	114 "	:	Ontario Mutual ..	103 "

Temperance and General Life 134 per cent.

The EXCELSIOR LIFE CHALLENGES ANY OTHER COMPANY to show in the same period of its history—

1. As low a Death rate. 2. As low a ratio of expenses

Our Life Rate Endowment is the cheapest Endowment in the market. See it before insuring elsewhere.

Policies taken out NOW will participate in the full profits of the year 1892.

J. A. CAMPION,

DISTRICT AGENT, BELLEVILLE.

HERE GOES!

We have decided to slaughter lamps from to-day until New Year's Eve. These

LAMPS

Must go if we have to give them away which we can do as well as the rest can.

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We offer a Man's Overcoat for $3.90 that cost $4.78 wholesale. We offer splendid fitting Suits and in 150 different patterns at $6.00 usually worth $8.75 wholesale. This suit if sold in the regular way would bring $11.00 and $12. Our great big Xmas box for the buyer consists of 900 overcoats, ranging in price $17, $16 and $14. Your choice for $10. The cloth alone is worth more than we ask for the whole overcoat complete.

Look them all through, and then come to us and if we fail to convince the most sceptical that our stock is not at least 5 times larger, and our prices are 50 per cent. lower than those of other dealers, we will give a whole outfit free.

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Childs Suits for $1.50 all wool
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Are you 5 years old? If so, I have 25 patterns in Suits.

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NOTICE!
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From now untill Xmas we will make four displays in our windows as it would be impossible to put anything like an assortment of our immense stock in one window, we therefore sincerly hope you will be patient and not purchase these goods displayed in other houses before first looking over our stock and comparing prices.
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Our endeavors to make the Fair headquarters for Christmas supplies is more marked this all than at any other previous time. Our store though large, is not sufficient to accommodate the great crowds at Christmas times. We would therefore urge you to make your selections now while the stock is complete and avoid the crowd.
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should be made from 3 to 4 weeks before cutting. We have a nice lot already and would advise our customers to come in and select one or more and we will put them away untill required. We will finish them up with or without Almond Icing according to order. Anyone making their own cakes and would like to have us bake them must have them in between this and the 19th of December.
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My baby, when two months old, had a breaking out with what the doctor called eczema. Her head, arms, feet, and hands were each one solid sore. I tried everything, but neither the doctors nor anything else did her any good. We could get no rest day or night with her. In my extremity I tried the CUTICURA REMEDIES, but I confess I had no faith in them, for I had never seen them tried. To my great surprise, in one week's time after beginning to use the CUTICURA REMEDIES, the sores were well, but I continued to use the RESOLVENT for a little while, and now she is as fat a baby as you would like to see, and as sound as a dollar. I believe my baby would have died if I had not tried CUTICURA REMEDIES. I write this that every mother with a baby like mine can feel confident that there is a medicine that will cure the worst eczema, and that medicine is the CUTICURA REMEDIES.
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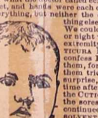

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PRESIDENT BUMPTIOUS.

HARRISON HAS AN ATTACK OF AMUSING SPLEEN.

His Annual Message to Congress—Objection to Canada's Power in British Action—The Absurd Idea of Stopping Bonding Privileges.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—President Harrison has delivered his annual message to Congress. That which is interesting to Canadians is as follows:

International Relations.

"During the past year a suggestion was received through the British Minister that the Canadian Government would like to confer as to the possibility of enlarging upon terms of mutual advantage the Commercial Exchanges of Canada and the United States, and a conference was held at Washington, with Mr. Blaine acting for this Government, and the British Minister at the Capital and three members of the Dominion Cabinet acting as commissioners on the part of Great Britain.

The conference developed the fact that the Canadian Government was only prepared to offer to the United States, in exchange for the concessions asked, the admission of natural products. The statement was frankly made that favored rates could not be given to the United States as against the Mother Country.

This admission, which was foreseen, necessarily terminated the conference upon the question. The benefits of an exchange of natural products would be almost wholly with the people of Canada.

Some other topics of interest were considered in the conference, and have resulted in the making of a convention for examining the Alaska boundary and the waters of Passamaquoddy Bay, adjacent to Eastport, Me., in the initiation of an arrangement for the probation of fish in the coterminous and neighboring waters of our northern border.

The controversy as to tolls on the Welland Canal, which was presented to Canada at the last session by special message, having failed of adjustment, I felt constrained to exercise the authority conferred by the act of July 26, 1892, and to proclaim suspension of the free use of St. Mary's Falls Canal to cargoes in transit to Canada.

The Secretary of the Treasury established such tolls as were thought to be equivalent to the exactions unjustly levied upon our commerce in Canadian canals.

If, as we must suppose, the political relations of Canada and the disposition of the Canadian Government are to remain unchanged, a somewhat radical revision of our trade relations should, I think, be made. Our relations must be intimate, and they should be friendly.

Dislikes Canada's Protests.

I regret to say, however, that in many of the controversies, notably those as to the fisheries on the Atlantic, the sealing interests on the Pacific and the canal tolls, our negotiations with Great Britain have continuously been thwarted or retarded by unreasonable and unfriendly objections and protests from Canada. In the matter of the canal tolls, our treaty rights were flagrantly disregarded.

It is hardly too much to say that the Canadian Pacific and other railway lines which parallel our northern boundaries are sustained by commerce, having either its origin or terminus, or both, in the United States. Canadian railroads compete with those of the United States for our traffic and without the restraints of the Interstate Commerce Act. The cars pass almost without detention into and out of our territory. The Canadian Pacific Railway brought into the United States from China and Japan, via British Columbia, during the year ended June 30, 1892, 24,039,689 pounds of freight and it carried from the United States to be shipped to China and Japan, via British Columbia, 24,068,346 pounds of freight. There were also shipped from the United States over this road from eastern ports of the United States to our Pacific ports during the same year 13,912,073 pounds of freight, and there were received over this road at the United States eastern ports, from ports on the Pacific coast, 13,293,315 pounds of freight. Mr. Joseph Nimmo, jr., former chief of the Bureau of Statistics, when before the Senate Committee on relations with Canada, April 26, 1890, said that "the value of goods thus transported between different points in the United States across Canadian territory probably amounts to $100,000,000 a year."

Retaliation Advocated.

There is no disposition on the part of the people or Government of the United States to interfere in the smallest degree with the political relations with Canada. That question is wholly with her own people. It is time for us, however, to consider whether, if the present state of things and trend of things is to continue, an interchange upon lines of land transportation should not be put upon a different basis, and our entire independence of Canadian canals of the St. Lawrence as an outlet to the sea secured by the construction of an American canal around the Falls of Niagara, the opening of ship communication between the great lakes and of our own seaports.

We should withdraw the support which is given to the railroad and steamship lines of Canada by a traffic that properly belongs to us, and no longer furnish the earnings which lighten the otherwise crushing weight of the enormous public subsidies that have been given to them.

Bonding Privileges.

The subject of the power of the Treasury to deal with this matter without further legislation has been under discussion, but circumstances have postponed a conclusion.

It is probable that a consideration of the propriety of a modification or abrogation of the articles of the treaty of Washington relating to the transit of goods in bond is involved in any complete solution of the question. The construction of the Canadian Pacific Railway and the establishment under large subventions from Canada and England of fast steamship service from Vancouver with Japan and China seriously threaten our shipping interests in the Pacific.

This line of English steamers received, as is stated by the Commissioner of Navigation, a direct subsidy of $400,000 annually, or $30,767 per trip for 13 voyages, in addition to some further aid from the admiralty in connection with contracts under which the vessels may be used for naval purposes. The competing American Pacific mail line under the act of March 3, 1891, receives only $6389 per round trip. Efforts have been made within the past year, as I am informed, to establish under similar conditions a line between Vancouver and some Australian port with a view of seizing there a trade in which we have had a large interest.

The Commissioner of Navigation states that a very large per cent. of our imports from Asia are now brought to us by English steamships and their connecting railways in Canada.

An Unequal Contest.

With a view of promoting this trade, especially in tea, Canada has imposed a discriminating duty of 10 per cent. upon tea and coffee brought into the Dominion from the United States.

If this unequal contest between American lines, without subsidy or with diminished ... to which I have referred ... ... I think we should at least see that the facilities for customs entry and transportation across our territory are not such as to make the Canadian route a favored one, and that the discrimination as to duties, to which I have referred, is met by a like discrimination as to the importation of these articles from Canada.

No subject, I think, more nearly touches the pride, the power and the prosperity of our country than the development of our merchant marine upon the sea.

If we could enter into conference with other competitors, and all would agree to withhold Government aid, we could perhaps take our chances with the rest, but our great competitors have established and maintained their lives by Government subsidies until they now have practically excluded us from participation. In my opinion no choice is left to us but to pursue, moderately at least, the same lines.

English Opinions.

LONDON, Dec. 7.—In commenting on President Harrison's message, The Morning Post says:

"A perusal of Mr. Harrison's message suggests rather the dogged courage of a gladiator than the foresight of a statesman. It is singularly characteristic of his community that the retiring President finds it is consistent with his position to indulge in a flourish of impotent menace against Canada."

The Daily News says that much attention need not be paid to President Harrison's reference to Canada.

The Standard says. Not everyone is privileged to vent his spleen in the form of a state paper. Mr. Harrison's message is not meant to be gracious. The warning to Canada is polite compared with the threat once hurled at Chili, but has flavor nevertheless.

There is an unwelcome ambiguity in reference to the Behring Sea matter. But it matters little what he says—Ichabod is written in every sentence.

The Chronicle says: Mr. Harrison's tariff remarks remind us of the school boy maxim, "If you tell a lie, tell a big un and stick to it." It may now be regarded as certain that America will make the Nicaragua Canal and thus prevent France from reviving the Panama scheme.

DR. BRIGGS' TRIAL.

He Is Accused of Denying the Principle That God Cannot Lie.

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—In the Briggs trial yesterday Dr. Birch continued his argument. He joined the two charges, 1 and 2, which set forth Dr. Briggs' theory that the church and the reason are sources of divine authority equal with the Bible, and attacked them as contrary to the teachings of the Presbyterian standard that the Bible is the only source of divine authority.

Having attacked the authority of the scriptures there is no escape from the heresy that errors may have existed in the original text of the scriptures, and this forms the basis for a charge of heresy.

He said: "The higher criticism, as represented by the inaugural, uses the same processes as those rebuked by Christ during His early ministry. It makes the Scripture of more effect. Yet the Bible frequently speaks of itself as the Oracles of God. The church is only the trustee and guardian of the Bible.

"If Dr. Briggs alleges that errors exist in the Bible he denies the principle that God cannot lie. Dr. Briggs says that the Bible is inspired of God, therefore he must believe God capable of double dealing and misrepresentation.

"The autocracy of the scriptures is so absolute that we cannot add to nor take from it anything without destroying its unity and completeness. Christianity without a Bible is a lamp without a light and a messenger without a message."

The argument of the prosecution on the latter three charges remains to be presented. Then Dr. Briggs will be called on to answer the accusation.

A HEAVY LOSS.

The Philadelphia Ledger Printing Office Gutted By Fire and Water.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 7.—The Public Ledger building, at the southwest corner of Sixth and Chestnut-streets, was badly gutted last evening by fire and water. The damage by fire was confined almost entirely to the composing room, situated on the top floor, but a torrent of water poured down through the building, flooding every floor in the structure. The loss can only be approximated to-night, but will probably be between $250,000 and $300,000.

CROP OF ROOTS.

Satisfactory Yield at the Central Experimental Farm.

OTTAWA, Dec. 7.—The root crop at the Central Experimental Farm this year has been highly satisfactory, the total quantity taken off 18 acres being 246 tons. Of this 120 tons were carrots, which ran as high as 25 and 27 tons to the acre. Yellow globe and red mangolds also did well, running from 20 to 26 tons to the acre, while one part of the field, about 40 feet square, on which a manure heap had stood, yielded at the rate of 40 tons to the acre, showing the value of manuring this vegetable.

Sugar beets also did very well, averaging from 15 to 23½ tons to the acre.

Cyclone in Texas.

ATLANTA, Tex., Dec. 7.—About 1 o'clock yesterday a disastrous cyclone occurred three miles east of here, sweeping away farm houses and outbuildings and leaving death and general destruction in its path.

The house of Samuel McAdams was destroyed and he and three children were fatally hurt.

One child was found 300 yards away in a dying condition.

Charles Casey's gin house was destroyed with all its contents.

The house of W. Dawson, colored, was demolished and several children fatally injured.

France's Pacific Intentions.

PARIS, Dec. 6.—President Carnot presided at the meeting of the Cabinet which was held this afternoon, and at which was discussed the declaration of policy which the ministry will make on Thursday.

It is understood that it was agreed to allow a discussion with regard to respective powers of the judiciary and legislature immediately after the reading of the ministry's declaration, which, it is expected, will lay special stress on the pacific intention of the cabinet.

Erie Canal Closed.

ALBANY, Dec. 7.—At the Department of the State Superintendent of Public Works it was stated yesterday that the water has been drawn off this end of the Erie Canal, leaving a dozen boats at Schenectady, thus closing navigation for this season.

Comic Singers on Their Uppers.

ITHACA, N.Y., Dec. 6.—Nineteen members of the Boston Comic Opera Co. are stranded here. The singers allege that the manager, Harry Curtis, abandoned the troupe last night without paying them.

He Will See Dark Life.

LONDON, Dec. 2.—Mr. Portal has been ...

THE NEW MINISTRY.

Hon. J. A. Chapleau Has Been Appointed Lieutenant-Governor of Quebec.

OTTAWA, Dec. 7.—The task entrusted to Sir John Thompson by the Governor-General a week ago has been completed, and yesterday Sir John submitted to His Excellency the following list of the new Ministry, the members of which will be sworn in to-morrow:

Sir John Thompson—Premier and Minister of Justice.
Hon. Mackenzie Bowell—Minister of Trade and Commerce.
Hon. G. E. Foster—Minister of Finance.
Sir A. P. Caron—Postmaster General.
Hon. John Costigan—Secretary of State.
Hon. C. H. Tupper—Minister of Marine and Fisheries.
Hon. John Haggart—Minister of Railways and Canals.
Hon. J. A. Ouimet—Minister of Public Works.
Hon. J. C. Patterson -- Minister of Militia.
Hon. T. M. Daly—Minister of the Interior.
Hon. A. R. Angers—Minister of Agriculture.
Hon. W. B. Ives—President of the Privy Council.
Hon. John Carling and Hon. Frank Smith—Ministers without portfolio.
The above form the Cabinet.
Mr. J. J. Curran—Solicitor-General.
Mr. N. Clarke Wallace—Controller of Customs.
Mr. J. F. Wood—Controller of Inland Revenue.

The new Government, including the ministers with and without portfolios and the three sub-ministers without portfolios, includes 17 men, distributed thus:

Maritime Provinces: Thompson, Tupper, Foster, Costigan.
Quebec: Caron, Angers, Ouimet, Ives, Curran.
Ontario: Bowell, Haggart, Patterson, Smith, Carling, Wallace, Wood.
Northwest: Daly.
Ministers with portfolios: Maritime Provinces 4, Quebec 4, Ontario 3 (Bowell, Haggart, Patterson), Northwest 1.
Ministers without portfolios: Ontario 2 (Smith, Carling).
As to religion:
Protestants—Carling, Bowell, Foster, Patterson, Tupper, Ives, Daly, Haggart, Wallace, Wood—10.
Catholics—Thompson, Caron, Ouimet, Angers, Costigan, Curran, Smith—7.

The great spending departments, those with patronage, go thus: Quebec—Post-office, Public Works. Ontario—Railways and Canals, Militia, Customs, Inland Revenue. Northwest—Interior.

Out of the 14 seats in the Cabinet no less than 9 are filled by lawyers, and of the 3 minor positions 2 are filled by members of the legal profession. Eleven out of a total of 17 is a pretty good percentage in favor of the law.

Hon. Mackenzie Bowell will sit in the Senate, in place of the late Senator Alexander, and Hon. Mr. Angers will represent Lavalliere division in the same house.

Hon. J. A. Chapleau has been appointed Lieutenant-Governor of Quebec.

Accountants' Shortage.

OTTAWA, Dec. 7.—It is stated that a demand has been made on the London Guarantee Company, through its Ottawa agent, Mr. Stuart Henderson, for $2256, as the amount of shortage in the accounts of the late accountant and assistant accountant of the House of Commons.

No appointment has yet been made to the accountantships, but it is understood that the assistant accountantship has been filled by the appointment of D. W. Cameron, son of the late Chief Justice Sir Matthew Crooks Cameron, and for several years secretary to the Conservative whips in the House.

"Dug" is very popular with both the members and the press and his appointment will give great satisfaction.

A New Broom.

OTTAWA, Dec. 7.—Mr. Collingwood Schreiber has entered upon his duties as Deputy Minister of Railways and Canals. He is credited with the intention of dismissing all the extra clerks in his department and insisting that the work shall be done by the permanent staff.

SOULANGES NOMINATION.

Addresses Given by Hon. J. A. Ouimet and Mr. Laurier.

MONTREAL, Dec. 7.—The nominations for Soulanges took place yesterday at Coteau Landing. Mr. Bain, Conservative, and Dr. Bourbonnais, Liberal, were nominated.

Speeches were made by Hon. J. A. Ouimet, representing the Dominion Government, and Mr. Laurier, the Liberal leader.

Mr. Ouimet declared that the Government would render justice to the minority in the Manitoba school question.

Mr. Laurier did not make any declaration in the Manitoba school question, which he declared would soon have to be discussed in Parliament. He denounced the Government's general policy.

A BELGIAN COLONY

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OTTAWA, Dec. 7.—Mr. Vervort, a Belgian, who has been spending some months in traveling about the Canadian Northwest, with a view to investment there, had an interview yesterday with the officers of the Department of the Interior. Mr. Vervort expressed himself as highly pleased with the C.P.R. country, and proposes settling a large number of families of his fellow-countrymen in the neighborhood of Winnipeg, where he himself intends to reside.

Mr. Vervort prefers to buy improved land of the best quality only, and will assist such of his countrymen as need help.

The Deadly Scaffold.

HAMILTON, Dec. 7.—Yesterday when Norton Roe, 135 Rebecca-street, and another man were at work on a building in Grant-avenue the scaffold broke and they got a bad fall. Roe fell into an excavation for a sewer and the other man landed on top of a man who was working in the sewer.

Roe had his left leg broken above the ankle and was injured internally. He was taken to the hospital in the ambulance. The other man was not seriously hurt.

Long Distance Trolley.

HAMILTON, Dec. 7.—R. R. Waddell will apply at the next session of Parliament for a charter to run a trolley line from here to Schaw station on the C.P.R. He proposes to run it over the Hamilton and Dundas line from here to Dundas and then out to Schaw. Mr. Waddell expects by that time the storage system will be in working order.

According to Mr. Waddell's ideas this is the only feasible line out of the city to the north and northwestward.

Dr. Siemens Dead.

BERLIN, Dec. 7.—Dr. C. W. Siemens, the well-known engineer and electrician, died yesterday.

A Child's Folly.

NEW HAVEN, Dec. 6.—Fanny Berkofski, aged 2 years, took a shovel full of burning coals from the stove to-day and put them in a baby carriage in which was her 6 months' ...

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BELLEVILLE, WEDNESDAY, DEC. 7th

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JOHNNY, GET YOUR GUN.

Our amiable and brilliant local contemporary has discovered new and dangerous elements of disturbance in the political atmosphere of the country. Unrestricted reciprocity or the agitation of such a doctrine, was only "veiled treason" and now the traitorous Grits and their allies are beginning to reveal their designs. The vigorous appeals for a change in the management of public affairs that have emenated from influential sources, and the support given to the movement in favor of Continental Union, have frightened the Tory moss-backs. Those who despair of seeing important reforms under present party restrictions are not afraid of openly advocating a political union with the country that borders ours for thousands of miles on the south. In fact the annexation sentiment seems to be sweeping forward with an irrestible force, and unless the masses can see prospects of some improvement in the near future there will be a political revolution of great magnitude. This conviction has so excited the restrictionist organs that they begin to mutter bellicose threats. "Johnny get your gun," and let's us go hunting annexationists. It may be a greater diversion than shooting at inanimate objects in the gun-club gallery. There is a true, manly sport in hunting what is difficult to capture, or can defend itself. But this is a digression.

It will surprise these ultra loyalists some day to discover that the annexationists are not all Grits. This discovery they will make, and it will cool their ardor for a campaign in the tented field. In this city there are scores of men who never cast a vote for Reform candidates in any political contest, but who are pronounced annexationists. They have been convinced by the logic of events that, in order to obtain even a limited prosperity as a people, we must have freer access to the markets of the United States. They are also convinced that the greatest prosperity would come from a political union, with so great and enterprising a people as our southern neighbors have proved themselves to be. There are thousands of Tories scattered over Canada who believe this, and will not much longer dissemble their convictions.

The loud-mouthed loyalists who threatened dire consequences for a free suppression of private opinion are known to be little better than hypocrites. They prate loudly about their loyalty and dislike of Yankee institutions, but send their sons to the United States to earn a living. We know men in our midst who are conspicuously abusive of those who disagree with them politically, but who have children living and prospering in the neighboring republic. They denounce those who want better trade relations with the States as traitors to their country, and insist that only Grits find it more attractive on the other side of the line. At the same time they tacitly admit that Canada with all her resources of wealth in forest, mine and soil of unsurpassed fertility, aided by a climate that ensures the fullest development of animal and vegetable life, offers inadequate returns for labor performed. There must be a change of some kind, and political union with the States will inevitably result unless we are emancipated from the absurd fiscal laws that are now, and have been for a decade, crippling the best energies of our people, and driving thousands of them from the country. It will only result as a policy of despair, and not until other means of redress are exhausted or found impossible of attainment. There is now a wide spread and growing feeling of discontent, and this feeling is not confined to party lines nor attributable to traitorous doctrines. It is the outcome of a long continued and increasing depression, that effects alike all classes of people who are, not the favored beneficiaries of a monopoly that was created, and is sustained by an ingritous tariff.

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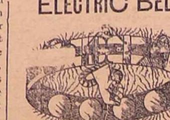

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A GAMBLER CLAIMS HER

IDENTITY OF THE SUICIDE AT SAN DIEGO, CAL.

She Was Not Lizzie Wyllie, for Lizzie Wrote a Letter from Toronto Last Wednesday—It Was a Schoolmate of the Suicide Who Sent Money.

DETROIT, Dec. 7.—The mystery surrounding the identity of the woman who was found dead on the beach at San Diego, Cal., last Tuesday morning with a pistol beside her is becoming deeper than ever. Developments tend to show that she was not Lizzie Wyllie after all.

Mrs. John G. Longfield, whose husband's name was coupled in so distressing a manner with that of the missing Wyllie girl, received a letter from her husband, dated Cleveland, this morning. In it he encloses a letter which he alleges he received from Lizzie Wyllie last Wednesday, dated Toronto, Ont.

The Wyllies formerly lived in Toronto, and as Lizzie has relatives there it is hoped she will soon be located.

Her letter does not show that there was other than a purely friendly feeling existing between the young woman and Longfield.

A despatch from Hamburgh, Ia., apparently clears up the San Diego suicide mystery. It stated that "Mrs. L. Bernard," the suicide, was the wife of a gambler well-known in Hamburgh. He tried to borrow money several weeks ago to bring his wife home from California, where he said she was sick; but his story was not believed.

The Allen referred to in the despatches as having sent Mrs. Bernard $25 at her request did so as an act of charity. He had been a schoolmate of Mrs. Bernard in Illinois.

UNDER SENTENCE.

Slavin, the Cornwall Murderer, Says He Worked for Some Time at Lachine.

CORNWALL, Dec. 7.—James Slavin, whose execution is set down for Dec. 16, still maintains the same calm exterior as on the day of his trial and sentence to death. Dean Murray and the Rev. Father Corbett paid the doomed man a visit on Saturday, as did also the Rev. Mr. Hastie, pastor of Knox Church. Slavin conversed very freely with the reverend gentlemen, but they failed to effect his conversion. Slavin says: "There is no use; I am bad enough now without playing the part of a hypocrite; I have studied the different Bibles up, but cannot convince myself that punishment or bliss follows death. I believe when a man leaves this world of grief and tears he has nothing to account for. I do not believe in Heaven or hell. I wrote several contradictions to the Bibles and sent them to the sheriff, who, when he perused them, consigned them to the waste paper basket. Since then I have quit writing."

Slavin says the story about his being a cowboy and desperado is all rot; that previous to the unfortunate affair that caused his being sentenced to death, he was employed on the Ohio coal docks at Duluth, and subsequently worked on a steam shovel at Lachine.

A drop weight, weighing 300 pounds, was cast at Gillie's foundry here last week, but this was thought too small and a larger one is now in the moulds. The hangman, Radclive, who will send the unfortunate man into eternity, complained very strongly of the way in which the railway employes on the Intercolonial handled his valise, which contained his paraphernalia, in their eagerness to see the rope at the end of which Buck dangled. They pried open the end of his valise.

FROM THE BASTION.

How a Forger Is Enjoying Himself While Awaiting Extradition.

TORONTO, Dec. 7.—Charles E. Davidson, who was arrested at Juarez, Mexico, just across the Rio Grande from El Paso, Texas, for obtaining $10,000 from the Bank of Hamilton at Hamilton, Ont., by discounting forged orders, witnessed a novel sight on Sunday from the window of the bastion in which he is confined while awaiting the order for his extradition. It was the beginning of the annual festa and bull fighting was the chief attraction. The ring adjoins the prison.

Davidson and 3000 people saw five bulls tortured, two horses killed and another wounded. The first bull turned in refused to fight. The second was not as big as the first, but had plenty of fight. He sent the toreadors behind the blinds in a hurry, and brought first blood by hooking one of the men in the hand. The three other bulls brought in made good fights.

There were several narrow escapes and two fighters were caught, but not seriously hurt. These incidents set the Mexicans to yelling frantically.

Two horses were killed under one picador and a third was severely hooked. The horses were blindfolded and wholly dependent upon the science of their rider for protection from the mad rushes of the bulls. But the fellow handled the pike clumsily and utterly failed to keep off the bull, whose sharp horns would penetrate a horse's side, and horse and rider would be thrown to the ground. The picador was rescued while the infuriated bull was goring the horse.

The last bull was killed by the picador at the first thrust of his sword, which entered between the shoulder-blades

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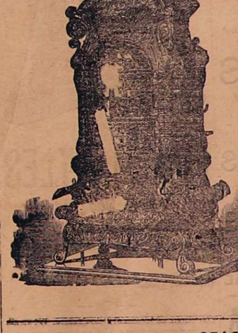

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THE SILVER QUESTION.

ROTHSCHILD HAS WITHDRAWN THE PLAN HE PROPOSED.

Suspension of Silver Coinage in the United States Might Stop Coinage in India—Perils of the Situation—Products of Silver Mines in America.

BRUSSELS, Dec. 7.—The Monetary Conference resumed its sitting yesterday and continued its discussion of the report of the committee which examined into Rothschild's proposals.

After a speech by Sir C. Rivers-Wilson, a member of the British delegation, Mr. Rothschild announced that he withdrew his scheme from further consideration of the conference.

Sir C. Rivers-Wilson said his views were entirely shared by Sir C. Fremantle, Deputy Master of the British Mint. He said: "We believe that all the governments who have sent delegates here recognize the presence of a great danger, otherwise our presence here is not justified. A note of warning has reached us from America, and to say the least it is doubtful whether the American Government can continue indefinitely the gigantic efforts which it has fruitlessly made so many years to maintain and raise the price of silver. We need not enquire whether the policy which governed the currency legislation of the great Republic was wise in conception, but it cannot be denied that it has not realized expectations and is greatly the cause of our present position.

Perils of the Situation.

"In any case the suspension of American silver purchases has become a practical question of the day, and if it occurred might lead to the suspension of coinage in India. Naturally our instructions require us, before concluding that matters must be left as they are, to examine with the greatest care any plan submitted for the purpose of extending the monetary use of silver. We have thus far studied only the Rothschild and Levi plans and are willing to admit that the adoption of either or both would not be incompatible with our principle.

"Another plan may, however, be formulated and approved by the conference, and if it does not conflict with the principles we have laid down it will receive serious consideration from the British Government."

James B. McCreary of the American delegation proceeded to point out the difficulties and perils of the existing situation. He said that whatever was the cause the fact remained that a remedy was imperatively needed. He appreciated the attention which Mr. de Rothschild had given to the important business of the conference, but he could not support the Rothschild plan.

"I cannot admit," he said, "that it is just the proper remedy for America to continue to purchase 54,000,000 ounces of silver annually at a price not to exceed 100 cents on the dollar on condition that the European powers make yearly purchases to the amount of £5,000,000 for five years at a price not to exceed 43 pence per ounce, and that if silver should rise above that price purchase be immediately suspended. I cannot see why we in America should be required to pay 100 cents on the dollar, if necessary, while the European powers pay only 73 cents on the dollar. It seems an unequal distribution that we should be expected to purchase twice as much silver as Europe.

Restore Silver to a Parity.

"The object of the conference should be not to fix a price which would keep silver below par, but to enlarge the use and restore it to a parity with value it had with gold prior to 1873, when it was first outlawed."

Mr. McCreary then referred to complaints of the British Chamber of Commerce, quoted the recent declarations of Archbishop Walsh and Mr. A. J. Balfour, and contended that the situation demanded a broader recognition and a better remedy than that suggested by Mr. de Rothschild. The American delegates, he said, were ready to co-operate with the other delegates in a candid and earnest effort to maintain the monetary functions of both metals.

Referring to the silver bullion law he said that the law was not entirely satisfactory to either party, and in support of his statement he quoted from the platforms adopted by the Minneapolis and Chicago conventions. For himself he believed that the Silver Act of 1890 would be repealed, if not at the present session of Congress certainly at the next. He believed that the product of the silver mines had reached its maximum in America and perhaps in the whole world.

The supply of gold had increased proportionately more than silver. During the last 44 years silver had fluctuated less than gold had, compared with the price of commodities. The owners and holders of money bonds and mortgages were directly interested in reducing the volume of money, because that increased the purchasing power of their money or its equivalent. But the interests of the farmer, laborer and producer demanded a constantly increasing volume of money, because the rate of such increase regulated the price of property and the wages of laborers. In concluding Mr. McCreary said:

"I believe the best aim of the conference to be the general remonetization of silver and the unrestricted coinage of gold and silver into money of debt-paying power, with a permanent international ratio of 15½ or 16 to 1, and I prefer the latter. This, in my opinion, is a system that would give unity and stability to the value of money and would furnish the best remedy for the existing evils from which all civilized nations are suffering."

Mr. de Rothschild followed Mr. McCreary. He said that as America would not support his proposals he considered that it would be most in accordance with the respect due the conference to withdraw them.

The conference adjourned until Thursday.

Served the Purpose.

PARIS, Dec. 7.—The Journal des Débats whose financial editor was a member of the committee appointed by the International Monetary Conference to consider the Rothschild proposals, declares that the scheme was only a slight modification of the project advanced 10 years ago by Prof. Levi, a German.

The paper adds that the proposals would not have received any attention if they had not been presented by Mr. Rothschild.

Continuing, The Journal says that though the committee rejected the Rothschild proposal it served the useful purpose of eliciting distinct declarations that it is useless to rely upon any legislative check to the production of silver in the United States and Mexico, and that if the conference proves futile the United States Government will cease its purchases of silver and India will adopt a new standard.

The paper concludes by declaring that the mysterious tactics of the American delegates delay definite proposals.

Earthquake at Tunis.

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All through the Provinces the rapid increase of La Grippe, is causing great alarm. A report was received here to-day, of a new development of the disease, which is worse, perhaps than any other. Wm. Hanley of N. Y. City, died in terrible agony after sickness of only four days. His tongue swelled to such an extent as to make it impossible for him to close his jaws or swallow any food. The report is causing the people in this district to inquire into the noted Grip-cure, recently referred to in so many papers. In Cape Breton the disease has spread very rapidly and with fatal results. D. J. Killop of L'Archeveque writes Feb. 11th that this cure has been tried in his neighborhood and with such success that all those residing there are obtaining a supply believing it to be the only remedy affording relief and effecting a certain cure. He finished his letter by asking for a large quantity of the Medicine (Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills) to supply the demands of the community for the relief of LaGrippe.

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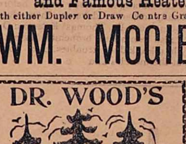

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Ben Young of Oil City, Pa., and Mike Ryan of Lockport, N.Y., had a small stake and an old grudge up. So, with their backers and bottle-holders, they arrived here from Hamilton yesterday afternoon and lost no time in reaching the battle ground, behind the Humber, and proceeded without any ceremony to settle the matter.

The men are middle-weights and tipped the beam at about 150 lbs. They were well matched and made a desperate fight. The Lockport man made a game showing early in the battle. Both men went at it hammer and tongs. In the sixth round it was anybody's fight. But in the seventh Young got in three sledge-hammer blows and wound up by banging Ryan against the ropes. Mike failed to respond in the allotted time, so Young was awarded the battle.

The fight was according to London Prize Ring rules, except that the men fought with bare knuckles. It was 5.15 p.m. when the pugilists entered the temporary ring and at ... o'clock Young had knocked his man out.

An Incipient Fight in India.

CALCUTTA, Dec. 6.—A band of Chilosi tribesmen attacked a Cashmere guard yesterday. The tribesmen were repulsed, with loss of 50 killed.

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THE EXCELSIOR LIFE CHALLENGES a ... same period of its history ...

1. As low a Death rate. 2. ...

Our Life Rate Endowment is the cheapest Endowment in the market. See it before insuring elsewhere.

Policies taken out NOW will participate in the full profits of the year 1892.

J. A. CAMPION,

DISTRICT AGENT, BELLEVILLE.

CANADIAN EMIGRANTS.

Must Be of a Kind to Work on the ... of the Dominion.

LONDON, Dec. 9.—Great interest is taken throughout the United Kingdom the proceedings of the Farmers' Conference particularly in the claim so persistently made that protection is the only thing that can relieve the farming classes from present unsatisfactory position.

The Times, The Standard, The Chronicle and The News tell the farmers to ... taking language that protection is ... lately impossible in England.

It is noted that in the proposal ... submitted ...

GENTLEMEN !

Have you examined our ENDOWMENT POLICY? If not it is time you did. This plan is a specialty with us. We can give you a safe and paying investment besides having your risk carried during the 10, 15 or 20 years as the case may be. Particulars and all information cheerfully given by

S. BURROWS, GENERAL AGENT

The Dry Goods Stock of

REID & CO

Now being sold at a great sacrifice. This is your grand opportunity to purchase

Mantles and Jackets, ... Goods Mantle Cloths, Sealettes Tweeds and Overcoatings, Gloves & Hosiery, Flannels, Velvets and Plushes, Silks & Satins, Ribbons & Feathers.

REMEMBER, the whole stock must be sold. Secure Bargains

HOLLOWAY'S PILLS & OINTMENT

Do you suffer from Rheumatism or Gout? Try them. Do you suffer from Skin Disease? Try them. Do you suffer from diseases of the Liver, Kidneys, Bowels or Stomach? Try them. ... Boils, Wounds or Ulcers? ... This is the ...

THOMAS HOLLOWAY'S ... 78, NEW OXFORD ST., LONDON ...

If the address is not 533, Oxford Street, London, they are spurious. Purchasers should look to the label on the Boxes and Pots.

SPANISH NERVINE

THE GREAT SPANISH REMEDY, ... Lost Manhood ... Weakness, Nervousness, ... Lost Power ...

XMAS BARGAINS

A Special Line of Dress

...oods at 15c per yd. See them. It is ...ixed line and some of the All-wool goods ...e worth double the money.

Ladies Kid Gloves.

A special line of over 400 pairs, only 50cts ...air—Regular price 5 to $1.25.

ALL WOOL COLORED FLANNELS, ...nly 10 cents per yard.

LADIES' JACKETS—Only a few left—to ...e sold off before Xmas.

LADIES' ASTRACHAN JACKETS—the ...est value in the trade.

FANCY XMAS GOODS

See our show window. We sell these Xmas goods at much less than the usual prices.

Carpets.

J... getting in 3 Bales for the Xmas trade ...We did not intend to purchase any more ...arpets for this season, but we got the offer of a bargain, and bought it to give our cus...tomers another good chance.

Curtains, Poles, Rugs, Mats, Mattings, Table Covers, Blinds, and all such goods required for House Furnishings

We give THREE FLOORS of our large premises to our Carpet Department.

JAS. W. DUNNET

Glasgow Warehouse,
Belleville, Dec. 1st, '92.

THE DAILY ONTARIO

BELLEVILLE, WEDNESDAY, DEC. 7th

TOLD IN A LINE OR TWO

"Rob Roy" to-night.

There was no police court to-day.

For hanging and stand lamps try Geen's Drug Store.

Arthur Cole, of Blessington, will enter the employ of A. Knox, grocer, as clerk.

Miss Ida Taylor, daughter of Ald. Taylor, returned home from Toronto Monday.

Please remember the parlor social at Mrs. A. Campbell, Bleecker St. church on Friday evening next at 7.30 o'clock. Cake and coffee and a good program, all for 15c The ladies aio give a cordial invitation.

Ald. Fred Slater will again contest Coleman ward. Mr. Slater is a good representative and has made a capable public officer.

Every Scotchman in the city should be present at the Queen's Opera House to-night.

Mr. W. H. Franklin and family, of Newcombs Mills, also Mr. Albert Hess and his mother of Codrington will soon go to reside in Colorado and become citizens of the of the U. S. It seems that the N. P, has failed to retain them in Canada, like many others they have gone to swell the population of Uncle Sam.

The Rob Roy carry the most handsome and picturesque scenery of any company travelling.

In our notice of the Womens Christian Association in acknowledging the several offertories on Thanksgiving day the name of the John St. Presbyterian church was omitted. They contributed the handsome sum of $24.00.

The Picton Ten Pins club has elected the following officers:—Mr. Taylor, President; Mr. Reynolds, vice-President; Mr. Davison, secretary-treasurer, and Messrs Hess, Post, Shannon, Brown, Porte, and McLean, were named as managing committee in connection with the other officers.

Give Belleville's favorite, Harry Walton, a rousing reception at the Queen's Opera House to-night,

A Sons of Scotland camp has been organizad in Picton with the following officers:—Walter McKenzie, county registrar, past chief; P. E. McNee, barrister chief; W. Smeaton, merchant, chieftain; W. B. Rose, cllector of Customs, recording secretary; Andrew Brow, merchant, financial secretary; J. H. Allen, seed merchant, treasurer; Rev. Dr. McPhail, Chaplain; Dr. Stirling, physician; J. H. Jemison, merchant, marshal; John McLean, publisher, standard bearer; A. N. Buchannan, senior guard; and A. McGilvray, junior guard.

The Eden Musee Co., from Montreal, will give exhibitions at store, corner of Hotel and Front streets, for a few days, commencing Wednesday evening. It is an exhibition of deep interest and well worth seeing by young and old.

Never hump yourself up to die of Piles until after you have given Magic Pile Lotion a fair and reasonable trial. If it fails then go on with your humping for your case is incurable.

Milburn's Cod Liver Oil Emulsion with Wild Cherry and Hypophosphites builds up and strengthens the entire system.

Magic Pile Lotion excells every other remedy of its class in the following particulars, viz: 1, Its action is immediate and magical. 2 It is cheaper than any other in the market. 3 It is cleanly, leaving no stain on clothing or bedding. 4 It is more easily applied than any other. 5. It is equally efficacious in external, internal, itching or bleeding piles. 6. It is an excellent dressing for all kinds of painful wounds, abrasions, stings of bees and other poisonous insects, etc.

Geen is showing a very nice line of perfumes in plain and fancy bottles, also in bulk.

For coughs and colds the old reliable remedy that has stood the test for more than a quarter of a century and is still a great favorite, is the one to buy, it is Holden's Expectorant, manufactured by A. L. Geen.

W. Hannah wishes to state to his customers that he has started business in his own store next door to James St Charles factory where he will be glad to see all his old customers and any new ones who favor him with a call. Repairing done promptly and at reasonable prices. d&w

John Stewart, aged 78 died of Brights disease of the Kidneys at the jail at an early hour this morning. He had been confined to the jail as a pauper for nearly two years. He had well-to do relatives living in the vicinity of Belleville and Deseronto. Coroner Youker this morning held a coroner's inquest. Thos. Lingham was elected foreman.

WINTER DAIRYING.

FOUND TO BE VERY PROFITABLE—MANY FARMERS WILL ADOPT IT.

Our Correspondent From Wellman's Corners Writes the ONTARIO as Follows:—

Any one acquainted with our little village knows it to be a thriving one and it has lately had added to its industries an Experimental dairy station under the control of the Dominion government, and efficiently managed by J. B. McEwan, of the Dairy Commissioner's office.

Prof. Robertson some time ago addressed a large gathering of farmers interested, and so ably set forth the benefits to be derived from winter dairying that their co-operation was secured and arrangements were speedily made for the establishment of the station. The Plumgrove Cheese Co., leased their buildings for the purpose and the necessary machinery for butter making was at once put in at the close of the cheese making season. A very successful start was made as over 500 lbs of butter were manufactured the first day, and on Nov. 28th, 15,300 lbs of milk were received which yielded nearly 770 lbs of fine butter. The butter making is attended to by Mr. Adelard Bergeron, who has had a wide experience at the business and thoroughly understands it. An important feature in the concern is the daily use of the Babcock Milk Test, by which the amount of butter fat contained in the milk is shown and the patrons are paid accordingly.

The station is also a dairy school and Mr. McEwan with his genial manner answers all queries and shows himself to be an expert in all matters pertaining to dairying and is ready to instruct anyone who may wish to avail themselves of the opportunity of learning butter making or the manipulation of the Babcock. Mr. McEwan will be assisted by Mr. James Whitton, late instructor for the Dairymen's association of Eastern Ontario, so well-known as a successful cheesemaker. Several cheesemakers have already availed themselves of the opportunity of gaining knowledge in this business and many more will no doubt do so as all instructions are given free of charge. Judging from the start made we predict a grand success for the station this winter and as we hear numbers of farmers talking of silo building we have no doubt but that succeeding seasons will give greater results and ultimately prove that this plan of winter dairying pays.—Yours, OBSERVER.

MINING IN NORTH HASTINGS

A Correspondent Writes of the Industry in Marmora

A crusher for custom work is now being built in Marmora village under the supervision of Mr. Wiley. The ore will be treated by the new process Any person desiring to get ore tested will get a fair test at this mill. The Malone mine is still under full operation and the gold is found plentiful. A new line of rock is now being sawed and fitted for the New York market, known as lithograph stone. This stone is very valuable and experts say we have the best lithograph in the world. Dr. Vardy of New York has a mill erected at Crow Lake and has shipped rock to New York, which has been pronounced first class.—Municipal elections will be at hand soon. We expect to have two or three candidates for reeveship.—A good opportunity is now available here for some energetic young man desiring to purchase a mercantile business, apply box 36.—The Lingham gold mine is now being operated by the Crawford brothers, New York. The ore is turning out very rich, in fact better than ever. They employ about 30 men and have just completed a fine mill. This wonderful gold mine lies just 9 miles north of Marmora village, and just ¾ of a mile from the great iron deposit known as the Belmont Bessimere Ore Co., New York, and better known as the Ledger Iron mine.

Put Me in My Little Bed

I am dizzy, dizzy, dizzy;
And I want to go to bed,
I've no appetite to eat
And headache racks my head.

In other words I am suffering from a bilious attack, but Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets will bring me around all right by to-morrow. They often cure headache in an hour. I have found them the best cathartic pill in existence. They produce no nausea or griping, but do their work thoroughly. They are convenient to carry in the vest pocket, and pleasant to take. In vials: 25 cents.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Jack R. Wright, representing Peterboro Medicine Co., limited, was in town yesterday in the interests of Membray's Kidney and Liver cure.

The Montreal Star says:—"Mr. Edward Farrer, ex-editor of the Toronto Globe, has been in town for the last few days. Mr. Farrer ridicules the rumor current on the streets that he was here as a "conspirator" to hand Canada over to the United States. The rumor was that he had been in secret conclave with messrs Mercier, Tarte and Elgin Myers and that "developements" were sure to follow. Mr. Farrer denies the story in toto and says he is here on private journalistic busines."

THAT TRENTON FIRE.

Some Startling Revelations Likely to be Made Public

The inquest into the death of Mrs. Rawe, who perished in the Saylor fire in Trenton a few days ago, will be continued at Trenton to-night, before A. A. Roberts, acting for Geo. E. Henderson, Q. C., county crown attorney. It is believed that the authorities are in possession of important evidence which is likely to lead to the conviction of the guilty parties. Some startling facts are likely to be made public in the near future. It is understood that the Ontario Government will take the matter in hand.

DIED IN SPOKANE FALLS

The Obsequies of J. B. Blondin Attended to by a Former Belleville Boy

Peter Graham, son of Ald. Graham, to-day sent a letter to Mrs. A. Blondin, son of J. B. Blondin, who died suddenly in Spokane Falls, W. T., last week. Mr. Graham is a resident of Spokane Falls and attended to the obsequies of the deceased. He writes that Mr. Blondin was in the act of adjusting a bridle to a horse, when he was taken suddenly ill, and expired in a few minutes, of heart disease. He was given a respectable burial from the R. C. church. Mr. Graham writes that the deceased was a steady and industrious man. He was 39 years of age.

BROCKVILLE, 1st Sept. 1892.
The Dr. Butler Med. Co., Brockville.
Gentlemen,—I was troubled with corns for ten years and tried all the remedies advertised. None removed them speedily and painlessly as "Cooper Lightning Corn Cure" procured of ... Would not be without it. It is worth its weight in gold.
Yours truly,
T. BRUNE,
Grocer, Main

WHERE ARE THE EQUAL RIGHTERS?

They Burned the Ross Bible but see Sir John Thompson Elected Premier.

SIR,—Everything is quiet along the line since Sir John Thompson has been appointed ruler over the brightest star in the British crown. Not an Equal righter to be found. They have gone into their holes and are not allowed to come out until the next general election when they will emerge from their obscurity with an annexation manifesto for some men without brains, but a mug (mouth) large enough to swallow it as Hudson did the Equal Right's manifesto. He took it all and it worked for him and made him throw up his hand and cry, "Hiarshy." Ostrom took one, but his was bigger (Biggar) and it did not go down. It killed him politically. Where are all those rev. gentlemen who called on their flocks and warned them to vote for Hudson, not because he was the best man, but he had swallowed the manifesto. They must have died, for they are so silent now. Where are those men who could not live in Belleville with James St. Charles as mayor over our city, and burned the Ross Bible, claiming it would not be loyal to live here, when he would have been a credit to some of the mayors the Tories have elected over our fair city. They have left and not a sound is to be heard. I believe in a country that is willing to allow his fellow man rise to the highest step in the ladder if he is fit, deserving and honorable, irrespective of his religious views. Some of those people are already getting scared. McBowell thinks he hears a noise in the bowels of the earth in North Hastings so he appeals to Sir John to make a place for him and Sir John opens the Senate door and McBowell walks in, so another Old Granny is home at last. He can look down on North Hastings and repeat the language of the Hon. Robt. Reid: "I have got through shaking dirty hands." He can be a Jesuit now if he wishes, for some of the old ladies though he was nearly one. He got a frightful scare last election, but he is in the cooler now and they can't get at him. He can talk to the farmer and say, "God bless you, old fellows; this is one of the finest countries for me to live in on this earth. Work on, old farmer, and when you are through you can have a cemetery to go to, but not a senate like me. Now farmers you can have the N. P. as long as you can stand it, and as long as I am senator." FAIR PLAY.

MUSIC AND DRAMA

Sir Walter Scott's great masterpiece "Rob Roy," or the days of "Auld Lang Syne" will be produced at the Queen's Opera House to-night by the following

Caste of Characters:

Sir Fredrick Vernon ..... Mr. Chas. Manley
Rashleigh Osbaldistone ..... Alex. Rule
Francis Osbaldistone ..... J. W. Gurville
Mr. Owen, } ..... Alex. Rule
Capt Thornton }
Major Galbraith ..... H. C. Phillips
Rob Roy MacGregor Campbell ..... Wilson Rennie
Bailie Nicol Jarv's ..... Mortimer Murdock
Dougal Creature ..... Henry E. Walton
M:Stewart ..... I. Robertson
Stanehill ..... Johnson
Allan ..... H. Simpson
Host ..... C. W. Phillips
Saunders Wylie ..... H. G. Matthews
Sergeant ..... Mr. Grant
Hamish { Rob Roy's Sons } . Master Sutton
Robert { } . Master Paralo
Dina Vernon ..... Miss Lint John
Mattie ..... Lillian Marconir
Jean McAlpin ..... Mrs. Charles Manley
Helen McGregor ..... Miss Juliet Durand
Soldiers, Highlanders, Drovers, Etc

SONS OF ENGLAND OFFICERS

Oxford Lodge Held Their Annual Meeting Last Night

Oxford Lodge No. 17, Sons of England met in their Hall on Front street last night and elected the following officers:

Bro. Hulme, president.
" Hopkings, vice president.
" Oliphant, past pres.
" Tammadge, fin. sec.
" Watts, recorder.
" London, treasurer.
Rev. A. L. Geen, chaplain.
Bro. Twining, Perkins, Pearson, Brewer, Hulme, Riggs } Committee
" Record, Inside guard,
" Corcham, outside guard.
" Dr. Tracy, Surgeon.
" Campion, Smith, Twining } Auditors
" Dr. Nash, Hall } Lodge Trustees
" Hulme, London } Grand lodge delegates

ORANGE OFFICERS

The Foxboro Lodge Elect Their Offibers for 1893

At the annual meeting of L. O. L. No. 3 the following were elected officers for the ensuing year.

the worst Scrofulous Sore.

BLOOD

CURES

DYSPEPSIA. BILIOUSNESS.
CONSTIPATION. HEADACHE.
SALT RHEUM. SCROFULA.
HEART BURN. SOUR STOMACH
DIZZINESS. DROPSY.
RHEUMATISM. SKIN DISEASES

BITTERS

PRENTICE BOYS OFFICERS

Maiden City Lodge Enters on a new Year of Prosperity.

Maiden City Lodge of Prentice Boys, No. 13, met last night and elected the following officers:

W. R. Gale, W. M.
G. Brown, D. M.
M. Dulmage, Chaplain.
L. Moore, R. C.
R. H. Ketcheson, F. S.
Fred. Bourn, D. C.
J. R. Gerow, O. T.
J. Weese, I. T.
Geo. Minaker, R. Tuite, J. Ayers, C. Gulliver, R. E. Colling } Committee.
J. R. Gerow, Geo. Minaker } Auditors.
J. R. Gerow, J. F. Wills, A. M. Ketcheson } Trustees.

No Return.

After a lapse of seven years the following letter explains itself: Toronto, Ont., April 17, 1887. "I would state that your remedy, St. Jacob's Oil, had the desired effect of curing me effectually of rheumatism, with which I suffered in 1880. I have never had any return of the pain which I endured for months previous. It affords me great pleasure to say I have recommended it to a number of friends. Too much praise cannot be devoted to its healing qualities." J. ABRAHAM, Passenger Agent, 51 York St. Hundreds certify that once cured, the cure is permanent.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

TRADE AND COMMERCE

BELLEVILLE PRICES BUT SLIGHTLY CHANGED.

If Anything they are a Little Weaker this Week—Cheese Dull—Fair Demand Canadian Butter in Liverpool

FOR

XMAS!

...NIC SETS
TRAVELLING SETS,
CURLING SETS,
BRUSH AND COMB SETS
...N-BON BOXES,
JEWEL BOXES
HANDKERCHIEF SATCHETS
...fume in Cut Glass and Fancy Bottles.

...R. TEMPLETON

Chemist and Druggist,

TO-LET

One room in the Caldwell Block, heated with hot water, suitable for lodger. Apply to
dtf J. CALDWELL.

TORONTO PRODUCE MARKETS.

TORONTO, Ont., Dec. 7.—Market dull. Quotations: Flour, straight roller, $2.90 to $3.00; extra $2.80 to $2.90; wheat, white, 63 to 65c; spring No. 2, 60 to 62c; red winter, 62 to 64c; goose, 55 to 57c; Man. No. 1 hard, 82 to 83c; do. No. 2, 80 to 81c; do. No. 2, 73c to 74c; No. 1 frosted, 64c; do. No. 2, 56c; do. No. 3, 49 to 50c; peas, No. 2, 54c to 55c; barley, No. 1, 50 to 51c; do No. 2, 44 to 45c; do No. 3, extra, 38 to 40c; corn, 57 to 58c; oats, No. 2, 30 to 31c. Sales: Straight roller flour at equal to $2.90 to $2.95; red wheat, outside, at 62 to 63c; white, at 64c; straight goose, outside, at 56c; No. 1 Man. hard at North Bay at 82 to 83c; No. 2 do at North Bay at 80c; No. 3 do at North Bay at 73 to 74c; oats, here at 30 to 31c, and outside at 26 to 28c; peas, outside, at 53 to 54c.

CHEESE.

Business in cheese at the moment is of a hard character, stocks are moderate and holders are firm in their views on values—which range from 10¼c to 10½c, according to grade and condition. The Liverpool cable to day was unchanged at 53s for white and colored cheese.

MADOC GRAIN MARKET.

Wheat, 65 to 68c; barley, 30 to 40c; peas, small, 54c; peas, large, 68c; rye, 45c; oats, 25c; buckwheat, 35c; flour, $1.90 to $2.00.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

CHICAGO UNION STOCK YARDS, Dec. 6.—Hogs—To-day's estimated receipts, 28,000; yesterday's receipts according to official returns, 34,920; shipments, 9,168; left over, 5,000. Light mixed, $5.75 to $6.15; mixed packing $5.85 to $6.30; heavy shipping, $5.90 to $6.45; rough grades, $5.90 to $6.20. Cattle receipts 10,000. Market, good qualities, steady; others, low.

LIVERPOOL BUTTER.

Butter has met with a better enquiry, and values of all descriptions are steady. Fine American Creamery is offered at 105s to 110 per cwt., and grades under this description 65s to 95s. Choice Australian in boxes is now on the market, and sells readily at 112s to 115s per cwt. We quote Irish butter—Cork firsts, 120s per cwt; seconds, 99s; thirds, 86s; and fourths, 74s.—Hodgson Brothers' Circular, Nov. 26, 1892.

THAT ABDUCTION

Detective Clayton Will Give Full Particulars in a Letter

Magistrate Flint to-day received a letter from the Mayor of Aylmer, Ont., in reference to the alleged abduction of Minnie May Rockey, but which turns out in accordance with the facts set out in the ONTARIO on Monday night. The letter stated that Detective Clayton was out of town at present but was expected home at any time, and would no doubt make a full explanation of the whole affair. The letter was followed by a telegram from the detective himself in which he said that he was busy at present but would write to Mr. Flint in the course of a few days clearing up the mystery, in which Segt. Downs' name has been mixed up.

Lives of others oft remind us
Married life may be sublime

We trust to to be forgiven this parody of lines from Longfellow's immortal "Psalm of Life." Husbands who are wise and and thoughtful, know that the happiness of the home depends largely on the health of the mistress of the home. Many are the tasks which daily confront her. How can a woman contend against the trials and worries of housekeeping, if she be suffering from those distressing irregularities, ailments and weaknesses peculiar to her sex? Dr. Pierce's favorite prescription is a specific for these disorders. The only remedy, sold by all druggists, under a positive guarantee from the manufacturers. Satisfaction guaranteed in every case, or money refunded. See printed guarantee on bottle wrapper.

More Valuable Than Diamonds.

Cod liver oil from the cod fish when combined with hypophosphites of lime and soda, as in "Miller's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil," will build up the cellular tissues and create new blood. This is just what consumptive patients need. It has cured thousands of people who would otherwise have been at this time occupying narrow spaces in the graveyards of our country. Miller's Emulsion is worth a trial. In big bottles, 50c and $1.00 at all Drug Stores.

Gratifying to All

The high position attained and the universal acceptance and approval of the pleasant liquid fruit remedy Syrup of Figs as the most excellent laxative known, illustrate the value of the qualities on which its success is based and are abundantly gratifying to the California Fig Syrup Company.

Cured Female Weakness

Mr. Hugh Caldwell, Clydesdale, Ont., writes:—"My daughter was under the care of doctors for more than a year for female weakness, without getting relief. I then procured Pink Pills and they cured her." All dealers 50 cents a box or 6 boxes for 2.60, or mailed on receipt of price. Dr. Williams' Med. Co., Brockville, Ont., and Schenectady, N. Y.

Clear Havana Cigars

"La Cadena" and "La Flora." Insist upon having these brands.

LOCAL LEGAL LORE

The Case Morrow vs C P R Comes up Before Chief Justice Armour

Morrow v. C. P. R. Co.—Marsh, Q. C., for the plaintiff, moved to set aside a nonsuit entered by Falconbridge, J., at the trial at Belleville, in an action for damages for negligences, and for a new trial. The plaintiff was traveling in an open buggy along a road in the township of Rawdon where the defendents' line of railway crosses, and was injured and his horse was killed at the crossing by a passing express train. The line of railway just before the crossing runs through a cutting, and there is also a curve in the line, by reason of which a train cannot be seen from the road till it is near the crossing. The negligence alleged was the failure of the defendents' servants on the train to sound the whistle or to ring the bell on approaching the crossing. The trial judge non-suited on the authority of Weir v. C. P. R. Co., 16 A. R., holding that the plaintiff was out of court by reason of contributory negligence. The plaintiff contends that the trial judge in effect usurped the functions of the jury by weighing the evidence of contributory negligence, and that he was wrong in law in laying down that it was incumbent on the plaintiff to negative contributory negligence on his part. McCarthy, Q. C. and Angus MacMurchy, for the Defendents, showed cause. Reserved.

COUNTY COURT

Several old Charges Will be Rehearsed

County court and general sessions of the peace sits at Belleville on Tuesday next. The adjourned cases of Steven Warner Simmons for alleged presenting a pistol at Constable Samuel Westover and William Alcombrack and saying. "Dam you, I'll blow your brains out," or words to that effect. Alcombrack and Westover had gone to Simmon's house to serve him with papers in a suit for slander. The defendant will also stand his trial with his wife, Elizabeth Simmons on the double of arson and aiding and abetting, the particulars of which have become wearisome to the public.

Those Overcoats.

The great bargains we are giving in children's overcoats is more than making them sell. Our customers are all surprised at the extraordinary value. The Oak Hall carry nothing but the best make of goods and you may depend that you will get a good article no matter how low the price.

TOWN TALK

New goods just arrived at Goldsmith's fish store, Bridge street—groceries, fish, fruits, cigars, oysters, cider, candies, Refreshments and lunches at all hours.

You will save money by getting your stoves and ranges from Deacon & Doyle

Deacon & Doyle carry a full line of gas fixtures, also Bray's patent burner the great saver of gas.

It will be worth your while to call and see the grand stock of stoves and ranges Deacon & Doyle have on hand.

F. A. Abraham, issuer of marriage licenses at the ONTARIO Office.

For catarrh or cold in the head use ...ities catarrh cure, A L Geen agent

Aneglected cough brings on consumption - the most fatal and prevalent of all physical ills that flesh is heir to. To check the malady in its early stage, before the deadly turbercles develop themselves in the lungs use Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil which also annihilates bronchitis asthma, catarrh, piles, kidney troubles, and soreness of the muscles and ...n

Mrs. M. E. Merrick,
Of Toronto, Ontario, Cured of

Catarrh and Neuralgia

Good authority has said that "neuralgia is the cry of the nerves for pure blood." The prompt action of Hood's Sarsaparilla on the blood, combined with its toning and strengthening effect upon the nerves, make this a grand medicine for neuralgia and also for catarrh, etc. We commend this letter to all having such troubles, and especially to

Suffering Women

"For a good many years I have been suffering from catarrh, neuralgia and

General Debility

I failed to obtain permanent relief from medical advice, and my friends feared I would never find anything to cure me. A short time ago I was induced to try Hood's Sarsaparilla. At that time I was unable to walk even a short distance without feeling a

Death-like Weakness

overtake me. And I had intense pains from neuralgia in my head, back and limbs, which were very exhausting. But I am glad to say that soon after I began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla I saw that it was doing me good. When I took 3 bottles I was entirely

Cured of Neuralgia

I gained in strength rapidly, and can take a two-mile walk without feeling tired. I do not suffer nearly so much from catarrh, and find that as my strength increases the catarrh decreases. I am indeed a changed woman, and am very grateful to

Hood's Sarsaparilla

for what it has done for me. It is my wish that this my testimonial shall be published in order that others suffering as I was may learn how to be benefited." MRS. M. E. MERRICK, 57 Elm Street, Toronto, Ont.

HOOD'S PILLS cure all Liver Ills, Biliousness, Jaundice, Indigestion, Sick Headache.

A Cure For Constipation And Headache

Dr. Silas Lane while in the Rocky Mountains discovered a root that when combined with other herbs makes an easy and certain cure for constipaton. It is in the form of dry roots and leaves, and is known as Lane's Family Medicine. It will cure sick headache in one night, For the blood, liver and kidneys, and for clearing up the complexion it does wonders. Druggists sell it at 50 cents a package

The Wild Cherry combined with Milburn's Cod Liver Oil Emulsion makes it delicious in taste and perfect in curative power.

As an after dinner pill, to strengthen the stomach, assist digestion, and correct an bilious tendencies, Ayer's pills are considered the best. Being sugar coated, they are as agreeable as any confection, and may be taken by the most delicate.

JAS. A. CONGER

Popular Selections at Popular Prices.

Are features of this magnificent Stock which particularly recommend it to Holiday Buyers.

JAS. A. CONGER.

A LETTER.

MONTREAL, Nov. 26, 1892.

DEAR SCANTLEBURY: "Owing to the change in the Dominion Cabinet, and the desirability of having the names of the Ministers with their portfolios correctly assigned, we have postponed the issue of the STAR Almanac for three or four days."

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Friday Dec. 9th.
DISCOVERIES.
It's about time this discovery business wa stopped. It is said that corsets have been found on a body buried 3000 years ago. We will next hear of some old mummy being found with a curling tong in its hand or a stick of gum in its teeth, and then we will feel as if this nineteenth century hadn't invented much after all. It makes us mad to think these modern inventions are so old. However, we will keep right on selling corsets.
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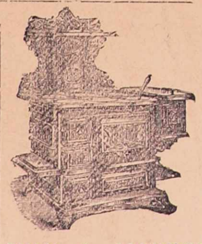

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Monday Evg Dec. 12th

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TOPEKA, ... land operat... members ... noon yester... a general st... General ... don't know ... has not bee... We were e... pared for ... "We are o... ed back. ... 200 men ou...

CHICAGO... interest ... whether ... active co-... of the tr... claim of t... 40 men, ... obtain 200 ... Chief ... the road ... force a st... road, as t... work wit...

CEDAR ... Ward, ... Burling... road, ... on the ... sponse ... Chief ... morning ... will.

[T]HE DRIVERS LOST WITS

BECAUSE THEY SAW A WOMAN KILLED ON THE RAIL.

[Pa]ssengers Made a Mad Rush When They Saw the Danger — A Locomotive Crashed Into Them—A Horrible Scene —Shrieks and Groans.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—At 11.30 o'clock [this] m. yesterday the Roundbrook express, run[n]ing to Jersey City, struck and killed Miss [G]ilroy of Elizabeth in front of Greenville [st]ation, on the Central Railroad of New [J]ersey.

The train stopped immediately on the opposite track. Outward bound came another express on the Central road.

The engineer saw the killing of the woman and stopped his train.

Just behind him on the same track followed a third express, also outward bound. The third train was close behind the second.

When the engineer of the second train stopped it was done so suddenly that the engineer of the third express could not avert a collision. He applied the air brakes, but they did not prevent his running into the train ahead.

The passengers in the rear car of the second train saw the third train running them down and a panic ensued.

A Mad Rush.

A mad rush was made for the forward doors of the car. A few succeeded in getting off before the crash came. The remainder of the passengers were in the forward part of the last car when the locomotive of the incoming train crashed into them.

There was a deafening crash that could be heard for blocks away, followed by smashing of timbers, the cracking of glass and the shrieks and groans of frightened and wounded people.

The engine of the third express plowed into the car ahead half its length. Then the force of the collision spent itself. The engineer and fireman were not hurt beyond a few bruises. The injured in the car were as follows:

Orlando Demorest, New York, badly hurt internally.

J. E. Toxendell, Somerville, N.J., scalp wound and toes crushed.

George Lawsen, Elizabeth, scalp wound and toes frightfully crushed.

D. C. Chetwood, New York, arm and nose injured.

James Ross, Roundbrook, N.J., knee-cap injured; G. J. Miller, Plainfield, N.J., severely bruised; E. E. Runyon, Plainfield, hip injured; W. H. Parker, Redbank, head and nose injured; Louis Beltner, New York, side injured; S. M. Hershfried, New York, head injured.

MRS. BORDEN'S COURAGE.

It Enables Her to Bear Up Under the Awful Charges Against Her.

FALL RIVER, Mass., Dec. 9.—Speculations concerning all phases of the Borden case have taken on an increased activity, and it is more generally talked of than the city election.

Regarding the place of trial it is held that on the ground of economy, hotel and court conveniences and the accommodation of a majority of all interested in the case Fall River has the strongest claim to have the trial conducted here.

To say that the sentiment of this community would be prejudicial to an impartial trial is nonsense.

The defence has already intimated that it prefers that the trial should be held here, and quote the constitution to show that it should take place as soon as possible and as near the place of commission as convenient.

The dress, which is alleged to have been burned, is believed by the defendant's friends to have become through newspaper reports of more than warrantable importance in establishing the guilt of the prisoner. The evidence given before the grand jury, they say, was necessarily tinged with a governmental flavor.

It must be remembered, however, that the defence has not yet been submitted, nor were their many strong points brought out to the best advantage. Furthermore, much of the testimony given by government witnesses can be contradicted by witnesses yet to be called.

It is said that Mr. John V. Morse intends soon to leave for his home in Iowa, where neglected business interests demand his attention. He goes with the full consent of his bondsmen and will be within call whenever his presence here is desired.

Miss Emma Borden has been confined to her bed since Friday. She went to Taunton at noon on that day before she was informed of the action of the grand jury, and the shock and disappointment unnerved her.

Miss Lizzie Borden, though trying to bear up under the awful charges that confront her, is also much distressed, though she brings will power into play.

CANADIAN EMIGRANTS.

Must Be of a Kind to Work on the Lands of the Dominion.

LONDON, Dec. 9.—Great interest is being taken throughout the United Kingdom in the proceedings of the Farmers' Conference, particularly in the claim so persistently made that protection is the only thing that can relieve the farming classes from their present unsatisfactory position.

The Times, The Standard, The Chronicle and The News tell the farmers in unmistakable language that protection is absolutely impossible in England.

It is noted that in the proposal for the levying of high duties submitted to the conference no suggestion to exempt colonial produce from the proposed duties was made.

The crisis in the farming industry is causing a great increase in the number of enquiries being received from people of the farming class who are thinking of emigrating. Special efforts are being made throughout the country to divert as much of this promised emigration as possible in the direction of Canada, and the agents of the Dominion say that the prospects have not been so good since 1882, in which year 100,000 people left the United Kingdom for Canada and carried with them effects valued at $3,000,000.

Sir Charles Tupper has promised to submit to the Ottawa Government any practical scheme for the emigration of farm workers and servants who have drifted from the country into the cities. But Canada only encourages emigrants able and willing to work on the lands of Canada.

The Lord Mayor of London is being urged to form a special emigration committee to relieve distress in London.

Hon. J. S. Hall, Provincial Treasurer of Quebec, denies the stories in circulation to the effect that the province intends to borrow money in the London market or anywhere else. As a matter of fact, Mr. Hall explains that, despite the crisis produced by the announcement of Premier DeBoucherville's intention to resign, he apprehends no serious trouble for the Government, as he believes that Mr. Taillon will be able to keep the administration in good working order.

Comic Singers on Their Uppers.

ITHACA, N.Y., Dec. 6.—Nineteen members of the Boston Comic Opera Co. are stranded here. The singers allege that the manager, Harry Curtis, abandoned them ... [with]out leaving them...

If this unequal contest between American lines, without subsidy or with diminished ...

GODDARD DEFEATS MAHER

He Fought Furiously and Knocked Maher Out in the Third Round.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—The Goddard-Maher fight at Coney Island was one of the fiercest of battles. It lasted only three rounds and the Irishman failed to respond, when the match was given to the unbeaten Australian.

Considering the importance, or rather the booming of the boom, there was never a fight in this country that created less betting than that last night at the Coney Island Athletic Club between Joe Goddard, the unbeaten and alleged champion of the Barrier, a locality in Australia, and Peter Maher, the so-called Irish champion.

Goddard's reputation rested on his success in defeating a dozen local men, in securing a draw with Peter Jackson in eight rounds, and in whipping Joe Choynski twice in four rounds each time.

Maher's standing was made in stopping two poor fighters in one night at Madison-square Garden. He afterwards met Bob Fitzsimmons in New Orleans and showed himself to be a thorough quitter, as the fighters say. The impression got abroad that there was a job. Hence the want of a feeling of security among the bettors. The feeling prevailed that Billy Madden wanted to make Goddard a champion, and knowing that he could not do so without a victory of some kind had picked out Maher, a man who was supposed to have no heart to be the first victim of a heavy man who is known to have bulldog courage and who can hit a hard blow. Such bets as were put out before to-night varied from even money to 5 to 4.

Goddard Was the Favorite.

Goddard was always the favorite.

It was 9.40 when Joe Goddard, wearing around his trunks the colors that the Columbia A.C. of New York had presented him, appeared in the ring. Jim Gibbons of Passaic, N.J.; Billy Madden, Alexander Greggains of San Francisco, and Lou Morris of the Columbia A.C. were after him. There was hardly a ripple of hand-clapping when he came before the crowd.

When Maher came on a great cheer went up. Maher's handlers were Jack McVey of Philadelphia, Corbett's former coworker; "Buffalo" Costello, Greggains' recent opponent; Jimmy Carroll of Brooklyn, and Jimmy McGrath of Dublin. Maher wore his usual green trunks.

The weights of the men were given out officially as: Maher 175, Goddard 187. Maher probably weighed 180 and Goddard 195.

Maher won the toss for choice of gloves, and there was another noise that showed what a favorite Maher was with the mass of spectators. Johnny Eckhardt was the official referee and Bob Stoll, N.Y.A.C., held the watch.

Only Required Three Rounds.

FIRST ROUND—It was lightning work from the very start The men went hammer and tongs, slash and crash, with Maher a scienced man and Goddard only a bulldog, all for the head. A few body blows were struck, the two or three being given by Goddard. Maher went down to his knees once, but got up again and tried again, but it was no good. Goddard landed on him with his right and left, missing many times, but getting there often enough.

SECOND ROUND—There was more punishing and smashing. Maher got in a couple of beauties on Goddard's face, staggering the Australian each time. Goddard looked a bit groggy after a couple of rights on the cheek, but he clung to his man and smashed the Irishman on the ribs three times before he let go. Then Maher fell to his knees again. At this time the men who knew Maher to be a quitter said he would never get up again. Peter stayed down for 4 seconds, his head shaking like a leaf. Up he jumped, however, and out at Goddard again. He got in a soaker on Goddard's breast and Goddard fell back to the ropes. Maher ran after him, but swung his right wildly. Instead of touching the Barrier man on the jaw he went away beyond his ear. Goddard dashed at Maher and gave him a fierce blow on the breast. Maher fell back under its effect and the bell sounded before Goddard could land again. It had been a tremendous round. Both men had worked apparently for a knockout blow, Goddard in his unclean, heavy and strong style, Maher in form that showed little of the neatness that he had displayed before and was known for in New York for weeks after his arrival from Ireland.

THIRD ROUND—Both came up looking dazed from the furious fighting of the previous round. Neither showed the least science, but rained blow after blow on each other as fast and hard as possible. Goddard went at Maher like a wild beast, and fairly beat his man down by brute strength. The Irish lad stood up gamely under the shower of blows, but at last was laid low by a straight right on the jaw and fell face downward on the floor. The excitement was intense, the crowd being fairly crazed with excitement. The round lasted just 50 seconds.

Mills Burned.

WORCESTER, Mass., Dec. 9.—Fire at Jefferson's burned a six-set satinet mill to the ground, with a loss of $110,000. A seven-set cassimere plant is badly damaged by smoke and water.

The storehouse and picker room are destroyed and a two-tenement residence burned to the ground. The total loss is $200,000; insurance $180,000.

Colliery on Fire.

NEW GLASGOW, N.S., Dec. 9.—A tunnel connecting the main workings with a disused pit of the Drummond colliery is on fire. No lives were lost, and the men are at work as usual. Steps are being taken to put out the fire.

Local Option at Norwich.

NORWICH, Dec. 9.—At the request of the Rev. Mr. Kettlewell and others, the matter of submitting local option came before the Town Council last evening. It was decided to submit it to a vote of the ratepayers on Jan. 3.

Austrian Army Increase.

VIENNA, Dec. 9.—The Army Gazette announces an addition of 3600 men to the peace standard of the army. This indicates that the Emperor is disposed to follow the policy of the German Emperor.

His Arm Shot Off.

WINNIPEG, Dec. 9.—William Swain, a young farmer living near here, had his arm shot off yesterday by a gun accident.

Blaine to Go South.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—Mr. Blaine will go to California in January for the benefit of his health.

Geologist Dead.

NEW HAVEN, Ct., Dec. 9.—Prof. John Strong Newberry, the eminent geologist, is dead.

Steamship Movements.

Date.	Name.	Reported at.	From.
Dec. 8	Chester	New York	Liverpool
"	Ems	Gibraltar	New York
"	Naasdam	New York	Rotterdam

He Will See Dark Life.

LONDON, Dec. 2.—Mr. Portal has been appointed British Commissioner to Ug[anda]...

WALKED INTO THE DON

A SAD SUICIDE OF AN INSANE WOMAN.

The Tragic Death of P. C. Dodds' Mother — A Former Queen's Hotel Waitress Found Dead in Bed in a York-street Lodging House.

TORONTO, Dec. 9.—Elizabeth Dodd, aged 58, was found drowned in the Don, near Morse's soap works, at 4.35 yesterday afternoon. City Inspector Johnston was going down the east bank of the Don when he saw the body of a woman floating near where he was standing. He summoned the patrol wagon from No. 4 and the body was removed to the Morgue, where it was recognized.

The deceased was the mother of P.C. Richard Dodd of 101 River-street and of ex-P.C. Robert Dodd. She had been deranged for years and had been an inmate of the Insane Asylum. Lately her condition so improved that her son Richard brought her to live with him. She left his house at 10.45 yesterday morning, but it was thought she had gone to visit one of her children, there being five daughters and four other sons residing in the city. The rumor of a woman found drowned aroused the apprehensions of the family, and investigation proved that the worst was true. The body was afterwards removed to the residence of her son Richard. The interment will take place in the Presbyterian churchyard at Mono, Ont., Saturday afternoon.

TAKING A PEEP.

The New Ministers Visit Their Departments for a Brief Time.

OTTAWA, Dec. 9.—Although yesterday was a statutory holiday and consequently very few civil servants were at work, still the new ministers visited their several departments and had brief interviews with such of their officers as were on duty.

Hon. Mr. Angers was early at the Department of Agriculture, where he found Hon. Mr. Carling packing up.

Hon. Mr. Ives spent part of the day in his office and Messrs. Woods and Wallace "looked in" at the Departments of Inland Revenue and Customs.

Mr. Curran had an interview with Sir John Thompson and spent a short time in the Department of Justice. The four last named gentlemen have left for their constituencies to look after their re-elections.

Although the date for the meeting of Parliament is not fixed yet the first arrival for the session took place yesterday, the "early bird" being Senator John Ferguson, who is accompanied by his wife and daughter.

Hon. Mackenzie Bowell left for Belleville yesterday and will probably not return until Monday. To-night he will attend the dedication of a new Orange lodge at Cooper in North Hastings.

Before Hon. J. A. Chapleau left his office in the Customs Department he recommended to the council that cigars, wines, spirits, malt liquors, etc., and silverware, when imported by the various permanent military schools for officers' messes in Canada, be duty free, the same privilege being extended now to the Imperial troops.

Sir Adolphe Caron will entertain his colleagues at dinner on Monday evening.

The annual kick is being made against civil servants who offer themselves for election as aldermen and school trustees, and it is said, as it is said almost every year, that orders will be given restraining civil servants from offering themselves for municipal honors. At present there are two aldermen, three public and seven separate school trustees who are employed in the civil service.

Thomas Paquin, ex-Deputy Postmaster of Hull, will be up for trial for the third time on Saturday at the Aylmer Assizes on a charge of stealing money from registered letters. When Paquin was arrested he made a confession of his thefts and was arraigned before the recorder of Hull. He pleaded guilty, but afterwards changed his plea. Paquin escaped to San Francisco, where he was arrested and extradited. He has been twice tried at Aylmer, the jury failing to agree each time. It is now said that on Saturday a motion will be made to change the venue to Montreal.

LIZZIE WILLIE.

Her Mother Says She Had Nothing but Kindness at Home.

DETROIT, Dec. 9.—At last the Willie family are thoroughly convinced that the woman who lies dead in San Diego is no kin of theirs. The latest telegram from San Diego informs them the suicide had two handkerchiefs on her person marked "L. Anderson."

An examination of the ears of the deceased showed that they had never been pierced.

"That settles it," said May Willie. "Lizzie's ears were pierced, and she always wore earrings. The handkerchiefs being marked that way are pretty good evidence that the dead woman's name was her own."

"What a dreadful thing it would have been if we had ordered that woman's body shipped here for burial and she was not Lizzie!" said Mrs. Willie. "If Lizzie is alive and well I don't see how she can be so cruel as to treat us so when she had nothing but kindness at home."

An Unlucky Teamster.

HAMILTON, Dec. 9.—Thomas Freeborn, a teamster living at No. 53 Clark-avenue, has evidently struck a wave of hard luck. A few days ago he was fined in the Police Court for striking a small boy, and on Saturday, while driving home from the Bay, his wagon upset and he was thrown out. His collar bone was fractured and he had to be carried home.

On the same day his horse lost about two inches of its tongue, and as Dame Rumor had it that the tongue was cut by some fiend in human shape Detective McKee was detailed to investigate the affair. The information he has secured so far, however, points to the probability of the animal having hurt itself in its attempt to bite some body, as it is known to be vicious.

At any rate Freeborn denies all knowledge of how the tongue was cut, but thinks that it might have been done by the bit.

Inquest on Trickey's Death.

HAMILTON, Dec. 9.—In the inquest upon the death of Henry G. Trickey, the reporter who was famous as the writer of a sensational account of the Lizzie Borden case, the jury brought in a verdict of accidental death by being run over by the wheels of a train which deceased was trying to board, expressing the opinion that no blame could be attached to anyone.

Slashed Himself With a Razor.

KINGSTON, Dec. 9.—William Pugh, sexton of St. George's Cathedral, while laboring under temporary insanity, slashed his left arm above the elbow with a razor. He lost much blood and now lies at the hospital in a precarious condition.

Will Not Resign.

QUEBEC, Dec. 8.—De Boucherville has not resigned the premiership of Quebec.

A Child's Folly.

NEW HAVEN, Dec. 6.—Fanny Berkowski, aged 2 years, took a shovel full of burning coals from the stove to-day and put them in a baby carriage in which was her 6-months' ...

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A writer in the Mail says :—I have read with much interest your article on the exportation of apples to this country, and think, perhaps, that my experience may be of interest, and at any rate show that our stricture were not without a cause. I got a barrel of Canadian apples from a wholesale dealer in Liverpool last week, and on opening it I found many decayed, but this may have been caused by accident or delay. The inexcusable thing was, that many of the apples were both worm eaten, gnarled and misshapen, and so were quite unfit for market when picked. I may add that this year I got a barrel of "American" apples from the same dealer, and they were uniformly sound and fair. I have lived too long in Canada not to know that just as good ones can be sent from there, but the carelessness, if not the dishonesty, of exporters of apples is ruining a trade which might be a most lucrative one. Yours, etc., D. S. F. MACLEOD. Hope Rectory, Shrewsbury, Eng.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

WOLFE Island is a municipality twenty-two miles long and seven miles broad, considered a first-class gardening township, and the passing of the following resolution at the township council yesterday afternoon must be considered as somewhat significant. All the members were present, Duncan McRae, reeve ; H. Davis, deputy reeve ; John Kinsley, Philip Vanness, and John Niles, councillors. The resolution was carried unanimously. It reads :

"Whereas Canada and the United States are one in language, religion, sentiment, and blood, living in close proximity to each other, divided for thousands of miles by only an imaginary line, but by a vicious policy as fully and effectually seperate as though oceans rolled between them. And whereas this policy has ruined our agricultural interest, rendered tenantless our farms, paralysed our industries, turned back the tide of trade and commerce, and is fast depopulating our land ; be it resolved that in the opinion of this council the future welfare of Canada depends upon the establishing of such trade relations with the United States as will open up to us fully, freely and unreservedly that our natural market ; and that such a policy would bring back to us the countless thousands that have left our shores, give contentment at home, strength abroad, creating in our prosperity a national pride which would bind us irrevocably to that empire of which it is our proudest boast we form an integral part."

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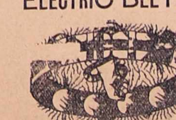

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This Time it Was Two Canadians Who Blew Out the Gas.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—A party of five Scandinavian travelers from Canada, who looked like well-to-do farmers, put up at the Home Made Hotel, No. 284 Greenwich-street, Monday night, and on Tuesday afternoon two of them, Henry Burg and Peter Land, were found dead in one bed in a small inside room on the third floor, suffocated by the gas, which was pouring from the open but unlighted burner. The men arrived at the hotel before supper time on Monday, and after registering from Canada went away, returning late at night somewhat the worse for liquor.

Their comrades, whose names appear on the register as C. Susskin, Charles Anderson and A. E. Anderson, slept in other rooms and came downstairs at about 8 o'clock in the morning and went out, but returned at 1 o'clock for a few minutes, when they took their leave of H. Buckley, the proprietor. They did not enquire for their friends. Only one of the three was able to speak English.

A chambermaid knocked repeatedly in the afternoon at the door occupied by Burg and Land, but receiving no answer, reported the matter to the office and the door was broken open. Dr. Stevenson of the Chambers-street Hospital was called in, and he said that the men had been dead for several hours.

The dead men were about 35 years old and bore a strong facial resemblance to each other. They were large, well developed and fair. Both were dressed in exactly similar garments, even to the underclothing. Their clothes were new and of fairly good quality and had been purchased in various stores in St. Paul and Minneapolis. They had $4.68 between them, and railroad receipts which showed that they had come to the city by the West Shore road and that their baggage was to be delivered at the Inman pier, and an entry in a notebook showed that they had paid $114 for "tickets," and the supposition is that they had secured passage on the steamship City of New York for Liverpool. Another entry was the address, "No. 115 Fourteenth-avenue, Minneapolis."

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Mrs. Christian had been ill for a long time, and was apparently about to breathe her last, when the physicians decided to try transfusion of a solution whose temperature and chemical constituents were exactly identical with human blood, less the organic part.

The two physicians, after exposing the radial artery under cocaine, pierced it with a hypodermic needle, to which was attached an improvised apparatus capable of forcing the chemical blood directly into the blood current of the patient's artery. The result of the first injection was a decided improvement. The pulse lowered from 164 to 115 beats per minute in a very short time.

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TRURO, Dec. 9.—Great excitement prevails here just now in consequence of a big discovery of gold at the Caribou mines, worked by the Truro Gold Mining Company, about 30 miles from here. The present discovery passes anything yet discovered in Nova Scotia, and is expected to turn out the biggest and richest gold mine yet opened in Canada. The first crushing was 28 tons, and yielded over 103 ounces of gold. At a greater depth the next lot showed a most encouraging increase, the yield being 272 ounces from 22 tons of quartz, which shows a value by the official mint return of $5091, the total expense of mining and milling not exceeding $700. Ore worth over $1000 per ton is coming out and more is being uncovered. This is not a pocket or nugget mine, as the strike gradually increases in richness and thickness and shows every indication of continuing to great depths. Many other leads are known by their croppings to intersect the mining areas, but their richness is yet undetermined, being totally undeveloped.

TELEGRAPHIC OPERATORS.

There Are 183 Out of a Possible 200 Men Out.

OMAHA, Dec 9.—With the exception of four operators every telegrapher employed by the Rock Island Railroad in Nebraska went out this morning at 10.30 in response to the order of Chief Ramsay. A large number of new operators have been sent out to take the place of the strikers, but the new men are not yet at work.

"German Syrup"

The majority of well-read physicians now believe that Consumption is a germ disease. In other words, instead of being in the constitution itself it is caused by innumerable small creatures living in the lungs having no business there and eating them away as caterpillars do the leaves of trees.

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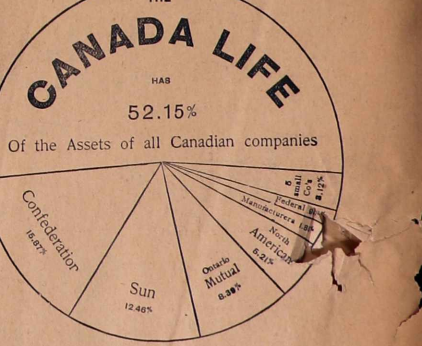

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The General Manager of one of the leading banks in Canada, writing to a per friend says .

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A GOVERNMENT INSURANCE ACTUARY'S OPINION

ON THE RELATION BETWEEN ORDINARY AND TONTINE SURPLUS.

It is frequently asserted by Companies whose business is nearly all Tontined, that though the Canada Life may and does pay large ordinary profits, yet it cannot compare favorably on a long term distribution or tontine period, and that in the end better resu can be obtained on a Tontine policy in the Canada Life. To prove the absurdity of th statement, the following piece of common sense is quoted from Mervin Tabor, late Actuar of the Illinois Government Insurance Department. In his well known book "The Thre Systems of Life Insurance," he says : "A company that gives large dividends on the ordi nary kinds of policies, can give much larger on the same kinds when Tontined, and a company that pays but meagre dividends on the usual forms, adopting perhaps the Tontine system to "cover up" its small surpluses, cannot be relied on for large returns of surplus under the Tontine Forms of Insurance."

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THE AMERICAN TARIFF.

BI-METALLISM WOULD LEAD TO ITS DECREASE.

An American at the Monetary Conference Talks Plainly—Uncle Sam Wants to Multiply His Trade With the Whole World.

BRUSSELS, Dec. 9.—In the Monetary Conference yesterday Prof. Andrews, an American delegate, who is president of Brown University, was invited as a Democrat and personal friend of President-elect Cleveland to inform the conference as to the probable attitude of the coming Washington Government towards silver.

Prof. Andrews said he hoped the idea that America was bent only upon increasing her national wealth and that she was merely acting as the servile creature of mine owners would forever be dismissed as being equally as absurd as the idea that American interest was mainly due to the distress a flicting the American monetary system. Continuing, Prof. Andrews said: "We have not and are not at present likely to have a dollar in silver beyond our needs in the United States. We have no idea of soliciting any favors from the peoples of Europe.

Uncle Sam's Trade Object.

"What we desire is as much to Europe's interest as to ours. We wish to multiply our trade with the world, to do a vaster business with China, Japan and Central and South America, and at the same time with Europe. This will never be successfully accomplished so long as two great groups of nations continue to drift apart.

"The evils of fluctuating exchange, which beset England in her commerce with India, we also experience in our trading with our nearest neighbors, but we are determined not to accomplish a desirable end at the terrible cost of opening a similar chasm between ourselves and the nations of Europe.

"We will part company with Asia and South America rather than with you. We will not forever continue alone the task of sustaining the price of silver. If Europe is not enough interested in the matter to co-operate with us we will soon decrease our annual purchase of silver and begin to provide by recruiting our currency by issues of paper.

"The next Congress is nearly certain to open procedure in that direction. We will not give up our gold. The time-honored monetary policy of the United States will never be changed with Mr. Cleveland's consent."

One Way to Lower the U.S. Tariff.

Referring to the tariff Prof. Andrews said it was obvious there was no surer way to lower the American tariff than for Europe and the United States to agree upon a policy favorable to silver as money. That alone would abate the incessant conflict for gold and leave the United States free to effect a generous reduction in the customs tariff.

In conclusion, Prof. Andrews said he thought some of the plans proposed to the conference were feasible, and if the delegates continued their deliberations with a due sense of their responsibility the conference would not fail to devise a measure of relief.

The best authorities state that when the conference adjourns next week it will be until the spring.

INSTANT ARREST.

Of Members of the Council of the Panama Canal Company Ordered.

PARIS, Dec. 9.—The declaration of the new ministry was read in Chambers yesterday. It recalled the events that caused the recent political crisis and affirmed the intention of the Cabinet to aid the Chamber of Deputies by every means in its power to throw light upon the Panama Canal affair. Nevertheless, it continued, the Cabinet must affirm the principle of separation of the executive, legislative and judicial powers.

The Government had decided not to exceed the limits prescribed by the law. The chamber is requested to devote its attention to reforms in taxation.

The Chamber, by a vote of 306 to 104, adopted a resolution declaring confidence in the Government.

The Libre Parole says Bourgeois, Minister of Justice, has ordered the immediate arrest of the members of the council of the Panama Canal Co. who are charged with breach of trust.

The members of the company under indictment are Ferdinand de Lesseps, chairman of the Board of Directors; Charles de Lesseps, vice-chairman, and M. Fontanes and Baron Cottu, directors.

The Chamber of Deputies by a vote of 432 to 89 adopted a motion declaring urgency for the consideration of M. Ramel's motion authorizing holders of Panama Canal bonds to form a syndicate to prosecute the persons who misappropriated the company's funds.

MRS. MAYBRICK IS SICK.

She Swears She Was Innocent of Moral Intent by Deed and Act.

LONDON, Dec. 9.—Mrs. Maybrick is critically ill in Woking prison. On Tuesday the governor of the prison summoned the Baroness de Rognes, Mrs. Maybrick's mother, at Rouen, and she arrived yesterday and proceeded at once to the prison.

It was thought Mrs. Maybrick was dying, and the sacrament was administered to her. She made the last confession of a dying prisoner, which in case of death is legally attested and given to the prisoner's next of kin. Mrs. Maybrick swears she was innocent of moral intent by deed and act against the life of James Maybrick.

The Baroness de Rognes was only allowed to see her daughter for a short time. Mrs. Maybrick had several hemorrhages of the lungs which left her so weak that if they occur again she will surely die.

She has been suffering from these hemorrhages for six weeks. She has petitioned Herbert Asquith, the Home Secretary, to release her from prison before her disease becomes incurable.

Home Secretary Asquith states that the condition of Mrs. Maybrick is receiving serious consideration at the Home Office.

The Kaiser's Philanthropy.

BERLIN, Dec. 9.—The Kaiser has designed a warship, of which a model has been constructed. In this several innovations are made in naval architecture.

To insure the health of officers and men the sleeping apartments are above deck, but in case of battle they can be removed in a few minutes.

Astonished Both Parties.

LONDON, Dec. 9.—The unanimity and fervid enthusiasm displayed at the Agricultural Conference which met in St. James Hall here yesterday in favor of protection and bi-metallism have alike astonished the Conservatives and Liberals.

Bringing the Spree Crowd Over.

LONDON, Dec. 9.—The steamer Havel sailed from Queenstown for New York yesterday with the passengers and cargo of the disabled steamer Spree.

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All through the Provinces the rapid increase of La Grippe, is causing great alarm. A report was received here to-day, of a new development of the disease, which is worse, perhaps than any other. Wm. Hanley of N. Y. City, died in terrible agony after sickness of only four days. His tongue swelled to such an extent as to make it impossible for him to close his jaws or swallow any food. The report is causing the people in this district to inquire into the noted Grip-cure, recently referred to in so many papers. In Cape Breton the disease has spread very rapidly and with fatal results, D. J. Killop of L'Archeveque writes Feb. 11th that this cure has been tried in his neighborhood and with such success that all those residing there are obtaining a supply believing it to be the only remedy affording relief and effecting a certain cure. He finished his letter by asking for a large quantity of the Medicine (Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills) to supply the demands of the community for the relief of LaGrippe.

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Advice to Mothers

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used by millions of mothers for children teething for over fifty years, with perfect success. It relieves the little sufferer at once, produces natural quiet sleep, and freeing the child from pain, and the young cherub wakes as bright as a button. It is pleasant to taste, soothes the child softens the gums, allays pain, relieves wind, regulates the bowels, and is the best known remedy for diarrhoea, whether arising from teething or other causes 25cts

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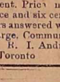

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All Except Two on Strike.

TOPEKA, Ks., Dec. 9.—All the Rock Island operators have, except two who are not members of the Brotherhood, struck at noon yesterday in obedience to the order for a general strike.

General Superintendent Dunlap said: "I don't know how many men are out. Traffic has not been interfered with in the least. We were expecting a strike and were prepared for it." One of the strikers said: "We are out and will stay out until ordered back. There are 183 out of a possible 200 men out."

The Telegraphers' Query.

CHICAGO, Dec. 9.—The great point of interest in the telegraphers' strike is whether they will succeed in obtaining the active co-operation of other organizations of the train men. Notwithstanding the claim of the company that it has lost only 40 men, it was yesterday endeavoring to obtain 200 operators.

Chief Ramsay declared to-night that if the road employed non-union men it would force a strike upon other branches of the road, as the men would not consent to work with non-union operators.

Where They Did Not Strike.

CEDAR RAPIDS, Ia., Dec. 9.—A. P. Ward, Superintendent of Telegraph for the Burlington, Cedar Rapids and Northern road, said last night that not an operator on the entire system has struck in response to the order sent out by Grand Chief Ramsay of the Telegraphers this morning, and he is confident none of them will.

The Color Problem.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 9.—Henry P. White of Kansas City, Kas., a member of the Board of Trade, has bought 1000 acres of land near that city on which he proposes to colonize all the negroes of the town into a self-supporting village.

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LONDON, Dec. 2.—Mr. Portal has been

NEW HAVEN, ... Fanny Horkorski, aged 2 years, took a shovel full of burning coals from the stove to-day and put them in a baby carriage in which was her 6-months'

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Glasgow Warehouse, Belleville, Dec. 1st, '92.

THE DAILY ONTARIO

BELLEVILLE, FRIDAY, DEC. 9th

PROBABILITIES.

—LAKES.—Decreasing west and north winds ; mostly fair, turning colder ; local snow flurries.

—ST. LAWRENCE.—Westerly winds ; some local falls of sleet or snow, becoming slowly colder.

Oriental Tea

Remember the Oriental Tea, with sale of useful and fancy articles in John St. Sunday school room, this afternoon and evening, five to ten o'clock.

TOLD IN A LINE OR TWO

Robt. McColl and Thomas Burton of Point Ann were booked Monday last to Glasgow per Dominion line steamer, City of New York which sailed Dec 7, '92.

Pain in back is cured by Membray's Kidney and Liver cure. Ask D. M. Waters, chemist and druggist, about it.

To-morrow the ONTARIO will publish a letter to W. R. Meredith from T. M. White, a life-long conservative, on Continental Union.

D. M. Waters, Chemist and druggist, Belleville, has a supply of Membrays Kidney and Liver Cure in stock. Ask about it.

The members of the Peterboro fire brigade who were arrested on the charge of incendiarism have been discharged, as no evidence was produced against them.

Municipal aspirants should be getting a "move on." Two weeks from Monday is nomination day.

Mrs. Geo. Dean has been in town lately. She will return to Belleville and spend part of the winter with Mrs. Cochrane. Mrs. Cochrane though now 84 years of age is mentally active and is able to attend to the management of her extensive property and write her business letters and do her banking.—Courier.

Hon. Mackenzie Bowell dedicated a new Orange hall at Cooper, in North Hastings, to-day.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

A. Huffman was in Toronto yesterday

John Bell, sr. and R. J. Bell were in Toronto yesterday.

D. R. Leavens, of Montreal, formerly of Belleville, is visiting in the city. He reports commission business fair.

J W Latimer, D Thomas, E W Barlow, R Thomson, J E Barnabi, Bill McCoy, W M Wilson, A V R Young, D R Leavens, H V F Vibert, Geo M Montgomery, Montreal ; P O'Connor, Fred O'Connor, A M Gamble, Gananoque ; Thos Boyd, J M Hamilton, R Mathews, Sidney H Lee, J A Knott, Toronto, J H Gallagher, David Cornell, Jas H Hill, J H Willoughby, W T Reid, Fred Mulhalland, Jas H Hill, G Rule, R B Hutchison, Chas F Doyle, A C Beech, W G Allen, Toronto ; M M Hischburg, St Stephen ; Alexander M Wood, Phillips a Geer and wife, Jno Kinghorne, C Maund, Allan Jones, Jas Alexander, Kingston, Kingston; Robt Thompson, Napanee ; R Coleman, Hamilton ; W Bird, Winnipeg, Rob Roy comany. are guests at the Queens'.

SPORTING WORLD

Speaking of "Charley" Mitchell, Hall remarked : 'Mitchell will positively fight 'Jim' Corbett. He told me so just before I sailed, and I know for a fact that he is sincere in the matter. He feels confident that he can defeat the champion, and was never more anxious to make a match. He is not bluffing, that you can bank on. The Englishman is in very good shape. He has stopped drinking intoxicants and is in better condition to fight than he has been since he fought John L. Sullivan in France. His stay in prison will not do him any harm. On the contrary it will do him a lot of good. While in jail he will have to live regularly and do a good stroke of hard work. This will make him good and strong and put him in excellent fettle. It will be a sort of training for him. Mitchell will arrive here on February 15 and immediately make arrangements to fight Corbett. He will also second me in my fight with Fitzsimmons."

Before the Buffalo Athletic Club last night Tommy Dixon, of Toronto defeated Walter Campbell, of Bethlehem, Pa. in three rounds. The contest was to have been in 10 rounds. It took 49 rounds to settle the 20-round contest for the lightweight championship of the state of New York between Tommy Creed, of New York, and Mike Haugh, of Brooklyn. The latter beat his man in the forty-ninth. The fight was a very game and hotly contested one. Both events were in the Buffalo Athletic Club's rooms and the ...

RAMBLES FROM ROME

MISS ELLA GARDINER CONTINUES HER INTERESTING LETTER

The Queer Manners of Italian Electioners—Ghosts Will Haunt Them if They Refuse to Support Certain Candidates

On the next morning we paid a third visit to the Vatican for in our two previous visits it had been impossible to see all the treasures there preserved—of course by this time we had a good idea of the building and knew just where to go, so as to make the best use of our time. The distances are so great in Rome that we rode a great deal, and the cabs so cheap that it is really more profitable to save time by riding. Of course there are a great many lines of streets cars, too, but we paid but twenty cents for any course in the city, and you see it was cheaper to ride in the cabs than in the street cars, besides being much more pleasant. Saturday morning then we drove to the Vatican and went at once up stairs to some of the galleries we had not seen in our previous visits. The first hall was octagonal and called the room of the chariots, because in its centre it contained a most beautiful piece of sculpture in the form of a chariot drawn by two horses. This had been used for many years as a papal throne. Surrounding it were several beautiful statues and the floor like all the floors in the Vatican was of most lustrous marbles. We then went through a very long hall containing many candelabra sarcophagi and statues in great numbers. By this time the library was open and that was what we especially wanted to see. We entered a very long hall, (1000 feet long) with floors and walls of marble polished till it reflected objects like a mirror. On both sides all the length of the hall were cabinets containing manuscripts, but the cabinets were all closed so that we could only see the books when our gentlemanly conductor chose to unlock the cases. Opening from this hall was another very large and very beautiful room containing the jubilee presents of Pope Pious IX. All the nations of the world had sent him their very choicest productions I think. There were most exqusite sirres, china vases from France, finer than any I saw at the Paris exposition or at the Sirres manufactory. Then there were vases from Berlin and Dresden almost equally lovely tables of malachite and lapis, lazuli from the Emperor of Russia, alabaster vases from the Kledina of Egypt, Labrador granite tables from Canada, exqusite statues from Italy, a secretary of carved wood from Naples, a baptismal font from Napoleon III, etc., etc. I inquired whether Mercier gave the Labrador granite but our guide didn't know the name of the donor. We saw some very choice manuscript too, very early editions of Dante, Tasso, Ariosto, Virgie, Caesar and many other Italian and Latin authors most beautifully illustrated missals and a very old copy of the bible, the Vatican edition. We passed through a room containing the public presents that are now being sent in to Leo XIII, but were not told much about them. However, we saw case after case of treasurers taken from the catacombs and a very great many beautiful albums sent to Pious IX. Leaving the library we went next to see the Pope's carriages. First we saw three fine black carriages which we were told he Pope uses in driving about his grounds, for you know the Pope is really a prisoner in his magnificent palace and does not dare go outside his grounds. We saw some very fancy carriages used by the cardinals and lastly the pontifical carriage blazing in crimson and gold, never used by Leo XIII, but the one in which Pope Pious IX rode in the public procession. Among the guests at our hotel were two Buffalo priests, who introduced many of the American and English people to the Vice Rector of the college of Rome, and through the latter they hoped to attain permission to see the pope. He grants audiences nearly every day, but sees only a limited number and so you have to wait a long time after your application is made. I felt not the slightest curosity to see this "Holy Father," as the Buffalo priests called him, and I haven't yet reached the stage where I stoop to kiss his toe. Those admitted are obliged to dress in black and take off their hats and then the Pope passes along and says something to each person while the one addressed bows very low before him. The Catholics kiss his toe, the Protestants merely make a very profound courtesy. I have been greatly interested lately reading the election news in the Italian newspapers, and (also the premises and manifestoes of the candidates) '(upon the fences)'. The election seemed to be a straight pull between Catholics and non-Catholics or rather between the Papal and non-Papal parties. The ultra-Catholics stand aloof and took no part in the elections so that not many more than 30 per cent of the electors voted in some places. Here in Florence, I have read on the walls the manifestos of some of the candidates too. One man says that the ghosts of Galiles, Saranorola, Gividano, Bruno and Mackiarelli will haunt the electors if they refuse to do their duty at the polls and thus maintain liberty and a united Italy. There are also many references to Garibaldi and others to the horrors of the Inquisition and the infamy of the Jesuits. One can see that there is a very strong war against the Pope and clericalism, but the worst of it is, it all tends to atheism. On the way home from church this morning we saw a bill advertising a theatre for this afternoon, the play being "Galileo Galilei"—followed by a farce, "A two years' old baby." Among the characters mentioned in the play were priests, friars, members of the inquisition &c. Another bill advertised three baloon ascensions for this afternoon and some performance with a flying trapeze. I am afraid I stand a poor chance of carrying out my program unless I stop wandering off my diary at such a rate. To return to last Saturday a week ago yesterday again From the Vatican we went to the Baptistery of Constantine at St. John Lateran church. This is where the Emperor Constantine was baptised. We went specially to see and hear some doors which open with music into St. John the Baptist's chapel. We saw the doors and heard them open, but were not allowed to enter the chapel (that is) Mrs. L. and I were not, as it is sacred to men only. Then we went through the museums at St. John Lateran which are not particularly fine, and here Mr. L. gave five francs to pay for the custodian keeping our umbrellas, and the sneak, an officer of the Pope, gave him in exchange a counterfeit two franc piece. Oh, how annoyed Mr. L. was, when in the course of the afternoon he went to pay two francs and found he had a counterfeit piece of money. The Holy Stairs are just opposite that museum and Mr. L. vowed he'd go up them on his knees, get his nine year's indulgence offered by the Pope and then thrash the counterfeit man.

(To be Continued)

For hanging and stand lamps try Geen's Drug Store.

How Mr. W. D. Wentz of Geneva, N.Y was cured of the severest form of dyspepsia He says everything he ate seemed like pouring melted lead into his stomache. Hood's Sarsaparilla effected a perfect cure. Full particulars will be sent if you write C I Hood & Co., Lowell Mass.

AN ODD VERDICT

The Jury Must Have Been Composed of Lawyers

In the case against Henry Lingford, the young farm laborer, who shot Wm. Palmer, a chicken thief, in Pickering one night last week, the Coroner's jury returned a verdict which surpasses anything we have yet seen in the form of legal rigmarole. After much tortuous preliminary it says :

"On the morning of the 16th day of November, instant, one Henry Lingford, with a certain pistol, called a revolver, charged with gunpowder and a leaden bullet, which he, the said Henry Lingford, then had and held in his hand, discharged and shot off, and that the said Henry Lingford, with the leaded bullet aforesaid, then discharged and shot out of the said pistol, by the force of the gunpowder aforesaid, him, the said Wm. Palmer, in and upon the breast of him, the said Wm. Palmer, did then strike and penetrate thereby, then giving to him the said Wm. Palmer, with the bullet aforesaid, so shot off, one mortal wound of which said mortal wound the said Wm. Palmer then instantly died, and the jurors aforesaid, on their oath aforesaid, do further say that the said Henry Lingford, for the preservation and safety of his person, and of inevitable necessity, did so discharge and shoot off the said pistol, so causing the death of the said Wm. Palmer, and that the said Henry Lingford shot the said Wm. Palmer, in defence of himself, the said Henry Lingford, the said Wm. Palmer, in manner and by the means aforesaid did kill and slay'"

KICKED BY A HORSE.

William Fairburn Fatally Injured by a Kick From a Horse.

Mr. William Fairburn, who resides near Grieves' corner, met with a serious accident on Wednesday. He was hitching up a team of horses when they broke loose and ran back into the stable. Mr. Fairburn picked up a whip and followed them in the stable, where he gave the animals several cuts of the lash. One of the horses started kicking and struck him in the bowels. Dr. Beeman, of Centreville, was summoned but doubts are entertained of his recovery.

Put Me in My Little Bed

I am dizzy, dizzy, dizzy ;
And I want to go to bed,
I've no appetite to eat
And headache racks my head.

In other words I am suffering from bilious attack, but Dr. Pierces's Pleasan Pellets will bring me around all right by to-morrow. They often cure headache in an hour. I have found them the best cathartic pill in existence. They produce no nausea or griping, but do their work thoroughly. They are convenient to carry in the vest pocket, and pleasant to take. In vials : 25 cents.

No Return.

After a lapse of seven years the following letter explains itself : Toronto, Ont., April 17, 1887. "I would state that your remedy, St. Jacob's Oil, had the desired effect of curing me effectually of rhematism, with which I suffered in 1880. I have never had any return of the pain which I endured for months previous. It affords me great pleasure to say I have recommended it to a number of friends. Too much praise cannot be devoted to its healing qualities." J. ABRAHAM, Passenger Agent, 51 York St. Hundreds certify that once cured, the cure is permanent.

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TOWN TALK

New goods just arrived at Goldsmith's fish store, Bridge street—groceries, fish, fruits, cigars, oysters, cider, candies. Refreshments and lunches at all hours.

You will save money by getting your stoves and ranges from Deacon & Doyle

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F. A. Abraham, issuer of marriage licenses at the ONTARIO Office.

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For four thousand years or more the world groaned, suffered and fumed about its corns, for their was no positive relief—no cerain and painless cure until Dr. Scott Putman gave to the world his great Corn Extractor. If there is suffering now it is a result of carelessness, for the remedy is at hand. Try Putman's Corn Extractor. It is sure, painless, and prompt. Beware of substitutes. N. C. Polson & Co. proprietors. Kingston.

There is no known cough mixture that will give such rapid and certain relief in any and all the afflictions known as cold and the result of colds use Magnus Expectorant 25c per bottle at all the drug stores in the city.

Clear Savana Cigars

"La Cadena" and "La Flora." Insist upon having these brands.

WHAT IT WOULD BE LIKE

IF CANADA WERE TO JOIN THE UNITED STATES

The Way We Would be Governed and the Offices That Would be Created—The People Would Not Know the Difference

F. W. Shibley, of Providence, R. I. formerly of Kingston, writes the following letter to the Whig :

There seems no longer any doubt that annexation is a political question with which Canadian statesmen will soon have to deal. It it a question which presents itself with such an abundance of logic in its favor that by no manner of means can it be sequestered. Only a few years ago there was scarcely a voice raised in its favor. Now men are becoming bolder. They have learned that there is nothing terrible in the subject of political union, and they come out like patriots and give expression to their thoughts.

In this letter I propose to give your readers an idea of what the result would be, as far at least as Ontario is concerned, were Canada to be annexed to the United States. Coming into the American confederation of states the name Canada would disappear, but as states the various provinces would doubtless remain as they now are, with the possible exception of Prince Edward Island which might be merged into Nova Scotia as being too small for statehood. Ontario would be even more independent of the general government than it is to-day. Instead of a lieutenant-governor appointed by the governor-general its chief executive would be a governor elected by a plurality of the votes of its citizens. At the same time there would be elected with him a lieutenant-governor who would succeed him in case of death, and whose office would be that of speaker of the senate. The State of Ontario would have its own constitution and regulate it as it saw fit. It could elect its legislators for terms of its own choosing. The government would consist of two houses, representatives and senators, the former chosen in relation to the population and the latter to represent equally the different counties or towns. There would be no prime minister as now, for the governor would always head the ticket of his party and the various cabinet portfolios would be filled by officers elected by the people. These officers consist of a secretary of state, a state treasurer and an attorney-general. There would be no minister of education unless the people so chose as in this country each seperate corporation looks after its educational affairs. Doubtless Ontario would prefer to continue to manage its private affairs as it now so ably does, and there is no reason to believe that annexation would in any way disturb the present condition of things.

As a state Ontario would be represented at Washington by two senators elected for terms of six years by the state legislature in joint assembly. Its national representatives would depend on the population, one member being appointed to a certain number of hundred thousands. These law makers would be elected by popular vote. The United States government would be represented in Ontario by a United States district attorney and United States court where our national cases would be tried, by collectors of customs and internal revenue and by those in charge of post offices. The number of federal officials it will be seen is very limited and a State is expected to look out for itself in all cases save that in which the governor is compelled to call upon the president for national troops to put down rebellion beyond his control.

If Canada were annexed to the United States to-morrow few people would know the difference as far as the laws are concerned. The sun would shine just as brightly on the stars and stripes as upon the union jack. But when it came to buying and seling the Ontario farmers would see a thing or two. They would find every article they produced increased in value at least 25 per cent. And what ever they needed in the line of groceries and dry goods they could buy much cheaper for that cursed barrier to commerce, the "national policy," would be wiped out, and the tariff wall, that skirts the American border from New Brunswick to British Columbia, would have disappeared.

The question for Canadians to settle is not one of loyalty but of political economy. They can be just as loyal as they want to be when they become good American citizens. Their homes will be in the same old places and home is ever the nucleus of the fatherland. It will be just as easy in a few years to sing "Columbia" as "God Save the Queen." And after they have been stirred up by one or two presidential elections they will become the very Yankeeish of Yankees. Our tory friends cry loyalty, loyalty, loyalty, loyalty. It is all bosh. Patriotism is self-preservation and Canada's salvation is in political union with the republic. I defy the most clever mathematician in the tory ranks to prove by figures that Canada would be a loser by annexation. It cannot be done and these gentlemen know it. That is why they go up and down the country working their hoo doo "loyalty."

It is not a question of national pride. Did Canada have to bend even one knee for admittance to the American federation of states, I would say, "Don't do it." I too love my native land, and am proud of her, even if I am an annexationist. Canada can walk into the union queen-like and erect. Her sisters of this republic will be proud of her arrival, and there will be a carnival of joy from the Atlantic to the Occident that day when the fanciful lines of tariff walls fades into space and Canuck and Yankee shake hands like the brothers and gentlemen that they are, looking each other squarely between the eyes, and finding much to admire in the other. From the limpid waters of the Mexican gulf to the frozen Artic will the shout of these united millions go up, and America will be one mighty land, one wonderful people.—F. W. SHIBLEY.

Lives of others oft remind us
Married life may be sublime

We trust to to be forgiven this parody of lines from Longfellow's immortal "Psalm of Life." Husbands who are wise and and thoughtful, know that the happiness of the home depends largely on the health of the mistress of the home. Many are the tasks which daily confront her. How can a woman contend against the trials and worries of housekeeping, if she be suffering from those distressing irregularities, ailments and weaknesses peculiar to her sex? Dr. Pierce's favorite prescription is a specific for these disorders. The only remedy, sold by all druggists, under a positive guarantee from the manufacturers. Satisfaction guaranteed in every case, or money refunded. See printed guarantee on bottle wrapper.

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The high position attained and the universal acceptance and approval of the pleasant liquid fruit remedy Syrup of Figs as the most excellent laxative known, illustrate the value of the qualities on which its success is based and are abundantly gratifying to the California Fig Syrup Company.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Gastronomics.

The Roman soldiers who built such wonderful roads, and carried a weight of armor and luggage that would crush the average farm hand, lived, it is said, on coarse brown bread and sour wine. They were temperate in diet, and regular and constant in exercise. The Spanish peasant works every day and dances half the night, yet eats only his black bread, onion, and water-melon. The Smyrna porter eats only a little fruit and some olives, yet he walks off with his load of a hundred pounds. The coolie, fed on rice is more active and can endure more than the negro fed on fat meat. The heavy work of the work is not done by men who eat the greatest quantity. Moderation in diet seems to be the prerequisite of endurance.

From Rio de Janeiro in the southern, and Para in the northern part of Brazil, we get our tapioca, from the roots of a plant called the mandioca, or the cassava. The roots are long and round, like the sweet potato, generally a foot or more in length. Every joint of the plant will produce its roots like the cuttings of a grape vine. The tubers are dug up from the ground, peeled, scraped or grated, then put in long sacks of flexible rattan ; sacks six feet long or more and at the bottom of the sack they suspend a large stone, by the weight of which the flexible sides are contracted, and out pours the cassava juice in a pan placed below to receive it. This juice is highly poisonous and very volatile. Then after it is crushed and steeped in water, and all the volatile part (the poison) has evaporated, what is left, looking like some crumbs of bread, is the innocent tapioca of which we make our pudding.

The aversion of some folk to cerain sorts of food is curious and not always to be accounted for, The late Henry Ward Beecher had a great antipathy for fish, disliking the flavor so much that he avoided passing a fish stand. The sight of an eel or a carp has thrown persons into convulsions. There are many who dislike milk. The Esquimaux spurn sugar. The president of one of the city safe deposit companies is made very sick if he indulges his fondness for scollops. One fond of strawberries was unable to indulge her appetite therefore for years. The peculiarities of diet can be studied with much amusement and profit in any large and popular restaurant. One is often amazed at the mixtures some people concoct and eat with relish. "There is no accounting for taste ;" nor disputing the old axiom : "What is one man's food is another's poison."

The scientific explanation of the mould, says the American Grocer, is that when a barrel of pickles is left open to the air, a spore (germ) happens to fall into the barrel, and finding suitable matter on which to feed, it begins to vegetate or grow. This it does by absorbing material, and the spore rapidly lengthens into a long, thread-like filament, which may be single or branched. In a short time this thread sends up branches which bear new spores as above described, and soon the whole surface of the vinegar is covered with a scum which consists of the threads or mycelium, as they are called, and spore branches. This mycelium penetrates quickly throughout the whole mass of the pickle, which rapidly becomes soft and worthless. One of the best posted pickle dealers in the city says that he will guarantee that if the scum is stirred or broken daily there will be no loss ; but he insists that the process must be done every day. Where this is neglected the pickles will spoil. Some grocers claim that a few drops of oil of cloves put in the open barrel will prevent the mould forming. Be careful not to use too much, say from seven to ten drops well stirred in.

The Napanee Debating Club has elected the following officers :—president, Mr. H Pringle ; Vice-President, Mr. E. Grange ; Secretary-treasurer ; W. H. Milsap.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Miss Lettie Huntley

Is the sister of Mr. W. S. Huntley of Cortland, N. Y., a well known carpenter and builder. Her frank statement below gives only the absolute truth concerning her illness and marvelous recovery by the aid of Hood's Sarsaparilla. She says:

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There Was No Hope

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A Waste of Money

but finding it would comfort her, I began taking it. In a few days the bloating began to subside, I seemed to feel a little stronger, but thought it only fancy. I was so weak I could only take ten drops of Sarsaparilla at first. In two weeks I was able to sit up a few minutes every day. In a month **I could walk across the room.** One day I asked what they were to have for dinner, and said I wanted something hearty. My mother was so happy she cried. It was the

First Time I had Felt Hungry for Two Years

I kept on with Hood's Sarsaparilla and in six months was as well as ever in my life. It is now four years since I recovered, and I have not had a day's sickness since, nor any hemorrhage. If ever a human being thanked the good Lord on bended knees it was I. I know that Hood's Sarsaparilla, and that alone, unquestionably **Saved my Life.**"

Messrs. Sager & Jennings, the well known druggists of Cortland, say that Miss Huntley "is a highly respected lady; her statement of what

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Has done for her is worthy the highest confidence." Hood's Pills cure Liver Ills.

What She Said

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You'll enter into the spirit of the thing and you can't help it Come and see us and we'll show you a handsome store, handsome goods and the best of attention.

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LAMPS

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Here's a chance now for a lamp They'll go sure and you may as well get yours while they last. We also intend as usual to lead in China and Silver, a fact you are already aware of.

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Gent's Fine Collars and Cuffs, Caps, Gauntlets and Coat Linings.
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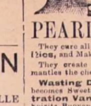

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BUTTERFLY TEA.
St. Andrews Church Association intend giving a Butterfly Tea in the Lecture Room of the church on
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A NICELY FURNISHED BED ROOM large enough to accommodate two gentlemen, bath included if desired. Cor. Front and William Sts. ...

CONSERVATIVE CAUCUS.
A PROTECTIONIST PLATFORM WILL BE DEMANDED.
Greatest Political Phenomenon of the Day—Home Rule Bill Again Amended—Lady Blandford is Made a Duchess by the Queen.

LONDON, Dec. 10.—The annual Conservative caucus, known as the Union of Constitutional Association, will open on Monday at Sheffield.

Over 1000 delegates are expected to be present. The party managers, who resisted the clamor of the rank and file for a protectionist platform, have been obliged to give way.

The feeling displayed at the Agricultural Conference, and now pervading the party, compelled the central executive to accept resolutions protectionist in spirit, though veiled in form. One of the resolutions that will be submitted to the caucus declares that free trade is against the best interests of the working classes of Great Britain.

Another pronounces it necessary to regulate foreign imports by countervailing duties, a euphemism for protection that deceives nobody.

The rapidity with which protectionist ideas have become resurgent is the greatest political phenomenon of the day.

Will Favor Bi-Metallism.

Mr. Arthur J. Balfour will address the delegates on Tuesday. He will probably tone down the protection tendencies, but will renew and accentuate the declarations in favor of bi-metallism, which promises to be among the leading tricks of the Conservative game.

The Home Rule Bill.

An amended draft of the Home Rule bill was sent to the Cabinet ministers to-day. The bill now in the hands of the ministers is the latest form of the measure, but it cannot be pronounced a finality. The financial clauses of the bill still remain undecided. The whole bill is subjected to revision.

The Queen's Social Rule.

It is reported that the Queen authorizes Lady Blandford, the first wife of the late Duke of Marlborough, to assume the title of Duchess of Marlborough.

This action on the part of the Queen could not nullify the right of the Duke's second wife to the title of Duchess, but it would stamp the Queen's opinion of the position of the first wife.

Astor to Write a Novel.

Mr. William Waldorf Astor is a frequent visitor at the British Museum. It is understood that he is gleaning material for a historic novel.

Reed's Idea of Home Rule.

Sir Edwin Reed publishes a long letter displaying that there is a revolt on the part of many Liberals.

He declares to all whom it may concern that he and other commoners will not be a party to any Home Rule scheme giving Ireland control of anything more than purely local and domestic affairs.

He will not assist any separation or arbitration to release prisoners, while on questions like the restoration of evicted tenants he will vote independently, as he thinks just and right to all.

The Times is jubilant over Sir Edwin Reed's letter and says it will be a painful subject of speculation to the Liberal leaders how many will follow Sir Edwin.

COTTON OPERATORS.
Forty Thousand Mill Hands in a Pitiable Condition.

LONDON, Dec. 10.—A month has elapsed since the beginning of the great cotton strike or lock-out, and it appears to be no nearer a settlement than it was at the beginning.

The only satisfactory feature of the dispute is the perfect order maintained throughout the spinning districts. The members of the Amalgamated Association of Spinners are in regular receipt of their weekly strike pay and there is little suffering among them, but there is another side to the subject which is not so bright.

It is estimated that 40,000 mill hands who belong to no union have been rendered idle through this dispute. With no treasury to draw upon, their condition is pitiable. Thousands of men are now reduced almost to starvation.

Application was made yesterday to a magistrate at Oldham for 300 warrants against operatives who were in arrears for borough rates. The magistrate refused to grant them, and told the bailiff who made the application to apply when the strike was ended.

Mrs. Maybrick's Illness.

LONDON, Dec. 10.—The Baroness de Rougues, mother of Mrs. Maybrick, says her daughter is still alive but she is unable to take food, and a doctor is near her day and night. The baroness added: "I have no hope for her life myself, but I want her release so that she may die free and away from here with me to care for her in her last hours."

The Home Office to-day refuses to give any information regarding Mrs. Maybrick's case. Mr Foster, the Acting Secretary of State, has instructed the American Legation here to interfere on behalf of Mrs. Maybrick with Lord Rosebery, Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs. Lord Rosebery recently declined to interfere.

ANOTHER CANARD.
Van Horne Does Not Intend to Make Boston His Steamer Terminus.

MONTREAL, Dec. 10.—A Boston paper stated that Van Horne, in an address to the Merchants' Association there, said he intended to make Boston, instead of Halifax, a terminal point for the coming line of C.P.R. trans-Atlantic steamers.

Van Horne positively denies that he made such a statement.

A Master Move.

MANCHESTER, Dec. 10.—At a meeting of the representatives of the Masters' Cotton Federation and the Northeast Lancashire Manufacturers' Association a resolution was adopted in favor of the members of the Lancashire associations running their mills only three days in the week.

If the resolution is generally enforced it will have serious consequences for the strikers in South Lancashire, who depend largely upon the weekly levies from the northern operatives, who will be unable to continue this support if the short time is enforced.

Embezzled $25,000.

NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—Alfred J. Price, bookkeeper for Street & Smith, publishers of The New York Weekly, pleaded guilty yesterday to larceny in the first degree. He was sentenced to the penitentiary for five years.

Price was guilty of embezzlements by which the firm lost about $25,000.

Settling a Crisis.

BUENOS AYRES, Dec. 10.—The Cabinet crisis will be settled by the resignation of the Minister of the Interior.

Comic Singers on Their Uppers.

ITHACA, N.Y., Dec. 6.—Nineteen members of the Boston Comic Opera ...

GERMANY'S SMALL ARMS.
A Member of the Reichstag Sentenced for Libelling a Manufacturer—He Will Not Be Imprisoned.

BERLIN, Dec. 10.—The public prosecutor contends that the case of libel against the prisoner, Ahlwardt, had been proved. There was no justification whatever in the charges made by Ahlwardt that Loewe manufactured defective rifles and sold them to the Government.

The public prosecutor closed by demanding that the court sentence Ahlwardt to 18 months' imprisonment.

Ahlwardt spoke in his own defence. He maintained that he had furnished confirmation of all his statements, and had only failed to substantiate his conclusions. He admitted that he originally wrote his pamphlet for anti-Semitic purposes, but afterwards urged the public authorities to inquire into the matter. He did not aim to weaken the confidence of the soldiers in the weapons, but he sought to induce the War Office to remove useless rifles.

Rector Ahlwardt has been sentenced to five months' imprisonment.

The Hamburger-Correspondent says: There is a strong feeling in military quarters that no further orders for rifles should be given to private firms. All rifles should be manufactured by the Government.

It is also reported that owing to irregularities proved to have occurred in Loewe's factory a number of superior officers believe that their rifles should be returned and replaced by State-made weapons.

A motion to exempt Rector Ahlwardt from arrest, on the ground that he is a member of the Reichstag, has found the necessary support, and it will be introduced in the Reichstag immediately after Ahlwardt's election is formally announced in the Reichstag.

In passing sentence on Ahlwardt the judge declared that the charge that the rifles were illegally stamped proved to be unfounded. The military test of Loewe's guns had given brilliant results. Ahlwardt's numerous libels upon private persons and upon Gunmaker Kirch were punishable by law. If such men as Ahlwardt existed by hundreds nobody could safely venture upon the streets.

Nothing could justify the plea that he had acted for the public interest.

The London Post's Berlin correspondent says: The public prosecutor, referring to the stolen documents on which Ahlwardt based his charges that the Loewe rifles needed repairs after manœuvres, said that it had been shown that the soldiers themselves had tampered with the rifles.

The inference is that the anti-Semitical agitation spread to the Landwehr. There was a sensation in court.

The lightness of the sentence excited surprise.

DEAD WALL NEWS.
The Intense Anxiety with Which the French Government Is Watched.

LONDON, Dec. 10.—The Paris correspondent of The Times says: Soon after 6 o'clock last evening a cluster of people was observed reading on a poster on the walls of the Ministry of Marine building the declaration which had been read tremblingly only two hours before by Premier Ribot.

The speed with which the poster was gotten out indicates the intense anxiety with which the Government is watched, and which it is quite powerless to withstand.

It is what I have throughout called a conspiracy, not only against the Republic, but against the State, couched in terms of high-minded patriotism. M. Ribot's statement places recent incidents in their proper perspective, recalling the all but frenzied or bewitched deputies to a proper sense of their responsibilities and obligations.

Had yesterday's attempt failed to bring quietude, President Carnot himself would have been insulted and his official existence would have been menaced. Happily time and cleverness, working on the same side, discovered how to avert the thunderbolt.

From the ambassadors, representatives of two parties to the Dreibund watched Premier Ribot's literally trembling fingers as they fumbled the leaves of his statement, and all listened with breathless expectancy.

At the conclusion of the Premier's speech the whole Left and Centre gave a ringing shout of approval, and word went round the galleries, "He has a majority."

The London Chronicle's Paris correspondent says: "There is no sign of any coolness on the part of his colleagues in the Chamber toward M. Proust. The chief sufferer seems to be Joseph Reinach, who has lost all chance of being appointed to the next vacant embassy."

Albert Grevy will probably be disbarred, while M. Renault will escape this fate.

The general effect on public opinion is now at its worst. The names of 50 senators and deputies who accepted Panama bribes are now freely mentioned. It is useless to deny that the existence of a popular pretender at the present moment would imply imminent danger of upsetting the republic.

This, however, is out of the question, national apathy being dominant.

The Dreibund Still Warm.

ROME, Dec. 10.—Signor Brin, Minister of Foreign Affairs, during a discussion of the budget estimates in the Chamber of Deputies yesterday, replied to the statement that had been made to the effect that the Dreibund was becoming cooler. He declared the assertions were bitterly untrue.

Italy, in improving her relations with all the powers, was in complete accord with the powers of the Dreibund, and every evidence of improved relation with any power was regarded as a sign of success of their common policy, which was now beginning to bear fruit.

Italy's success in diminishing distrust abroad was not due to any change in Italy's policy, but to an improvement of the general situation.

Gale On the English Channel.

LONDON, Dec. 10.—There is a heavy gale on the English Channel. Several casualties have occurred. Two schooners were driven ashore yesterday in the vicinity of Dover and were towed off, badly damaged. A galley bringing a pilot at Deal was capsized and the pilot was drowned. A brig struck Beachhead. The crew was rescued.

The Spanish Government.

MADRID, Dec. 10.—The Queen-Regent has summoned Senor Sagasta and told him she will consider his declination to form a cabinet and communicate with him to-day.

The public are greatly disappointed. There are rumors of serious obstacles to delay a settlement, the powerful military party opposing a Liberal cabinet.

A Bomb Exploded.

VIENNA, Dec. 10.—The Tageblatt says that a large bomb exploded near the dwellings of the workmen in the great iron works of Krupp's nephew at Bernsdorf. Much damage was caused to property.

The Guinness Trust.

LONDON, Dec. 10.—The Goldsmiths' Company has devoted £2500 to the Guinness Trust for the building of industrial dwellings.

His Arm Shot Off.

EMIN PASHA AND PAR[TY]
REPORTED KILLED ON THE MA[RCH] THROUGH AFRICA.
He Was Blind and Helpless — Mu[tiny], Starvation and Smallpox Decim[ate] His Followers—His Expedition Fa[iled] Through Many Misfortunes.

LONDON, Dec. 10.—The Post says th[at a] report has been received in London f[rom] an Egyptian, formerly with Emin, to [the] effect that Emin and all his party w[ere] killed by Manyemas in the march on Ituri River.

Capt. Lugard's last report from St[...] man represented Emin as blind and helpl[ess] while the expedition had failed thro[ugh] many misfortunes.

Mutiny and starvation decimated [the] ranks, and smallpox was contracted.

With an escort of Manyemas he and [some] of his followers traveled back to the coa[st].

WANT QUICK FACTS.
The Panama Canal Affair Remains Lively Issue.

PARIS, Dec. 10.—It is reported the Gover[nment] is ready to communicate to the Pa[n]ama Committee the documents relating [to] the Panama Canal Company on conditi[on] that the members of the committee preser[ve] such secrecy as will prevent the disclosur[e] from interfering with the course of justic[e].

Three members of the Panama Commi[t]tee, who were sent to examine the books [of] the firm of Kohn & Reinach, reported t[o]day that they had found that during th[e] first six months of 1888 Arton, the allege[d] go-between, had on several occasions draw[n] on the account of Baron Reinach for 1,000,000 francs.

M. Ribot, the Prime Minister, was pre[s]ent at the session of the committee to[]day. He promised to act in concert with it and to assist in throwing full light upon the whole Panama affair. M. Bourgeois, Minister of Justice, was also present.

M. Beaupaire, the public prosecutor who opposed the Government's action in regard to the Panama Canal Company, has resigned his office.

His successor will be nominated by the president of the Court of Cassation.

The Panama Canal Committee to-day examined Deputy Vian, who is manager of the Dynamite Company. He testified that after the death of M. Barbe, who was charged with having received bribes, Baron Reinach sued his heirs for 320,000 francs, which he declared M. Barbe owed him.

M. Vian said, however, that he did not believe that the money was in any way connected with Panama Canal affairs.

Dr. Brouardel and the medical representative of the police, accompanied by Dr. Bertillion, have gone to Beauvais to perform an autopsy on the body of Baron Reinach.

GREAT CATTLE LOSS.
No Rain for More Than Two Years in Part of New Mexico.

DENVER, Col., Dec. 10.—A prominent cattleman from northwestern New Mexico, just arrived here, tells of fearful suffering among the cattle of the drought-stricken districts.

He says that for more than two years the heavens have refused to yield rain, and as a result the water courses are dried up and the irrigating ditches are useless.

"At a low estimate," said he, "75,000 to 100,000 head of cattle have died from starvation and lack of water.

"Railroads are shipping cattle out of the region by train loads, but thousands of these cattle will die as they are too weak to withstand the winter. Some cattle companies estimate their loss as high as 60 per cent., and the average will run 35 to 40 per cent.

"The sheep are in almost as bad a condition as the cattle. Heaviest losses are reported in Calfax and adjoining counties."

A Cronin Suspect Dead.

JOLIET, Dec. 10.—Martin J. Burke, one of the men sent to Joliet Prison for complicity in the famous murder of Dr. Cronin of Chicago, died at the penitentiary in this city last evening of quick consumption.

When the news of his coming death was first made public last month every known means was resorted to to secure a confession from him which would lift the blood-stained curtain from the Cronin mystery and reveal the inner working of the deadly conspiracy in all the hideous details.

Burke always maintained, however, that his sentence was an unjust one and that it did not lie in his power to place the crime on those who should be burdened with it.

Of those sent to Joliet for complicity in the Cronin murder only one now remains—Dan Coughlin, the ex-detective of Chicago.

He is hale and hearty and is working hard every day. He was visibly affected when informed of Burke's death following so soon upon that of O'Sullivan's, the partner in the crime, but made no comment.

Bradstreet's Report.

NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—Throughout the Province of Ontario trade has been almost featureless. Cottons have advanced, due to higher-priced cotton, and metals are more active.

Unfavorable weather has checked trade in the Province of Quebec. Collections are slow. The movement of cereals is only local in character.

Halifax, Montreal, Toronto and Hamilton report bank clearings for the week aggregating $25,053,000, a gain of nearly 20 per cent. over last week, and of 14 per cent. over the like week a year ago.

There were 31 business failures in the Dominion reported this week, against 35 last week, 45 in the week a year ago and 40 two years ago.

The Effects of Liquor.

UXBRIDGE, Dec. 10.—William Dunn, a farmer residing near here, was arrested yesterday and appeared before Mayor Hamilton in the evening on a charge of aggravated assault preferred by his wife.

The evidence of Mrs. Dunn and the two children showed that Dunn came home drunk the previous evening, knocked his wife down, kicked her, and then threatened to brain the whole family if they did not leave the house, thereby forcing them to flee in a half-clothed condition to a neighbor's house.

The prisoner admitted that he only threatened to brain them. He was committed to stand his trial at Whitby.

CASE OF EXTRADITION.
This Time It Is a Mitchell Bank That Is the Sufferer.

TORONTO, Dec. 10.—The Attorney-General's Department has another extradition case on its hands, George Vickers, formerly a music teacher in Mitchell, having been arrested at Hillsdale, Michigan, yesterday on a charge of discounting forged notes to the amount of $1400 with a Mitchell banker.

Vickers will fight extradition and says he will commit suicide rather than come back to Canada.

Recovered Damages.

BUFFALO, Dec. 10.—Mrs. J. C. Smith of Toronto has recovered $4000 damages from The Buffalo Express for libel.

A Child's Folly.

NEW HAVEN, Dec. 6.—Fanny Berkofski ...

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Brings his potatoes into town,
This size on the average
O O O O O O O O
And this size further down
o-o o o o o o o o o o
Mrs. Corbett is said to be taking steps to secure a divorce from her husband's relations with Hattie Adams.

The Bird of Wisdom

An owl sat up in a hickory tree,
And sidin an impudent manner to me
(.....) tee-hee! tee-hee!
I heard him, litely, "You lazy old bird!
He was one of the 'Golden Discovery' heard!"
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"RIZPAH ON THE ROCK"

REV. DR. TALMAGE'S SERMON ON SACKCLOTH AND SEPULCHRES.

Rizpah Sitting in Desolation—A Tragedy That Beats Anything Shakespearian or Victor Hugolan.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Dec. 4.—This is one of those discourses of Dr. Talmage which covered from texts which no one seems to have used before. Important and practical lessons were drawn from a Scottish hymn, in which many thousands joined was:

Come ye disconsolate where'er ye languish.

The subject of the sermon was, "Rizpah on the rock," the text selected being, 2 Samuel, 21:10: "And Rizpah, the daughter of Aiah, took sackcloth, and spread it for her upon the rock, from the beginning of harvest until water dropped upon them out of heaven, and suffered neither the birds of the air to rest on them by day, nor the beasts of the field by night."

Tragedy that beats anything Shakespearian, or Victor Hugolan. After returning from the Holy Land I briefly touched upon it, but I must have a more extended view of that scene. The explosion and flash of gunpowder have driven nearly all the birds and beasts of prey from those regions, and now the shriek of the locomotive whistle, which is dinning into the ears of Syria's enemies, Abigail throws herself between a raiding party of infuriated men and her husband's vineyards. Rizpah fights back the vultures from the rocks.

Among the Orkney islands an eagle swooped and lifted a child to its eyrie, far up on the mountains. The child capture of a panther the mother mounts hill above hill, crag above crag, height above height, the fire of her eyes, the outstanding of her face of the eagle's; and with unmailed hand, stronger than the thorn beak and the terrible claw, she hurled the wild bird down the rocks. In the French Revolution, Gazotte was brought out to be executed, when his daughter threw herself upon the body of her father, and said, 'Strike! barbarians! You cannot reach my father but through my heart!' The sword parted, and taking arms, father and daughter walked out, free. During the siege of Saragossa, Augustina carried refreshments to the gates. Arriving at the battery of Portillo, she found that all the garrisa had been killed. She snatched a match from the hand of a dead artillery-man and fired off a twenty-six pounder, then leapd on it and vowed she would not leave it alive. The soldiers looked in and saw her daring, and rushed in and opened another tremendous fire on the enemy. The life of James I. of Scotland was threatened. Poets have sung these times, and able pens have lingered upon the story of manly enchanance, but how few to tell the story of Catherine Douglas on the Queen's maids, who ran to bolt the door, but found the bar had been taken away as to facilitate the entrance of the assasin. She thrust her arm into the staple The murderers rushing against it, her arm was shattered. Yet how many have uncelived and died who never heard the touching, self-sacrificing, heroic story of Catherine Douglas and her poor shattered arm. You know how calmly Madame Roland went to execution and how cheerfully Joanna of Naples walked to the castle of Muro, and how calmly and quietly Madame Grimaldi listned to her condemnation and how Charlotte Corday smiled upon the frantic mob that pursued her to the guillotine. And thre would be no end to the recital if I attemted to present all the historical incidents which show that woman's courage will rase itself for great emergency.

But I need not go so far. You have known some one who considered the mere butterfly in society. Her hand had known no toil. Her eye had wept no tear over misfortune. She moved among obsequious admirers as careless as an insect in a field of blossoming buckwheat. But in eighteen hundred and sixty-seven financial tempest struck the husband's estate Before he had time to reef sail, and make hings snug, the ship capsized and went down. Enemies cheered at the misfortune and wondered what would become of the butterfly. Good men pitied and said she would die of a broken heart. "She will not work," say they, "and she is too proud to beg." But the prophecies have failed. Disaster has transformed the shining sluggard into a practical worker. Happy as a princess, though compelled to hush her own child to sleep and spread her own table and answer the ringing of her own door-bell. Her arm had been mutated for the conflict against misfortune, hunger and poverty and want, and all the other jackals Rizpah scares from the rock.

I saw one in a desolate home. Her merciless companions had pawned even the children's shoes for rum. From honorable society they had dragged her down to the crust of oil was empty and the last candle gone out. Her faded frock was patched with fragments of antique silks that had worn on the bright marriage day. Confident in God, she had a strong heart, to which her children ran when they trembled at the staggering step and quailed under a father's curse. Though the heavens were filled with fierce wings and the thickets gnashing with rage, Rizpah watched faithfully day after day and year after year, and wolf and cormorant, by her God-strengthened arm, were hurled down the rock.

You pass day by day along streets where there are heroines greater than Joan of Arc. Upon that cellar floor there are conflicts as fierce as Sedan, and heaven and hell mingle in the fight. Lifted in that garret there are tribunals where more fortitude is demanded than was exhibited by Lady Jane Grey or Mary Queen of Scots.

Now I ask if mere natural courage can do so much, what may we not expect of women who have gazed on the Great Sacrifice, and who are urged forward by all the voices of grace that sound from the Bible, and who are cheered by the victory that shines from the sky. Many years ago the Forfarshire steamer started from Hull bound for Edinburgh. After the vessel had been out a little while, the winds began to rave and billows to rise until a tempest was upon them. The vessel leaked and the fires went out, and though the sails were

bointed fore and aft, she was speeding toward the breakers. She struck with her bows foremost on the rock. The vessel parted. Amid the whirlwind and the darkness all were lost but nine. These clung to the wreck on the beach. Sleeping that night in Longstone Lighthouse was a girl of gentle spirit and heroic courage. In the morning dawns, I see that girl standing amid the spray and tumult of contending elements looking through a glass upon the wreck and the nine shipwrecked men. She proposes to her father to take a boat and put out across the wild sea and rescue them. The father says "Impossible! Do you look at the tumbling surf?" But she persisted, and with her father bounds into the boat. Though never accustomed to plying the oar, she takes one and her father the other. Steady now! Pull away! Pull away! The sea tossed up the boat as though it were a bubble, but amid the foam and the wrath of the sea the wreck was reached, the exhausted people picked up and saved. Humane societies rendered their thanks. Wealth poured into the lap of the poor girl. Visitors from all lands came to look on her sweet face; and when soon after she launched forth on a dark sea and Death was the caesman, dukes and duchesses and mighty men sat down in tears in Dewick Cathedral, and they never again might see the face of Grace Darling.

No such deeds of daring will probably be asked of you, but hear you not the howl of that awful storm of trouble and sin that has been tossing ten thousand shivered hulks into the breakers? Know you not that the whole earth is strewn with the shipwrecked? That there are wounds to be healed and broken hearts to be bound and drowning souls to be rescued? Some have gone down and you come too late, but others are clinging to the wreck are shivering on the cold, are struggling in the waves. Rizpah, the Christian Rizpah for her appalling mission amid the screams of wild birds and the stealthy tread of hungry monsters. The grandest scenes of glory, the most rapturous experiences of Christian love, the grandest triumphs of grace have come to the tried and the hard-pressed and the betrayed and the crushed. God stooping from heaven to comfort Rizpah on the rock.

Again, the tragedy of the text displays the course of woman amid great emergencies. What mother or sister or daughter would dare to go out to fight the cormorant and jackal? Rizpah did it. And so would you if an emergency demanded. Woman is naturally timid and shrinks from exposure and depends on stronger sexes for the achievement of great enterprises. And she is often troubled lest there might be occasions demanding fortitude which she might fail. Not so. Some of these who are afraid to look out of door after nightfall, and who quake in the darkness at the least uncertain sound, and who start at the slam of the door, and at the pain in a thunderstorm, if the day of trial came would be heroic and invulnerable. God has arranged in that woman's nature needs the impulse of some great contest of principle or affection to rouse up her slumbering courage. Then she will stand under the cross fire of opposing hosts at Chalons to give wine to the wounded. Then she will carry into prison and dark lane the message of salvation. Then she will brave the pestilence. Deborah goes out to sound terror into the hearts of God's enemies. Abigail throws herself between a raiding party of infuriated men and her husband's vineyards. Rizpah fights back the vultures from the rocks.

Among the Orkney islands an eagle swooped and lifted a child to its eyrie, far up on the mountains. The child capture of a panther the mother mounts hill above hill, crag above crag, height above height, the fire of her eyes, the outstanding of her face of the eagle's; and with unmailed hand, stronger than the thorn beak and the terrible claw, she hurled the wild bird down the rocks. In the French Revolution, Gazotte was brought out to be executed, when his daughter threw herself upon the body of her father, and said, 'Strike! barbarians! You cannot reach my father but through my heart!' The sword parted, and taking arms, father and daughter walked out, free. During the siege of Saragossa, Augustina carried refreshments to the gates. Arriving at the battery of Portillo, she found that all the garrisa had been killed. She snatched a match from the hand of a dead artillery-man and fired off a twenty-six pounder, then leapd on it and vowed she would not leave it alive. The soldiers looked in and saw her daring, and rushed in and opened another tremendous fire on the enemy. The life of James I. of Scotland was threatened. Poets have sung these times, and able pens have lingered upon the story of manly enchanance, but how few to tell the story of Catherine Douglas on the Queen's maids, who ran to bolt the door, but found the bar had been taken away as to facilitate the entrance of the assasin. She thrust her arm into the staple The murderers rushing against it, her arm was shattered. Yet how many have uncelived and died who never heard the touching, self-sacrificing, heroic story of Catherine Douglas and her poor shattered arm. You know how calmly Madame Roland went to execution and how cheerfully Joanna of Naples walked to the castle of Muro, and how calmly and quietly Madame Grimaldi listned to her condemnation and how Charlotte Corday smiled upon the frantic mob that pursued her to the guillotine. And thre would be no end to the recital if I attemted to present all the historical incidents which show that woman's courage will rase itself for great emergency.

But I need not go so far. You have known some one who considered the mere butterfly in society. Her hand had known no toil. Her eye had wept no tear over misfortune. She moved among obsequious admirers as careless as an insect in a field of blossoming buckwheat. But in eighteen hundred and sixty-seven financial tempest struck the husband's estate Before he had time to reef sail, and make hings snug, the ship capsized and went down. Enemies cheered at the misfortune and wondered what would become of the butterfly. Good men pitied and said she would die of a broken heart. "She will not work," say they, "and she is too proud to beg." But the prophecies have failed. Disaster has transformed the shining sluggard into a practical worker. Happy as a princess, though compelled to hush her own child to sleep and spread her own table and answer the ringing of her own door-bell. Her arm had been mutated for the conflict against misfortune, hunger and poverty and want, and all the other jackals Rizpah scares from the rock.

I saw one in a desolate home. Her merciless companions had pawned even the children's shoes for rum. From honorable society they had dragged her down to the crust of oil was empty and the last candle gone out. Her faded frock was patched with fragments of antique silks that had worn on the bright marriage day. Confident in God, she had a strong heart, to which her children ran when they trembled at the staggering step and quailed under a father's curse. Though the heavens were filled with fierce wings and the thickets gnashing with rage, Rizpah watched faithfully day after day and year after year, and wolf and cormorant, by her God-strengthened arm, were hurled down the rock.

You pass day by day along streets where there are heroines greater than Joan of Arc. Upon that cellar floor there are conflicts as fierce as Sedan, and heaven and hell mingle in the fight. Lifted in that garret there are tribunals where more fortitude is demanded than was exhibited by Lady Jane Grey or Mary Queen of Scots.

Now I ask if mere natural courage can do so much, what may we not expect of women who have gazed on the Great Sacrifice, and who are urged forward by all the voices of grace that sound from the Bible, and who are cheered by the victory that shines from the sky. Many years ago the Forfarshire steamer started from Hull bound for Edinburgh. After the vessel had been out a little while, the winds began to rave and billows to rise until a tempest was upon them. The vessel leaked and the fires went out, and though the sails were

bointed fore and aft, she was speeding toward the breakers. She struck with her bows foremost on the rock. The vessel parted. Amid the whirlwind and the darkness all were lost but nine. These clung to the wreck on the beach. Sleeping that night in Longstone Lighthouse was a girl of gentle spirit and heroic courage. In the morning dawns, I see that girl standing amid the spray and tumult of contending elements looking through a glass upon the wreck and the nine shipwrecked men. She proposes to her father to take a boat and put out across the wild sea and rescue them. The father says "Impossible! Do you look at the tumbling surf?" But she persisted, and with her father bounds into the boat. Though never accustomed to plying the oar, she takes one and her father the other. Steady now! Pull away! Pull away! The sea tossed up the boat as though it were a bubble, but amid the foam and the wrath of the sea the wreck was reached, the exhausted people picked up and saved. Humane societies rendered their thanks. Wealth poured into the lap of the poor girl. Visitors from all lands came to look on her sweet face; and when soon after she launched forth on a dark sea and Death was the caesman, dukes and duchesses and mighty men sat down in tears in Dewick Cathedral, and they never again might see the face of Grace Darling.

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MONETARY CONFERENCE

INDIA CURRENCY COMMITTEE MEET AGAIN.

The British Delegates Will Return to England Next Week—They Appear to Treat the Conference Now With Indifference.

BRUSSELS, Dec. 10.—It is expected that Senator Jones will wind up the debate on international bi-metallism on Tuesday with an important declaration. The concluding sitting on Thursday will be devoted to an endeavor to crystallize the results of the conference.

The special committee will meet again tomorrow to further consider the various plans.

Regret has been expressed in the last few days that the Rothschild proposals have not been completely withdrawn, as it is generally felt that they would have formed the basis of a temporary compromise if an understanding with regard to the chief objection of the Americans, the price at which silver should be purchased, could be arrived at.

A scheme on similar lines might yet be adopted. In that event the conference will be adjourned till May, to enable the delegates to submit the scheme to their respective governments.

It is rumored to-day several delegates have received revised instructions inspiring a hope that a modus vivendi may yet be discovered.

Mr. Somvart, the Belgian Prime Minister, has issued an emphatic denial of a statement widely circulated in England and Germany that he had declared in the lobby of the chamber that the conference was practically a failure.

INDIA'S SILVER.

The Baron Hirschell Currency Committee Has Resumed its Meetings.

LONDON, Dec. 10.—Letters from the British delegates to the Brussels conference which have ended, has resumed its sittings and is taking evidence of experts.

Questioned by the India Currency Association as to whether it would take measures to protect the currency in the event of failure of the Brussels Conference, the Indian Government to-day replied, declining to give assurance on the subject. Some further evidence of the Government cannot recommend the Secretary of India to stop the sale of council bills below the rates now current.

Pending decision by the Herschell Committee the India Currency Association thought to-day it would be right to ask the Indian Government to promise not to sell council bills below fixed rate. The Government, however, prefers to retain complete freedom of action.

A German's Interpellation.

BERLIN, Dec. 10.—In the Reichstag yesterday Herr Mirbach, a Conservative, who was supported by many members of his party, introduced an interpellation demanding to know whether the Federal Government approved of the German delegates to the Brussels conference not supporting the almost unanimous efforts of the other delegates to combat the depreciation of silver.

Brutal Brigands.

ATHENS, Dec. 10.—A horrible outrage was recently perpetrated by the brigands in the north of Greece, who are becoming daily more turbulent. The victim was a garde champetre, a village policeman, who had the brigands suspected of reporting their movements to the authorities.

He was stripped and transfixed with a stake which was afterwards slowly roasted to death over a slow fire "like a lamb," as the Greek papers report it. His burnt body was afterwards exposed on the high road, with a paper on his breast to the effect that "Such shall be the fate of all those who betray the movements of the brigands."

Probably No Massacre.

BRUSSELS, Dec. 10.—The Congo Company has sent strong reinforcements from Stanley Pool to Katanaga. The latest news concerning the alleged massacre is dated Aug. 27. Capt. Jacques and his company were then safe and well at Umpala. It is considered therefore that the rumors of the massacre are untrue.

Ignited from Concussion.

PARIS, Dec. 10.—The Temps says that a special experimental commission at Toulon has decided against the use of petroleum as fuel in torpedo vessels. Eight cans of petroleum ignited from concussion after 12 shots had been fired at the protecting armor.

When Shakespere Slings Himself.

I tried to read wat Shakespere writ
And never thought no great of it.
I knew no man in our town
Skurce skilled Shakespere in renown,
But, still, I reckened all the time
He wasn't as smart as of figuire Prime,
Though others stuck him on a pedy,
I allus laid him on the shelf,
Because he had no sport and soul
An' never slung himself.

An' ev'ry time I tried I'd fail
To make out either head or tail,
Or any heart, or sense or soul,
Yr all his wishing, rigmarole.
No matter how he'd squirm an' try
He couldn't come up to ol' Bill Rye.
And so I'd shut the book again
And stick it up there on the shelf
An' say, "It's plain to me, it's plain
That he couldn' sling himself."

An elocutioner come down
One night last fall to our town,
And he recited lots of stuff
That he would read from Shakespeare's plays,
"The Raven" and "The Bells,"
To try to read from sich a gutsy,
I couldn't write as well as him
I'd lay myself upon the shelf.
For Shakespeare hadn't no swing an' vim
An' he can't sling himself."

I heer'd the elocutioner spout,
An' he jest rumpled up my wrine out.
Them words—like cannon balls they hit.
Thus words that I'd never read at all,
An' each word struck a tender part
Of my heart, an' I said, "Sir,
Wy I clum up life's highest stair
An' ev'ry from nature's top peer
An' heered that reader rar and tear
An' Shakespeare sling himself!"

Wy Shakespeare took the heart er man
An' coined it into words, I swan,
An' ev'ry word he coined is still
Worth more'n a twenty-dollar bill.
An' some words he coined, like young steers,
An' some are drippin' wet 'th tears;
For Shakespeare is the greatest man
On mother nature's highest shelf,
An' ev'ry day I wish I'd been
And then he slung himself.

Wy here's a man who waded through
The dripping blades an' the dew
An' who in the highest heaven did dwell,
An' wandered through the lowest hell.
An' he communion utter hot
With God an' devil in the soul,
Who second his soul in ev'ry part,
An' ransacked ev'ry nook an' shelf,
Who looked right in his open heart
An' went an' slung himself.

We's Shakespeare slings himself I see
How big a human soul he is,
I feel like claimin' as my own
The highest seat upon the throne.
Wen Shakespeare slings himself I say
Wat angel could do better, yes!
An' so we know we hev the best,
The wisest from the highest shelf,
The brightest, grandest, purtiest,
When Shakespeare slings himself!

—S. W. Foss, in the Yankee Blade.

Tourney to Define "Happiness."

Wanting nothing and knowing it.
The mental sunshine of content.
A "will-o'-the-wisp" which eludes us even when we grasp it.
Excelsior! The ever-retreating summit on the hill of our ambition.
The prize at the top of a greasy pole which is continually slipping from one's grasp.
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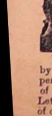

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... the formal notices of the appointment of Hon. Mr. Chapleau to the Lieutenant-Governorship of Quebec, of Hon. Mr. Angers and Mr. Ives as members of the Privy Council and of the different ministers sworn in on Wednesday.

Mr. Nicholas Flood Davin's appointment as Queen's Counsel will be gazetted to-morrow. It is dated Oct. 27.

Judge Burbidge of the Exchequer Court publishes the rules to be followed in any proceedings before that court to impeach any patent issued under the Patent Act.

The Hamilton Provident and Loan Society gives notice that it will apply to Parliament for amendments to its charter, giving it power to increase its capital to three millions, to do business in any of the provinces of the Dominion, and to issue stock in Great Britain.

The Manufacturers' Life and Accident Insurance Company gives notice of application to Parliament for an amendment to its charter so as to allow it to do a general guarantee business.

Contracts for the erection of public buildings at Lunenburg, N.S., and Chatham, N.B., have been let by the Public Works Department to the Oxford Furniture Company and Joseph Treen respectively, their tenders being the lowest. The buildings will cost in the neighborhood of $25,000 each.

Hon. John Carling had a personal farewell to the clerks in the Department of Agriculture to-day, and Hon. Mr. Angers was introduced and took possession of his office. Mr. Carling will continue to reside in Ottawa; and will for the present at least occupy an office in the House of Commons.

The town is full of members of Parliament to-day, Sam Hughes, Bob White, Josiah Wood, Roy McLellan, Dwyer and others being here.

All the departments have received instructions to hurry up their estimates, the consideration of which will be commenced in council next week. It is probable that Parliament will be called for the dispatch of business on Jan. 19, but the exact date is not yet fixed.

A MINER'S SUICIDE.

He Was a Millionaire and Well Known in Toronto.

TORONTO, Dec. 10.—A despatch was received from Boston, Mass., last evening, announcing that R. R. Paulison, a Canadian millionaire, shot himself at the Hotel Thorndike. Enquiry in the city last evening identified the deceased with R. R. Paulison, a mining prospector, largely interested in the Port Arthur district. Mr. Archibald Blue of the Ontario Bureau of Mines stated that for the past three or four years a man named R. R. Paulison had been prospecting in the unsurveyed district east of Port Arthur. He had originally come from Detroit, and some two years ago had secured lands on the Mattawan River, which he afterwards disposed of to Fogler Bros. of Kingston. He had been continuously applying for grants of various lands in the unsurveyed districts.

"He was not a wealthy man," said Mr. Blue, "but it was often said of him that if he could realize on his property he would be a millionaire. He was an indefatigable prospector.

"About three weeks ago I heard of his having gone to Boston to interest capitalists in his mining schemes."

Mr. Aubrey White of the Crown Lands Department gave the same account of Paulison and said that for the last few months he believed that he had been living in Kingston.

The probabilities are that Paulison became discouraged at his failure to make a fortune and ended his life with a pistol bullet.

THE FAIR SEX WIN.

Sir Oliver Mowat Cast the Vote That Make Women Lawyers.

TORONTO, Dec. 10.—The doors of the Law Society of Ontario have been opened to women, and these gentle creatures may now enter on the study of law in accordance with the Act of the last session of the Legislature, which empowers the Benchers to allow women to enter upon the study of and to qualify themselves for the profession of a solicitor. The meeting of convocation was called for 10.30 a.m., but as many of the members were engaged in the courts it was postponed till 12.30. At that hour 24 benchers filed into the board room, one was called to the chair and the other 23 proceeded to discuss the resolution to reconsider the vote of last term, excluding women from the society. When the vote was taken and counted the result was 12 for the admission of women and 11 against.

The matter was referred to a committee to draft a code of rules, and it will again come before convocation when the report of this committee is ready.

It is understood that Attorney-General Mowat was present and cast a vote in favor of the ladies.

WAS IT MURDER?

The Ontario Government Asked to Investigate Mrs. Rowe's Death.

TORONTO, Dec. 10.—The Attorney-General's department has been asked to investigate into the circumstances surrounding the death of Mrs. Rowe, who was burned to death in a fire in C. B. Taylor's grocery store at Trenton last week. The fire was of incendiary origin, and it is believed that the authorities are in possession of important evidence which is likely to lead to the conviction of the guilty parties. Some startling facts are likely to be made public in the near future.

Astonished the 400.

NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—The Herald says: Miss Emma Van Norden, the eldest daughter of Mr. Warner Van Norden, president of the Bank of North America, who is well known in society, has joined the Salvation Army and is a full-fledged uniformed soldier.

Coffee Crop in Mexico.

CITY OF MEXICO, Dec. 10.—Statistics show the coffee crop this year in all the coffee growing districts will amount to $8,000,000. Agricultural exports will be larger than ever during the coming year, thus tiding the country over the trouble occasioned by the decline in silver.

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AN OPEN LETTER.

A CONSERVATIVE ADDRESSES HIS PROVINCIAL LEADER

The National Policy Severely Criticized—Sir John Macdonald's Resolution—The Failure of the Promise Made—Why we Lose Population—A Comparison of the Growth—Our Financial Position—What of the Future?

The following open letter from the pen of a life-long Conservative is one of the ablest contributions that has appeared in the Canadian press for some year. Mr. White was for years editor and proprietor of the Windsor Review, the leading Conservative journal of Essex, and is to-day identified with the Conservative party as against the Liberals; nevertheless he is forced to admit that the condition is not such at to give hope for the future.

To W. R. Meredith, B. A., LL. B., Q. C., Leader of Her Majesty's Loyal Opposition in the Ontario Legislature.

Respected Sir:—During the past few months a number of so-called "open letters" have been addressed by Canadians to gentlemen eminent in Canadian politics. From that Tory Opportunist, Hon. Oliver Mowat, Premier of Ontario, we have had a letter addressed to the late lamented Hon. Alexander Mackenzie, giving expression to strange vagaries and elaborate inconsistencies in defending British colonialism in Canada. Your supporter, Mr. C. J. Whitney, M. P. P. for Dundas county, replied to Mr. Mowat, showing clearly that that hon. gentleman's declarations in favor of British connection were inconsistent with the policy of unrestricted reciprocity, supported by Mr. Mowat in common with the Liberal party of Canada. Mr. John Crerar had addressed Hon. Mr. Mowat in behalf of Free Trade and Direct Taxation; and last, though not the least important, is the recent powerful and patriotic appeal of Mr. Elgin Myers, Q. C., County Crown Attorney of Dufferin, to the Hon. Edward Blake to come to the rescue of his native country, by espousing the great and progressing cause of Political Union with the United States.

It is with a feeling of diffidence, sir, after these able letters have been sent to the press, that I venture to address you on a subject of great importance. Having no wish to appear presumptuous, nor caring to acquire notoriety, yet I am impelled by a stern sense of my duty as a native of Canada, and interested as you are, in its prosperity and progress and the happiness and contentment of its people to address you.

As a politician you have of course given great attention to the condition of the country, and the the cosideration of the question, what can be done to bring to Canada prosperity and increase its population, without which latter there can be no lasting prosperity, no progress, no greatness as a nation or as a part of a nation. To believe that you have not thought over the situation of the country would be to assume that you are neither an intelligent nor a patriotic Canadian; and no person who knows you either personally or by reputation—no one who knows of your unselfish, unrewarded services to your province for many years in the Ontario Legislature, where your advice and counsel have materially assisted in shaping legislation in the best interests of the people and the province, can doubt your intelligence, zeal or patriotism.

You are, like myself, a Conservative from birth, and have acted in harmony with the Conservative party because you, as an honest man, believed that party to be governing the country honestly and by a policy better calculated than any other to advance the interests of its people. But you are asked if it is not a fact, manifest to every one who gives the question serious and conscientious study—that Canada is not making progress at all approaching the glowing anticipations indulged in when the Confederation of the provinces was effected in 1867? As a student of history you will remember the bright picture of future national wealth and greatness that were limned for the gratification of our senses by the able men who assisted in consummating Confederation. One has but to contrast the grandiloquent utterances and the bright predictions of that time with the actual conditions that now confront us, after a quarter of a century has passed into history, to fully appreciate how thorough has been the failure of the great mission we set out so hopefully to accomplish, namely, to build up on the North American continent a nation with semi-European institutions that would, even while its founders were still living, not only rival but eclipse the great and prosperous Republic lying alongside of us on this continent. Any one who has the courage to examine facts and to acknowledge the truth, must admit that, so far from that mission being accomplished, we are farther from success, relatively to the advancement made by the United States in the same time, than we were when the Dominion flag was substituted as the Canadian emblem for the Union Jack of Old England.

THE NATIONAL POLICY CRITICIZED.

From Confederation until the great depression extending over the period from 1873 to 1879, but few opportunities were offered us of studying the condition of the country that our success in nation building might be measured, but the commercial crisis of that period brought to many Canadians, and especially to the Conservative party, a painful realization of the fact that the wave of prosperity we had been expecting had not yet yet rolled over the country as a consequence of the federation of the provinces. With the skill of an expert Parliamentary party tactician, Sir John Macdonald, who had lost power as a consequence of the Pacific Scandal disclosures, took advantage of that crisis to advance the interests of the party he had created by formulating a policy, while in opposition, which, when the general elections came on in 1878, restored him to power with a support so overwhelmingly strong that, until the day of his death, he was able to maintain himself as the Omnipotent Ruler of Canada. Though he had always been a pronounced free trader, the exigencies of party led him to espouse Protection, and for his platform he adopted the following resolution, which he had moved in Parliament, but which had been defeated by the Reform majority in the days of the Mackenzie regime:

A FAMOUS RESOLUTION.

"That this House is of the opinion that the welfare of Canada requires the adoption of a NATIONAL POLICY, which, by a JUDICIOUS RE-ADJUSTMENT OF THE TARIFF will benefit and foster the Agricultural, the Mining, the Manufacturing and other interests of the Dominion; that such a Policy will retain in Canada thousands of our fellow-countrymen, now obliged to expatriate themselves in search of the employment denied them at home, will restore prosperity to our struggling industries, now so sadly depressed, will prevent Canada from being made a SACRIFICE MARKET, will encourage and develope an active interprovincial trade, and moving (as it ought to do) IN THE DIRECTION OF A RECIPROCITY OF TARIFFS WITH OUR NEIGHBORS, so far as the varied interests of Canada may demand, will greatly tend to procure for this country eventually a reciprocity of trade."

The foregoing resolution has formed the basis of the Conservative policy from the ever-memorable 20th of September, 1878, until the present hour. That policy has been on trial nearly fourteen years, a sufficient length of time, we must admit, to enable us to judge, by its results, of its success or failure. The resolution contains several well-defined ... dependent propositions based on the general premise that "the welfare of Canada requires "the adoption of a National Policy, which by a judicious re-adjustment of the tariff" would produce the following results:

1.—"Will foster the (a) agricultural, the (b) mining, the (c) manufacturing and other interests of the Dominion:

2.—"Will retain in Canada thousands of our fellow countrymen, now obliged to expatriate themselves in search of the employment denied them at home:

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5.—"Will encourage and develope an active inter-provincial trade; and

6.—"Moving (as it ought to do) in the direction of a reciprocity of tariffs with our neighbors, so far as the varied interests of Canada may demand, WILL GREATLY TEND TO PROCURE FOR THIS COUNTRY EVENTUALLY A RECIPROCITY OF TRADE."

Such a resolution, sir, as the foregoing, is so plain that it cannot be misunderstood; and it ought to be easy to ascertain whether the policy founded upon those propositions has been as successful as its promoters and its supporters at the polls successively in 1878, 1882, 1887 and 1891 anticipated. Let us examine it point by point in the order above given.

1a—Has it fostered the agricultural, the mining or any other vital interest of the Dominion? Can anyone tell us in what single particular the agricultural interests of the Dominion have been benefitted by the imposition of duties on agricultural produce? Has it enhanced the price of a single product of the Canadian farm? Pork is the only product of which we import more than we export, but the very fact that we do not raise enough pork for home consumption and must buy abroad, renders it more than doubtful if a tariff on such imports is any advantage to the Canadian pork-raiser; but if it be, and if it increase his prices, then the consumer of the pork is the loser, so that even if it do benefit one class it injures other classes which can least afford to be injured, namely, the artizan and the laborer, who are the chief consumers of pork. No other farm product is benefitted to the extent of a single sou by the tariff.

1b.—Have the mining interests of Canada been benefitted and fostered by the National Policy? No more important question to Canada than this can be asked. No Canadian interests are as important as the mining interests would be were they "fostered and developed" by the so-called National Policy or any other policy. To say nothing of the 97,000 sq. miles of coal deposits in Canada, which would be of enormous value to the present generation (and we should not live wholly for posterity) were Canada and the United States commercially and politically united—to say nothing of coal, we in Ontario are more especially concerned about the limitless wealth in minerals of all kinds which lie buried in the eastern part of the old province and in the Algoma district, embracing a stretch of over a thousand miles, largely if not wholly terra incognita when the resolution, now the policy of the Conservative party, was submitted to Parliament by the lately deceased leader of the Conservative party. This immense district, as large as a European kingdom, contains fabulous wealth in gold, silver, copper, iron, nickel, lead, mica, asbestos, phosphates, marble, etc., etc. Excepting gold, these products are excluded from the American market by an almost unsurmountable tariff. Almost all our exports of minerals have thus far gone to the United States, which, being our nearest, is our most natural market for these products. In 1890, in spite of the drawback of the U. S. tariff, and notwithstanding the facility afforded by free trade with England of sending our minerals to the mother country, we exported three and a-quarter millions of mineral products to United States, AND TO GREAT BRITAIN A PALTRY ONE-HALF MILLION. It is unnecessary to state that Canada has not sufficient population to consume the products that might be taken from our mines, were they even moderately worked; hence a foreign market becomes a necessity to their development. The great American cities (unfortunately there are no Canadian border cities) that line the boundary between Canada and the United States are as concenient to the Canadian mines as they are to those of Wisconsin or Michigan, and under Political Union of the two countries that great market furnished by these cities would be open to Ontario on the same terms as to the states named, and all being one common country, capitalists would be as much interested in developing Ontario as the States. In 1881 the iron ore alone shipped from the mines of Wisconsin and Michigan was five million tons, worth at the point of shipment, over sixteen million dollars and twenty-two million dollars at the point of delivery, thus giving the American lake marine interests in that year six million dollars. In 1889 the shipments amounted to over seventeen millions of tons. In the two years the value of iron ore produced in Canada amounted to less than a-quarter of a million dollars. The difference between about fifty millions and less than a-quarter of a million is simply appalling. It is unnecessary to follow this branch of the subject further, but no doubt it is and must have been for some time apparent to a man of your wide information, breadth of thought and keenness of perception, that as respects the mining interests of Canada—and they are not the least important or valuable of our interests—they, at least, have not been "fostered and benefitted" by the National Policy as all Conservatives anticipated and hoped; but, on the contrary, so far as that policy has assisted in perpetuating a spirit of antogonism between the two countries, it has been to Canadian mining interest a positive disadvantage and a loss to the present generation almost beyond the ability of man to compute.

1c.—With regard to the manufacturing interests of the country, it must be admitted that a number of new exotic industries, have sprung up, which probably provide employment for a considerable number of workmen. These may be yielding handsome returns to their owners, especially if, under high protection, they are enable to charge their Canadian customers high prices for their products; but, in considering the question, whether these industries have been a benefit or otherwise to Canada, we must not fail to ask whether such prices as they secure are less or more than the prices asked for similar articles in a foreign market. Consumers outnumber producers, and the greatest good to the greatest possible number is a principle that should be our guide in administering the affairs of a nation, even though the people, being Conservatives and slow to anger, appear disposed to submit to any injustice at the hands of rulers with whom they are in factious sympathy. If the consumers, being the large majority, are paying higher prices than they would pay under free trade, then the prosperity of the minority—the manufacturers—is a disadvantage to the country. You remember that when the campaign of 1878 was in progress, both farmers and townspeople were appealed to to support the proposed National Policy on the ground that the towns, by the reason of increased manufacturing enterprises resulting from the N. P., would increase in population and furnish a home market for nearly all farm produce. Where, Mr. Meredith, is that increased home market? Toronto grew until recently as a result of the N. P., but its growth has been at the expense of the smaller towns throughout the province in which prosperous and extensive manufacturing enterprises were in operation before the inauguration of the National Policy. Those industries, which pro-

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THE DAILY ONTARIO

BELLEVILLE, SATURDAY, DEC. 10th

CHURCH DIRECTORY

TABERNACLE CHURCH—REV. D. O. Crossley, pastor. On Sunday, Dec. 11th. Rev. E. N. Baker, B. D., will preach in the morning. In the evening the pastor will preach. Subject, "Common Honesty," or Render to Ceasar the thing that are Ceasar's, and unto God the things that are God's. All who attend these services will be made very welcome by pastor and people.

BRIDGE ST. METHODIST CHURCH Pastor—Rev. E. N. Baker, M A, B D Sunday, Dec. 11. Morning service 11 o'clock, sermon by the Rev. D. O. Crossley. Evening service 7 p m. Sermon by the pastor. Subject—"Grace abounding." Strangers in the city, students at Albert College, the business colleges and schools and all other visitors welcomed to these services and to Sunday school at 2:30 p.m.

ROYAL TEMPLARS OF TEMPERANCE Belleville Council No. 297, meets every Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in Royal Templars Hall, Front street, Caldwell Block. Gospel temperance meeting Sunday after noon at 4 o'clock. All are cordially invited
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TOLD IN A LINE OR TWO

An open letter to W. R. Meredith will be found on page three. It will be continued from day to day until finished.

The time for the return of the list of convictions to the county crown attorney expires on Dec 13th.

Pain in back is cured by Membray's Kidney and Liver cure. Ask D. M. Waters, chemist and druggist, about it.

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Geo. Robinson's house on Massassaga Park was smashed in by a huge rock thrown into the air by an explosion of dynamite, used in Bell Telephone men.

The 9,000 bushels of damaged grain of the schooner Glenora was sold, yesterday afternoon, for 33½c. The "ring," the composition of which is well known, of course got it. There were buyers present from Belleville, Valleyfield and other places. The Glenora will be docked today.—Whig.

Letters of administration have been granted to Mary Ann Farar, of Bancroft, widow of the late H. H. Farar, "priest in holy orders of the Church of England." Estate $1,664.

The president of the Eastern Ontario Dairymen's Association has changed the date of the annual meeting and convention at Kingston to January 18th and 19th. Prof. Robertson, of the DairyDepartment, Ottawa, goes to England, and cannot get back for the first week in January. As has valuable infotmation for cheesemakers and dairymen in experiments made, besides a lot of information he expects to offer as a result of his trip toEngland, the postponement is deemed advisable.

John McCaw, of the second concession of Thurlow was to day dismissed at the police court on a charge of drunkenness.

We would remind our friends of the Butterfly tea in the lecture room of St. Andrew's church on Monday evening. Besides a substantial tea an excellent musical program will be given, in which many of Belleville's musical favorites will take part.

Labor Omnia Vincit

The Ladies Aid of Bleecker Street Church held their monthly parlor social last evening, at Mrs. (Rev.) Campbell's The house was filled with joyous happy people. Rev. D. O. Crossley and the Glee Club of Albert College rendered a number of very fine songs to thegreatdelight of the company. Miss Allen, Miss Spafford and Mr. Berry gave recitations that charmed the people. The Ladies' Aid became responsible for $150.00 of the debt on the church and they are to be congratulated as they have nearly the first payment of $50.00 secured. Cake and coffee were served at close of the program, and crowd dispersed to their homes, seemingly pleased and profited.

Holiday Trip to Great Britain

The Inman Line have announced a special holiday trip to Great Britain per steamer City of Paris from New York, December 17th. Passengers by this steamer will be landed in Liverpol in time to reach their destination in any part of England, Ireland or Scotland before Christmas day at very low rates. Passengers booked and berthssecured on this and all other lines at S. Burrow's ticket office, Front St., Belleville.

A CASE OF BIGAMY.

AN "ONTARIO" CORRESPONDENT SENDS THE FULL PARTICULARS

A St Ola Man Said to Have Been Married Three Times—He Pleads Guilty but Refuses to Return to his Legitimate Wife

The usually quiet village of St. Ola in Limerick county, is just now stirred with a sensation which is likely to furnish material for gossip for some time to come. The sensation is no more nor less than a case of bigamy which reveals the duplicity of mankind and the confidence and devotion of woman.

The facts of the case as furnished by the ONTARIO'S St. Ola correspondent, are as follows: About two years ago Samuel Crozier, a young looking man of pleasing manner and good appearance, came to St. Ola from Carleton Place, to get out timber for an Ottawa lumber firm. His genial nature soon made him a general favorite, especially in the home of Gilbert D. Solmes, who was the father of two charming daughters. Crozier was at once enamored of Miss Hattie Solmes. His love was reciprocated by the girl of nineteen. Crozier claimed to be a bachelor and was anxious that the marriage be celebrated as speedily and as quietly as possible. Consequently the day was fixed for the early part of August of 1891. The husband who was much the senior of the two proved himself to be a kind and faithful provider and the pair lived in unalloyed happiness until last week a strange lady accompanied by her mother made her appearance in the village and produced evidence to prove that she was Crozier's legitimate wife and to whom she had been married at Carleton place, in 1889. Her maiden name was Neil and since the desertion of her husband she has made a livelihood by sewing. She first learned the whereabouts of her husband by letters sent by Crozier to his sister, signed "Samuel and Hattie Crozier." She procured a copy of her marriage certificate, the original having been destroyed by Crozier before he left, and proceeded to St. Ola for the purpose of having him placed under arrest for bigamy. The local magistrate, P. P. Clarke, was attending the county council in Belleville and before his return a settlement had been arrived at between the parties. Wife No. 1 confronted him with his guilt, but Crozier absolutely denied that he was ever married to her. She produced their marriage certificate and other evidence to prove the contract, when Crozier finally admitted that he was her husband. He refused, however, to return to his first wife and said he would die before he would give up wife No. 2. The latter was strong in her devotion to her husband and it was finally agreed in consideration of the sum of $50 that wife No. 1 renounce all claim to her husband. This settlement seems to have met with the approval of all parties until a certain minister laid the facts before the government with the result that High County Constable Johnston was sent to St. Ola to arrest Crozier. He was not to be found, however, having left for parts unknown. It appears that the bigamist was a widower when he married Miss Neil.

Mr. Johnston thinks he can locate his man.

SIR JOHN THOMPSON DENOUNCED

Grand Organizer Newman Says Rome is Making America Its Haven

In Apollo Hall Queen St. West, Toronto, last night, Jubilee True Blue Lodge elected these officers: Bro. Abraham Creighton, W. M.; Bro. W. McDonald, D. M.; Bro. Albert Weal, chaplain; Bro C. L. Rosevear, treasurer; Bro. Geo. Howell, R. S.; Bro. Geo. Worrell, F. S.; Bro. John Lock. D. of C.; Bro. Dr. H. P. Wilkins, physician. Auditors.—Bros. John Taylor, Geo. H. Chapman, J. Lock. Standing Committee.—Bros W. H. McKenny, Thos. Vincent, Chas. Soady, J. A. McCroskrie, J. A. Orum.

Robert Newman, the Grand Organizer, well known in Belleville, was present. He said that Rome was fast making America its haven and denounced Sir John Thompson. Grand Master Fitzgerald endorsed Mr. Newman's utterances. There were several former Belleville boys present.

The Cause of Rheumatism

An acid which exists in sour milk and cider, called lactic acid, is believed by physicians to be the cause of rheumatism. Accumulating in the blood, it attacks the fibrous tissues in the joints, and causes agonizing pains. What is needed is a remedy to neutralize the acid, and to so invigorate the kidneys and liver that all waste will be carried off. Hood's Sarsaparilla is heartily recommended by many whom it has cured of rheumatism. It possesses just the desired qualities, and so thoroughly purifies the blood as to prevent occurrence of rheumatic attacks. We suggest a trial of Hood's Sarsaparilla by all who suffer from rheumatism.

A LITERARY TREAT.

The Young People of the Baptist Church Give a Successful Entertainment.

The Y. P. Literary Society of the Baptist church gave a very successful entertainment last evening. The Sunday school room was beautifully decorated with bunting etc. The feature of the program was the literary part which was all from Canadian authors, it being the aim of the Society to increase the taste for Canadian literature. The pastor, Rev. Mr. Marshall, occupied the chair. The following members of the society took part in the program, which consisted of songs, solos, readings and recitations, Miss M. Holton, Miss J. Scott, Miss J. Gerow, Miss G. Tracy, Miss Record, Mr. L. Luscomb and H. Wannacott. After singing the National anthem the benediction was pronounced by the pastor, and the party dispersed, well pleased with the evening's proceedings.

Lives of others oft remind us
Married life may be sublime

We trust to to be forgiven this parody of lines from Longfellow's immortal "Psalm of Life." Husbands who are wise and and thoughtful, know that the happiness of the home depends largely on the health of the mistress of the home. Many are the tasks which daily confront her. How can a woman contend against the trials and worries of housekeeping, if she be suffering from those distressing irregularities, ailments and weaknesses peculiar to her sex? Dr. Pierce's favorite prescription is a specific for these disorders. The only remedy, sold by all druggists, under a positive guarantee from the manufacturers. Satisfaction guaranteed in every case, or money refunded. See printed guarantee on bottle wrapper.

Monthly Prizes for Boys and Girls.

The "Sunlight" Soap, Co. Toronto, offer the following prizes every month till further notice, to boys and girls under 16, residing in the Province of Ontario, who send the greatest number of "Sunlight" wrapper 1st, $10; 2nd $6; 3rd, $3; 4th, $1; 5th to 14th 1 Handsome Book; and a pretty picture to those who send not less than 12 wrappers. Send wrappers to "Sunlight" Soap Office, 43 Scott St., Toronto not later than 29th of each month, and marked "Competition"; and give full name address, age, and number of wrappers. Winners names will be published in The Toronto Mail first Saturday of each month.

RAMBLES IN ROME

MRS ELLA GARDINER CONTINUES AN INTERESTING LETTER

Florence the Beautiful—The Writer is Lost in Admiration and Does not Find Words to Express her Wonder

We went back to the place to find the man, but it was too late, the place was all closed up. I wasn't at heart very sorry, for the scolding would have all fallen to my share, as of course the man understood no English. Sunday we went to church morning and evening and I wrote to Lucy as you know in the afternoon. We try to keep Canadian Sundays and I really think and know we are all the better for our day of complete rest. Monday morning our first visit was to the church of Ara Coeli where we saw the Santo Bambino that Widdons used to tell so much about in his lectures. Do you remember? It is in different parts of the church. There is an image of Christ as a baby just loaded with jewels of every kind. They consider it a great treasure and even carry it to the beds of the sick and dying where they pretend it works great miracles. It is kept in a small chapel just near the high altar of the church. A friar pushed back two slides and disclosed images of Joseph and Mary, on each side of a golden box. Then he pulled out this golden box, unlocked it and disclosed the image. At once he fell on his knees and began reciting prayers very rapidly. Two Catholic women, who were with us in the chapel, also fell on their knees and repeated prayers. Suddenly he rose, motioned to them to approach and they devoutly kissed the toe of the Bambino. Afterwards he motioned to us to do the same, so we did step nearer and take a good look at the jewels, rubies, amethysts, emeralds &c. He then rubbed some pictures of the child across the image and presented them to the Catholics. Miss L. handed him some money and I asked for some pictures too, so he gave us each one. From there we went to St. Paul's outside the gates, the second largest church in Rome. Here they have the body of St. Paul, under the high altar which is very magnificent, supported by pillars of alabaster and lapis lazuli. There are two other lapis lazuli altars one at each side of the church and several alabaster pillars in different parts of the church. There are eighty pillars of Simplon granite separating the aisles of the nave and the floors are wonderful of polished marbles. There are Masonic pictures all about the church of the 262 popes, and one of them has diamond eyes. In the afternoon we went to the Palatine Hill and walked all among the ruins, listening at the same time to a lecture by Signor Spadoni a very noted Italian archæologist and historian, who speaks good English. We enjoyed the lecture exceedingly. He pointed out the old Roman wall built by Romulus, then showed us how to distinguish the architecture of the various periods of Rome, pointed out the temple of the Vesta, the alter to the unknown God who always presided over the walls of a Grecian or Roman city, the Auguraium where Romulus took his omens, the circus Maximus, the palace of Agustas, Tiberius, Claudius, and Caligula, the spot where Caligula was murdered, etc. Just now there is not much temtation to write letters for it is so cold in our rooms. The weather is delightful during the days and outside, but with marble or stone floors and no fires, the rooms are too cold to sit in with comfort. I have on my jacket and my shawl around me and still I'm just passably comfortable. I have a cold in my head and was afraid yesterday I would not be able to write to-day, my eyes bothered me so, but I doctored them up and rested them and now they feel much better. Tuesday we came to Florence and I wish I hadn't exhausted my list of adjectives that I might have my very best ones, expressive of the highest admiration for this lovely city. It is beautiful for situation and it is beautiful in itself beyond all description. It is just the size of Toronto and we are in a most convenient part of the city, where we can find all the leading attractions without any difficulty. Wednesday morning we visited the cathedral which is of white and dark green marble, very beautiful, with a very high bell tower just outside, also of the same colored marbles, and a baptistery also separate and of the same marbles. I have described so many characters that I won't bother you with this one but tell you at once of the drive we had in the afternoon. For three hours we drove about the city and the surroundings and all declared ourselves in love with Florence. You know it lies among the Apennines mountains on all sides and then the Arno running through it. After one passes through the gates of the city there is a gradual rise to a height called Razzalo del Michael Angelo and from here there is a most charming view of the whole city, the Arno, the mountains, Fresole, Vallombrosa, indeed the whole of Tuscany. This piazzale is laid out in beautiful walks and gardens and even now there are hundreds of roses and other flowers in bloom. We drove even higher than this, and had, if possible, a finer view and then ended our course by a very delightful drive through gardens along the Arno. It is perfectly surprising how many notable Italians have been Florentines. As we go through the streets we are constantly finding marble blocks on the houses telling us such and such a person used to live in that house. Mr. and Mrs L. have laughed greatly at the excited manner in which I stopped the driver and jumped from the cab to see Miss Browning's old home. My eyes just caught sight of the inscription as we were nearly past the house. We have visited the houses of Michael Angelo, Dante, and Galileo and seen the cells of Savanarola and the palace where he was burned. We have also visited the Boboli Garden, styled by the guide Book the most beautiful gardens in Europe. Beside this we have visited the Uffizi Gallery and seen the real orignal Venus de Medici and many of the very choice pieces of sculpture and paintigs the wood possesses. My space is exhausted, however, and my programme unfinished. With very much love I am yours affectionately.

ELLA GARDINER

Put Me in My Little Bed

I am dizzy, dizzy, dizzy;
And I want to go to bed,
I've no appetite to eat
And headache racks my head.

In other words I am suffering from bilious attack, but Dr. Pierces's Pleasant Pellets will bring me around all right by to-morrow. They often cure headache in an hour. I have found them the best cathartic pill in existence. They produce no nausea or griping, but do their work thoroughly. They are convenient to carry in the vest pocket, and pleasant to take. In vials: 25 cents.

For hanging and stand lamps try Geen's Drug Store.

How Mr. W. D. Wentz of Geneva, N.Y was cured of the severest form of dyspepsia He says everything he ate seemed like pouring melted lead into his stomache Hood's Sarsaparilla effected a perfect cure. Full particulars will be sent if you write C I Hood & Co., Lowell Mass.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria

MILITARY MEN BANQUET.

A MAGNIFICENT SPREAD LAID AT THE QUEEN'S HOTEL.

"E" Company of the XV Battalion Have a Night of it—A Large Number of Guests Present

"E" company of the Fifteenth Battalion gave a very successful banquet last night at the Queen's. A large number were present including Col. Lazier, Major Biggar and Capts. Ponton, Halliwell, Wills, Clapp and Sergt. Major McRae. Capt. Robertson occupied the chair and Sergt. Sills did the honors of vice chair. Mine hosts Powers did themselves credit in the magnificent spread laid before the company. After the health of the Queen and the Prince, Princess of Wales and Royal Family had been drunk, the Army, navy and volunteers was responded to by Capt. J. E. Halliwell. The following toasts and songs finished the balance of the evening's pleasure.

"Our Dominion," Capt. J. F. Wills and J. C. Falconer.
"Our Guests," Asst. Sgn. Dr. Cook and Lieut. Clapp.
"Our Commanding Officer," staff and officers, Lt.-Col. Lazier, Major and Paymaster Biggar and Capt. Ponton.
"Our non-commissioned officers" Sert.-major McRae.
"Our regiment," Sergt. F. W. Bourn and Sergt. Jas. Worrell.
"The Press," P. Harrison.
Songs—F. Lewis, Sgt. Cunnington.
Recitation—Jas. Worrell, Lieut. Clapp, Capt. Ponton.

FATAL! THAT IS A TRAGIC WORD!

There is a good deal of rain in Canada. The property of rain is too wet. It is vexatious. It is dangerous. Sometimes it is fatal.

In the city there is the friendly door or archway. In the country there are only the sky and the fields. The rain has too much room. That is the trouble.

What a perverse thing life is.

You have had your eye on that adjoining farm. The other fellow steps in and buys it.

You have had your heart set on that pretty Miss Sweetbrier in the village. The other fellow gets the first prompt word in, and you are lost.

There is a concert in the Town Hall. You promised to take Miss Mossrose. The rain falls in torrents,

AND YOU HAVE NOT GOT A MELISSA.

"Ah," says Miss Mossrose sweetly to your rival, "we have both got our Melissas, and so can defy both wind and rain."

And here is a profound moral—the man who misses opportunity is forever lost.

We must have the heart and hand to dare at the right moment,

AND MELISSA FOR THE COLD AND RAIN.

And that is about the whole of life.

A handsome Tweed overcoat with plenty of warmth. A pretty rain-proof garment, which can defy all the waters of Niagara, and yet as porous as ordinary cloth. That is Melissa.

Melissa, after the misery of a rubber coat is a joy. The note it strikes is comfort. Solid, unmitigated, abiding comfort.

Be sure you get the real "Melissa." All genuine porous rain-proof cloths are stamped in wax with the Melissa trade-mark seal, and Melissa garments have the trade-mark label attached. None other genuine.

THE MELISSA MANUFACTURING CO

MONTREAL.

J. W. MACKEDIE & CO.
Wholesale Agents for the Dominion.

North Galveston's Growth.

North Galveston is the name of a new industrial point situated 14 miles North of Galveston proper. It is being developed by the North Galveston Association, whose local agent is John Forin, Belleville. It has railroad and water facilities and advantages of climate and location which insure big returns, either to the investor or the settler. Call upon Mr. Forin to-day.

Gratifying to All

The high position attained and the universal acceptance and approval of the pleasant liquid fruit remedy Syrup of Figs as the most excellent laxative known, illustrate the value of the qualities on which its success is based and are abundantly gratifying to the California Fig Syrup Company.

COUNTY COURT

There Will Only be six Cases on the Civil Docket

Following is a list of the civil cases to be tried at the county court here on Tuesday next by Judge Lazier with a jury:—McFadden vs Gamble, E. G. Porter for plff. L. H. Dickson for deft; Donnelly vs Robertson, Lazier Bros. & Wright for plff. Clute & Williams for deft; Faxton vs Power, E. G. Porter for plff. Clute & Williams for deft; Rouse vs McRae Bros. E G Porter for plff. D V McTavish for deft; Barragar vs Sills, Porter for plff. Clute & Williams for deft; Clemison vs Downs, C R Irvine for plff, E G Porter for deft.

BABY ONE SOLID SORE

Tried Everything without Relief. No Rest Night or Day. Cured by Cuticura Remedies.

My baby, when two months old, had a breaking out with what the doctor called eczema. Her head, arms, feet, and hands were each one solid sore. I tried everything, but neither the doctors nor anything else did her any good. We could get no rest day or night with her. In my extremity I tried the CUTICURA REMEDIES, but I confess I had no faith in them, for I had never seen them tried. To my great surprise, in one week's time after beginning to use the CUTICURA REMEDIES, the sores were well, but I continued to use the RESOLVENT for a little while, and now she is as fat a baby as you would like to see, and as sound as a dollar. I believe my baby would have died if I had not tried CUTICURA REMEDIES. I write this that every mother with a baby like mine can feel confident that there is a medicine that will cure the worst eczema, and that medicine is the CUTICURA REMEDIES.

MRS. BETTIE BIRKNER, Lockhart, Texas.

Cuticura Remedies

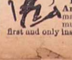
Cure every humor of the skin and scalp of infancy and childhood, whether torturing, disfiguring, itching, burning, scaly, crusted, pimply, or blotchy, with loss of hair, and every impurity of the blood, whether simple, scrofulous, or hereditary, when the best physicians and all other remedies fail. Parents, save your children years of mental and physical suffering. Begin now. Cures made in childhood are permanent.

CUTICURA REMEDIES are the greatest skin cures, blood purifiers, and humor remedies of modern times, are absolutely pure, and may be used on the youngest infant with the most gratifying success.

Sold everywhere. Price, CUTICURA, 75c.; SOAP, 35c.; RESOLVENT, $1.50 Prepared by the POTTER DRUG AND CHEMICAL CORPORATION, Boston.

Send for "How to Cure Skin Diseases," 64 pages, 50 illustrations, and 100 testimonials.

PIMPLES, black-heads, chapped and oily skin cured by CUTICURA MEDICATED SOAP.



FREE FROM RHEUMATISM
In one minute the Cuticura Anti-Pain Plaster relieves rheumatic, sciatic, hip, kidney, chest, and muscular pains and weaknesses. The first and only instantaneous pain-killing plaster.

COMMITTED SUICIDE

Geo Haggerty a Well Known Resident Cuts his Throat With a Razor

MADOC, Oct. 10—(special)—George Haggerty a well-to-do farmer residing about two miles from Madoc village, committed suicide this morning by cutting his throat. Despondency is supposed cause. He was married and was about 45 years of age.

ALBURY SURPRISE PARTIES

Two Well Known Citizens Take up Their Residence in the States

A very pleasant social event took place at the residence of Mrs. Fones on the evening of Tuesday Nov. 15th., when the many friends of Miss Leo. Fones assembled for the purpose of saying farewell, previous to her departure for Cheboygan, Mich., where she contemplates finishing her musical education. There were about sixty persons present and one of the most pleasing features of the evening, was the fact that it was a genuine "Surprise party."

We regret to announce that another one of our young friends has left our neighborhood to try his fortune in more congenial spheres. We refer to Wm. Peck, jr., who has taken his departure for Southern Florida, to engage in the culture of the orange grove. Will. was very popular with the boys, and will be greatly missed, particularly in our foot-ball club, in which game he was always foremost and one of the best men on the field. He is a resolute lad possessed of plenty of pluck, and we bespeak a successful future for him. At all events he has the best wishes of a host of friends here as was proven by the number who attended the inevitable "Surprise party" sprung on him, on the eve of his departure.

As far as Montreal

The Oak Hall Clothing House received an order this morning from Montreal for three overcoats and one reefer. They were ordered through a commercial traveller who came with sizes and all measures complete. These coats are for young men employed in the great wholesale woolen house of M. Fisher & Co. Their orders called for Sanford's coats only. As can be seen the Oak Hall's reputation for good goods at low prices extends as far as Montreal.

No Return.

After a lapse of seven years the following letter explains itself: Toronto, Ont., April 17, 1887. "I would state that your remedy. St. Jacob's Oil, had the desired effect of curing me effectually of rhematism, with which I suffered in 1880. I have never had any return of the pain which I endured for months previous. It affords me great pleasure to say I have recommended it to a number of friends. Too much praise cannot be devoted to its healing qualities." J. ABRAHAM, Passenger Agent, 51 York St. Hundreds certify that once cured, the cure is permanent.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Geo. Livingstone, one of the members of the Harry Lindley company now playing in Kingston, yesterday received a telegram informing him of the death of his mother. He immediately left for the metropolis.

A Social Tea

The King's Daughters, of St. Thomas' church purpose holding a social tea and sale of fancy articles, on Thursday, Dec 15th from 5 to 10.30 p. m., in the church hall. Refreshments on the European plan. Admission ten cents.

Dep. Sheriff Wheeler
Does Not Care to Live
If He Cannot Have
HOOD'S
Sarsaparilla

It would be difficult to find a man better known in the vicinity of Burlington, Vt., than Mr. R. D. Wheeler of Winooski Falls, the efficient Deputy Sheriff of Burlington county. He says:
"C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.:
"Dear Sirs: If Hood's Sarsaparilla cost

$10.00 a Bottle

I should still keep using it, as I have for the past ten years. With me the question as to whether life is worth living depends upon whether I can get Hood's Sarsaparilla. I don't think I *could* live without it now, certainly I should not wish to, and suffer as I used to. For over ten years I suffered the horrors of the damned with

Sciatic Rheumatism

for if ever a man suffers with anything in this world it is with that awful disease. It seems to me as if all other physical suffering were compressed into that one. I took about everything man ever tried for it but never got a dollar's worth of help until I began taking

Hood's Sarsaparilla

I have taken it now pretty regularly for ten years and have no more pain and can get around all right. I have advised a good many to try Hood's Sarsaparilla." R. D. WHEELER, Deputy Sheriff, Winooski Falls, Vt.

Hood's Pills Cure **Liver Ills**

What She Said

Mrs. R. Peck, 15th street, New York City, visited Canada year, and had the good fortune to pick up something which not only suited her, but her neighbors also. Writing the manufacture of Nerviline she says:—"I bought three bottles of Nerviline while in Canada and treated my neighbors to some of it, and all think it the best medicine for internal or external pain they have ever used." Nerviline deserves such commendation, for it is a most powerful, penetrating, and certain remedy for pain of all kinds. Take no substitute.

How to save money is a problem that interests everybody. One way to do it is to invigorate the system with Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Being a highly concentrated blood medicine, it is the most powerful and economical. It is sold for a dollar a bottle, but worth five.

When Shakespere Slings Himself.

I tried to read w'at Shakespeare writ
And never thought no great of it.
I knew no man in our town
Skurce skilled Shakespeare in renown,
But, still, I reckoned all the time
He warn't ez smart ez ol' Squire Prime,
Though others stuck him on a pole,
I allus laid him on the shelf,
Because he had no spurt and soul
An' never slung himself.

An' ev'ry time I tried I'd fail
To make out either head or tail,
Or any heart, or sense or soul,
To all his wabbling rigmarole.
No matter how he'd squirm an' try
He couldn't come up to ol' Bill Nye.
And so I'd shet the book again
And stick it up there on the shelf
An' say, "It's plain to me, it's plain

XMAS PRESENTS

Ought to interest you. Can't we help you to select one? Our preparations are such that we can most certainly interest you. We have all the novelties that experience and money can select for the holiday season. We are showing a toute ensemble of all the very latest novelties. In Ties, Initial Handkerchiefs, Braces, Umbrellas, Coat Scarfs, Wool and Silk Cuffs, Shirts, Collars and Cuffs, Linen Handkerchies, Hem-stitch Handkerchiefs and all goods warranted first-class and at the lowest prices. Come and see us.

A. E. FISH & CO.

FAIRYLAND

At last we are ready with Fairyland.

You remember our Fairyland of last year—the sensation of the Christmas season in Belleville.

Happy buyers of Christmas presents thronged our place from morning till night and the hum of busy holiday life was good to hear.

Why! You knew why then, but perhaps you've forgotten by this time, and pardon us if we remind you of the secret of our Christmas boom.

Listen!——every article bought for our holiday trade is USEFUL, not only beautiful but USEFUL.

Dull times make people careful in their Christmas buying. Money is spent now-a-days with a view to utility, and our goods are for practical use—not merely for ornament—and that's our secret. DID YOU THINK OF THIS?

Persian Silver Goods our hobby this year.

C. B. SCANTLEBURY,

SPANISH NERVINE
THE GREAT SPANISH REMEDY, Easily, quickly and permanently restores Weakness, Nervousness and Lost Manhood. A GUARANTEED specific for Fits and Neuralgia Hysteria, Dizziness, Convulsions, Nervous Prostration caused by the use of Tobacco or Alcohol, Loss of Power in either Sex, Involuntary Losses, caused by overindulgence. We guarantee six boxes to cure any case or refund the money. $1 a box, 6 boxes for $5. Address U. S. Agents SPANISH MEDICINE Co., DETROIT, MICH. Sold by all reliable Druggists. S. A. BROWN & CO., Agents for Canada, Windsor. Ont.

HERE GOES!

We have decided to slaughter lamps from to-day until New Year's Eve. These

LAMPS

Must go if we have to give them away which we can do as well as the rest can.

Here's a chance now for a lamp They'll go sure and you may as well get yours while they last. We also intend as usual to lead in China and Silver, a fact you are already aware of.

W. J. REID & CO,

Crystal Hall - - - Rous' Old Stand

Smashed Into Smithereens

And bursted are the Bubbles Thrown out to Gull the Public.

GOUGH, the Terror to High Priced Clothiers on the Trail

Of tottering houses that require money. We captured a wholesale stock of clothing at 55c on the dollar, and now the prices of six weeks ago are all split to splinters.

MEASURES FOR THE MEN.

READ our Champion Offer and don't try to Duplicate it for it can't be done.

We offer a Man's Overcoat for $3.90 that cost $4.78 wholesale. We offer splendid fitting Suits and in 150 different patterns at $6.00 usually worth $8.75 wholesale. This suit if sold in the regular way would bring $11.00 and $12. Our great big Xmas box for the buyer consists of 900 overcoats, ranging in price $17, $16 and $14. Your choice for $10. The cloth alone is worth more than we ask for the whole overcoat complete.

Look them all through, and then come to us and if we fail to convince the most sceptical that our stock is not at least 5 times larger, and our prices are 50 per cent. lower than those of other dealers, we will give a whole outfit free.

BOUNCING BARGAINS FOR THE BOY

Childs Suits for $1.50 all wool
" Overcoats with capeau $3.75 worth $6.
Youths suits $3.75 all wool worth $7.
" $5.00 " " worth $9.
" Overcoats from $3 up.

Don't buy until you see our stock. Polite attention whether you buy or not,

SLEDS FREE!

Remember boys, with every suit or overcoat you buy from us, no matter what the price, we give you a beautiful sled free. We can be imitated but never approached. Again we say look them all through and then come to us and be convinced.

GOUGH THE BIG CLOTHIER

354 Front Street, Belleville.

Associated Stores: Toronto, Brantford, Peterboro, Orillia, Lindsay and Kingston

N. B.—We have just placed in stock of our own special make 150 suits, for men and young men's wear, in twelve different patterns. These goods are a square cut sack, are all tailor made with raised seams and would cost you from $18.00 to $26 if you left your measure for them. Our price is $10 and $12

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Brand of PASTRY FLOUR is unexcelled at the Price.
ASK YOUR GROCER FOR IT.
THE RATHBUN CO'Y

The Daily Ontario.

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—OUR OWN MANUFACTURE—
Equal to the very best imported,
THE RATHBUN CO'Y

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Importer of Dry Goods,
OPPOSITE HOTEL STREET.

See our all-wool Blanket at	$2.25
See our Tie downs at	75
See our Grey lannel at	15
See our Navy Blue Flannel at	35
See our Linen Towels at	15c per pr.
See our Table Linen at	25
See our Table Napkins at	75c per doz.

Now for a bargain !
IN STOVES
Big Cheap Sale of Stoves at
FOSTERS
We must dispose of our Immense Stock of Stoves, and for the next 30 days will offer low bargains.
The John Bull Range,
Regal Peninsular and
Art Countess Base Burners
Are having a large sale. Call and examine our stock and prices.
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CRANBERRIES
A FINE LOT JUST RECEIVED, Also Florida Oranges, Jamaica Oranges, Lemons, Bananas, etc.
Our oysters are received daily and cannot excelled in the city.
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Fresh Confectionery every day.

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New Raisins
" Currants, Peels,
Layer Figs,
Natural Figs, Dates,
Cranberries, Oranges
Lemons, Malaga Grapes
YOUNG
THE GROCER.

THIS MATTER CHANGED DAILY
Monday Dec. 12th.
ALL HAPPY.
What a good thing it is that once a year we all are induced to do what little we can to make some one else happy. Even the most penurious spend a little, and all experience the joy felt in giving. And yet we may overdo it by spending more than our income warrants, but if you will look through our xmas goods this may be avoided. A dress, a bonnet, gloves, handkerchiefs, etc., are useful gifts and for these money is not wasted. But we have nice fancy goods as well, the prices of which are within reach of ll.
W. FLINT JONES
Corner Front and Br e streets

FURS
—FOR—
XMAS - TRADE
—AT—
BRASIER'S
We are showing for the Holiday Trade our usual fine stock of Furs in Ladies'
CAPES, COLLARS, MUFFS, CAPS, } In all the leading styles and in every kind of Fur.
Gent's Fine Collars and Cuffs, Caps, Gauntlets and Coat Linings.
Ladies' Fine Jackets made to order in Seal, Persian and Grey Lamb in the latest style.
Our stock of Robes and Coats is very large and pric ery low.
Musk Ox Robes Extra Fine Quality.
Gent's Gloves and Mitts—a large assortment
For a nice Christmas Present call and see my stock.
J. Brasier,
The Leading Hatter and Furrier.
Front Street Belleville.

ONLY 2 MONTHS
LEFT FOR OUR
CHEAP STOVE SALE
5 Ranges by the best makers, at cost.
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SUSPICION OF ATTEMPT AT SLOW POISONING.

Led to Buy a Chicken Farm in Virginia, Kept Drunk and Defrauded Out of $12,000—Brought Out By an Alleged Firm of Montreal Swindlers.

RICHMOND, Va., Dec. 12.—Last week John F. Swineburne, a young Englishman, left Richmond for New York, and after spending a day or two there with distant relatives sailed for his old home. During his stay in America he got rid of $12,000, which his mother sent him while in this country.

C. B. Richardson, a druggist of Chester, Va., accompanied the young man to New York, and at his suggestion Swineburne, while in that city, made a sworn statement in the presence of the druggist and three members of the New York Young Men's Christian Association as to his experiences while in America.

He said he first went to Montreal in response to an advertisement in English newspapers of a firm there, offering to teach young Englishmen the American mode of farming. They sent him to Covington, Va., where he was met by a man who said he was from Richmond. This stranger told him there was money to be made in poultry raising, and suggested that he stock a farm at Centralia, near Richmond, with chickens. He went with his newly-found instructor to that place and about 100 fowls were bought to start with.

What happened afterward, Swineburne said, was a mystery to him, as he was kept drunk all the time. He remembered that there were three men on the farm, and they made him write to his mother several times for money. But he never saw the money when it came. Finally the whisky given him tasted bitter. He was made to drink it and grew weaker and weaker, until Mr. Richardson took him away from Centralia and brought him to Richmond for treatment.

It was weeks before the effects of constant intoxication wore off, and his mind became clear, and then he decided to return to his mother.

Mr. Richardson gave the correspondent the facts so far as known to him.

While in New York Swineburne gave Richardson a power of attorney, and the druggist says he will probe the matter to the bottom. He said the facts in his possession showed that Swineburne's mother sent him $12,000 while he was at Centralia, and that the young man saw none of it. Richardson also said that he had evidence to show that efforts were made to dispose of the young man by slow poison.

After being put under the treatment of a Richmond physician it was two months before Swineburne's stomach would retain any food. The men who were with the Englishman at Centralia have left there and Richardson says they are in this city, but he has not at present evidence to convict them if they were arrested.

BANK CLERK ARRESTED.

Charged With Stealing $8700 from the Standard Bank.

TORONTO, Dec. 12.—Angus Pennefather, until recently ledgerkeeper in the Chatham branch of the Standard Bank, was arrested in that town last night on a charge of having stolen $8700 of the funds of the bank.

About three months since Teller Brown of the Chatham branch, son of Mr. James Brown of 74 Melbourne-avenue, Toronto, and a former mathematical master of Upper Canada College, discovered on entering the bank that his cash box was missing from the vault. It was subsequently found in the bank office, minus its contents.

Teller Brown's story was that he had placed the money in the cash box at the conclusion of the day's business, that he had not locked the box owing to the fact that the contents were so bulky that he could not close the lid. He could not remember, however, whether he had locked the cash box in the vault or not.

Ledger-Keeper Pennefather, who was in receipt of the princely salary of $400 per year, was charged with being the perpetrator of the robbery, the detectives claiming that Pennefather observed Teller Brown carelessly place his cash box on the counter behind him at the close of banking hours, that he took advantage of the temporary absence of the teller from his "den" to enter his department and place the box under the ledge, trusting to luck that he would think no more about it, and that he then left the bank. That two hours later he entered the bank on the represent tion that he had no cash and wished to fill out a blank check, but actually for the reason that he wished to see if his scheme had worked; that a visit revealed the cash box in the place he left it, Brown having apparently forgotten all about it; that a couple of hours later he visited the bank, carried off the money and still has it in his possession.

Pennefather was dismissed by the bank authorities, not because they charged him with the robbery, but because he married without the consent of the officials.

Pennefather denied his guilt, and the authorities took no steps to arrest him. Mr. James Brown, the father of the teller, paid the bank $4000 in cash, and the Security Company made good the balance of the loss. Teller Brown was transferred to Parkdale, Accountant Gordon was also transferred to Toronto, and other changes were made in the bank.

A few days ago General Manager Brodie of the Standard Bank in this city received an anonymous letter concerning the robbery, and as the result of this the long-delayed apprehension of Pennefather was decided upon. He will have a hearing before the Magistrate at Chatham to-day.

Pennefather is well known in this city. He was for some time a member of the Northwest Mounted Police and was subsequently with the Federal Bank. For two years he had been with the Standard.

THE MINER'S SUICIDE.

His Widow an Expert Horsewoman and Fine Shot.

TORONTO, Dec. 12.—Richard R. Paulison, the mining prospector, who committed suicide by shooting himself in a bathroom of the Hotel Thorndike at Boston, had gone to Boston to form a company to work some iron mines at Port Arthur, but met with poor success.

"Paulison was well known at Port Arthur," said a resident of that town last evening, "as he had been locating claims in the vicinity for years. His wife visited the Port every summer. She is a woman of extraordinary personal charms, an expert horsewoman and a fine shot with rifle or revolver. She used to appear on the street in full hunting costume with a rifle slung across her shoulder. She it was who caught the 7-pound speckled trout at Nepigon with a hook and line which created so much talk all over Ontario."

LOST HER BALANCE.

A Woman's Arm Cut Off by a Trolley Car.

TORONTO, Dec. 12.—About 11 a. m. Saturday Mrs. Charles Wilson of 57 Alice-street attempted to board a southbound Yonge-street car while in motion, but, losing her balance, was thrown violently to the ground. The wheels of the trailer passed over her left arm, crushing it in a horrible manner. Her right leg was broken at the ankle, and it is feared she also sustained internal injuries.

She was removed to the General Hospital in the ambulance, where her arm was amputated at the shoulder. She will probably recover.

A Bomb Exploded.

VIENNA, Dec. 10.—The Tageblatt says that a large bomb exploded near the dwellings of the workmen in the great iron works of Krupp's nephew at Bernsdorf. Much damage was caused to property.

SURPRISED YANKEES.

The Latin Union Delegates Are Not Strongly Supporting Bi-Metallism.

BRUSSELS, Dec. 12.—At the meeting of the Monetary Conference Saturday, Herr Hans Ifoisell of the Sweden and Norway delegation, referring to Congressman Mc Creary's declared preference for a fixed ratio between gold and silver of 16 to 1, asked the Americans if they would agree to a ratio of 20 to 1, which would be a nearer approach to the present value.

Senator Allison replied that the Americans would prefer a ratio of 16 to 1, but, if agreeable to the European states, the Americans might accept a different ratio. For himself he thought that silver using states would most logically adopt the ratio of 15 1-2 to 1. America would accept no ratio unless a sufficient number of governments entered into the agreement to make it effectual.

United States Delegate H. W. Cannon, in reply to M. Tierard, said he was surprised at the attitude of the Latin union delegates, as it was supposed they would be very friendly to the use of silver as money. He thought the proposed purchase of 30 million ounces of silver annually by Europe provided that it was in addition to the silver now naturally used might be a bridge to join the money metals again. America up to the present time had had no difficulty in maintaining a parity between gold and silver and intended to maintain it. If, however, silver was to be further dishonored and used the same as paper money, without regard to price, America would still be in an excellent position to profit by this state of affairs, as has been shown in the conference.

FOREIGN MONEY MARKET.

Ministerial Crisis and Silver Conference Have an Effect.

LONDON, Dec. 12.—A gradual weakening of discount rates was apparent last week. The final quotations were three months 2, short 1. Silver became a trifle steadier after a relapse in the middle of the week.

There is now apparent a general conviction that the Brussels conference will close without arriving at any practical arrangement. The India Council's refusal on Tuesday to accept low tenders for bills, especially when it became known that only a quarter of the amount offered was applied for, greatly contributed to depress silver, and this depression in turn adversely affected all silver securities and depressed stock exchange business generally.

American railway securities, after advancing until the middle of the week, relaxed on the silver collapse, but the movements were light.

SIGNALS OF DISTRESS.

A Steamship Split in Two and the Crew Supposed to Be Lost.

LONDON, Dec. 12.—The British steamship Dibberg, Captain Davies, was wrecked off Long Sand, near Harwich, last night.

Her rocket signals were responded to by a Harwich lifeboat. When the lifesavers reached the scene of the wreck they found the vessel split in two and partly embedded in the sand. They were unable to board her until high tide at daybreak, when they found a seaman drowned below deck.

The other members of the crew were missing and are supposed to have perished, as fragments of boats were found hanging to the davits.

It is reported that a schooner was wrecked on the sands in the vicinity of the wreck of the Dibberg, and that her crew is missing.

GET A MOVE, GROVER!

The World Expects You to Yank the U.S. into Better Shape.

LONDON, Dec. 10.—Commenting on the Memphis and St. Louis conventions, The Chronicle says: Such is the program of the growing industrial element. There is nothing revolutionary in it, and excepting the demand for free silver there is no quackery in it. It is the sober and righteous demand of a Republic in name to be converted into a Republic in fact, but neither of the great parties can respond to these claims. It looks as if America was gradually drifting into a condition parallel to that existing at the time the Free Soil party was formed, and as if all the brightest and most promising in American life was about to slowly form a party of real reform. Cleveland has a great opportunity. Will he embrace it?

MRS. MAYBRICK'S CASE.

The Female Prisoner's Illness Due To Her Own Carelessness.

LONDON, Dec. 12.—The Evening Standard says it has the best authority for stating that Mrs. Maybrick is recovering from the effects of the hemorrhages with which she was recently attacked. The paper adds that her illness was due to her own carelessness.

The Baroness De Rougues, Mrs. Maybrick's mother, telegraphs from Woking, that her daughter passed a bad night and is suffering from great weakness.

Rentes are Higher.

PARIS, Dec. 12.—The new Cabinet is generally approved by the moderate section of the public. Although many assert that the Ministers must fall before long, a more general opinion is that M. Ribot will retain his post until the elections in June. Thus rentes come out of the crisis higher and with good tone. Spanish securities, as an effect of the change of the Ministry in Spain, closed on the Bourse yesterday $1\frac{1}{4}$ higher.

Greeting the Crown Prince.

LONDON, Dec. 12.—A large party assembled at Windsor Castle to greet Crown Prince Ferdinand of Roumania, who arrived there Saturday on a visit to his fiancee, Princess Marie, daughter of the Duke of Edinburgh. In the party were the Duke and Duchess of Edinburgh, the Marquis of Lorne and Princess Louise. Thursday the Duchess of Edinburgh and Princess Marie will start for Sigmaringen, Prussia, to prepare for the marriage.

Intense Cold in Spain.

LONDON, Dec. 12.—Intense cold and heavy snowfalls are reported from North and Central Spain. The whole of Central and Southern Russia has been visited for three days with an exceptionally severe blizzard. Such severity has been unknown in Moscow for eight years. All railways but the Nikalai are more or less snowblocked and direct communication with the south interrupted. Some lines are entirely stopped.

Another British M.P. Unseated.

LONDON, Dec. 12.—Horatio Davies, who was returned to Parliament from Rochester at the last election by a large majority, was Saturday unseated on the ground of bribery.

Penny Postage for the Empire.

LONDON, Dec. 11.—The Chronicle says that the British Government has practically decided to adopt penny postage throughout the Empire.

The Guinness Trust.

LONDON, Dec. 10.—The Goldsmiths' Company has devoted £2500 to the Guinness Trust for the building of industrial dwellings.

GETTING UP A RECORD

CANADIAN NICKEL APPRECIATED I THE U. S. AND ENGLAND.

The Secretary of the American Nav Sounds the Praise of the Metal in N Uncertain Tones—He Says in His A nual Report It Has Made His Vessel the Best in the World.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—The Secretary o the Navy in his annual report pays partic lar attention to the Harveyized nickel-ste compound, the tests of which have, he say never been equalled or even approached b fore by any armor plate, American or fo eign.

It has demonstrated that the Unite States in the reconstruction of its new navy which 10 years ago had no existence, eve on paper, is enabled to place upon eac and all of its armored vessels a material th like of which the world up to the presen time has not seen, and that while va sums have been spent in plating the side of foreign men-of-war with an inferio metal this country will employ for the pu pose an armor which is not only far mo efficient, but which represents unquestion ably, having reference to the dimensions o plates thus far tested, the highest develop ment of modern science.

A Test in England.

Following the example of the Unite States the English Government four week ago held a trial of the American armor, an it is clear from the highly successful r sults of the trial that the United States i stead of being last in the race in the co struction of vessels of war or of borrowin its best ideas from abroad, has set an e ample in this respect which other maritim powers will speedily follow.

The Secretary refers to the appropriatio of $1,000,000 made by Congress for the pu chase of nickel matte and shows what h been done with it.

The first purchase was a quantity valu at $50,000 from the Canadian Copper Con pany, and, after making further exper ments, the Department came to a decisio the correctness of which subsequent d velopments have fully confirmed, to emplo this material in the manufacture of armo

A contract was entered into June 1 1891, between the Canadian Copper Con pany and the United States, represented b the Secretary of the Navy, for the purcha of 4000 tons of nickel and copper matte.

The Secretary then gives the figures pai out by his department to the Canadi Copper Company, on purchase accoun $321,381.86, and the total cost, includin freight, refining, etc., $395,039.

POISONED BY STRIKERS.

It Is Said That Scores of Non-Union M at Homestead Are Victims.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Dec. 12.—A Sund paper published a startling story a conspiracy to poison by wholesale the no union men at the Carnegie steel plant Homestead.

The developments made, it is said, implica members of the Advisory Committe members of the amalgamated associatio and officers of some of the labor organiz tions sympathizing with the locked-out m at Homestead.

As a result of this conspiracy it is alleg that several persons have lost their liv while scores of others are still suffering their homes and in hospitals from t effects of poisonous drugs administered them with criminal intent.

To-day nine or more persons iden fied with the strike are und arrest, ostensibly on less serious charg but really for the purpose of averting sus cion until all those who are claimed to in the hellish conspiracy have been secure

At Homestead the story was pronounc ridiculous.

A. E. Beck, counsel for the Carneg Steel Company, was seen to-night and co firmed the story of the poisoning. He ga as information that at least six deaths h resulted from poisoning. A Homeste druggist and physician are implicated. T powder was given to a dog and it died i few minutes. Coroner McDowell has n yet been notified.

The poison was administered in fo cooked for the Carnegie men.

BEHRING SEA AFFAIR.

Canadian Investigators Reported at Wo in San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 12.—A secret se ing commission has been here gathering e dence to be used for the Canadian and E lish side of the Behring Sea controvers The commission consisted of Messrs. Sh wood and McPherson, who were appoint by the Premier of Canada.

They have collected evidence from a lar number of men engaged in seal poachin as well as in legitimate sealing. They l yesterday.

AN EDUCATED CONVICT.

An Escaped Forger Recognized in Opium Smuggler.

TORONTO, Dec. 12.—W. T. McPherson Toronto, arrested at Detroit charged w smuggling opium from Canada, has been cognized as W. B. McCauley, an escap convict from Stoney Mountain, Manito Penitentiary.

"McCauley is the man's right name, though he has had a dozen aliases. He a man of good education and excell ability, and could not fail to have done w if he had adopted honesty as his poli He is about 60 years old. His wife is excellent woman, the daughter of a cler man. He was sentenced to the Manit Prison for ten years on conviction of f gery, and had served about two years wh he escaped a year ago last October. was at work in the office, being regarded a trusty man, and simply walked off."

For Sweet Charity's Sake.

WINDSOR, Ont., Dec. 12.—The will Robert Coultis of Mersea, who died a f days ago, is a strange one. It provi that all his property shall be sold, and t $3000 of the proceeds shall go to his w the remainder, estimated at $18,000, be placed in a chartered bank, and the inter devoted to aiding the poor of Leaming and the Township of Mersea.

A Farmer's Suicide.

MADOC, Ont., Dec. 12.—George H gerty, a well-to-do farmer residing ab two miles from Madoc village, commit suicide yesterday by cutting his thro Despondency is the supposed cause. was about 45 years of age.

Bye-Election in North Hastings.

OTTAWA, Dec. 12.—The writ for a b election in North Hastings, caused by H Mackenzie Bowell's elevation to the Sena has been issued. Polling is fixed Dec. 30.

Booming Uganda.

LONDON, Dec. 12.—A prospectus been issued by the Hon. Cecil Rhodes fo company having a capital of £400,0 The shares to be allotted of £140,000 subscribed to enable the construction o cable to Uganda.

Bringing the Spree Crowd Over.

LONDON, Dec. 9.—The steamer H sailed from Queenstown for New York terday with the passengers and cargo of disabled steamer Spree.

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THE cattle shipping season for 1892 is now over and Messrs. Geo. Pope, Belleville, and E. B. Morgan, Oshawa, have furnished the Montreal Gazette with statistics covering the season's operations. From the Gazette and from a form received from Mr. Pope we are able to glean the following facts: During the season 200 vessels were loaded and shipped from Montreal. They carried 79,135 head of fat cattle, 19,596 stockers, or a total of 98,731 in all. Out of this number only 622 were lost in tran it and singular as it may seem fully two thirds of the loss wa sustained during the last few weeks of the season. Besides the cattle 15,914 sheep, 1,739 horses and 1,262 swine were shipped. Shippers of sheep claim that they have lost heavily, that the frozen mutton of Australia and New Zealand has the market, and that the Canadian mutton trade is apt to die a quiet death. Should the schedule on Canadian cattle continue it will stop the shipment of stockers which this season amounted to 19,596 head. It is estimated that shippers have paid to farmers this year for stock $7,273,470. The feed consumed in transit is purchased in Canada which with freight and other expenditures necessary to get the animals on the market would mean the expenditure of a sum of money equally large. Although Canada has supplied 98,731 head of cattle it is only two per cent. of the total consumed in England.

The Gazette says: "The Government regulations have been in force all season and have done much to improve the tone of the business. The inspectors, Messrs Pope and Morgan, have had their trials and tribulations, but have done excellent work, and have now got the machinery of the law working very smoothly. One result of their work is seen in the small percentage of loss. They have kept on the alert looking after the hay intended for feed. Some have been delivered on the wharves which was hardly fit for bedding, and as much as 15 and 20 loads of this kind of stuff has been sent away from a single steamer.

Another great trouble to encounter was to induce shippers to take proper assistants to care for the stock, but they have firmly insisted on carrying out the regulations."

EDITORIAL NOTES.

THERE are few things that benefit young persons more than acting as regular correspondents of a newspaper. Apart altogether from the training it gives them in expressing themselves in writing and doing it grammatically, it teaches them to be close observers—in fact, intensifies their power of observation fourfold—which in itself is one of the first requisites toward becoming a well informed person. A regular newspaper correspondent is continually on the lookout for information, acquires a habit of noting hundreds of things that other people overlook, sees something interesting or instructing worth reporting on every hand, and acquires the faculty of remembering and classifying almost everything that comes under observation. It is a training, too, in the exercise of good judgment, for their are few things that test a person's judgment better than sifting out what is fit for publication and what is not, what is personal and what is not, of the thousand things that come under the eye or within the hearing of a regular correspondent. We should like to see a greater number of people act as correspondents from their respective localities. If there is one fact we are most convinced of than another it is the benefit that they will derive in every respect. Their experience will help them in every walk of life and lay the foundation of a habit without which no person can be really well informed, namely close observation.

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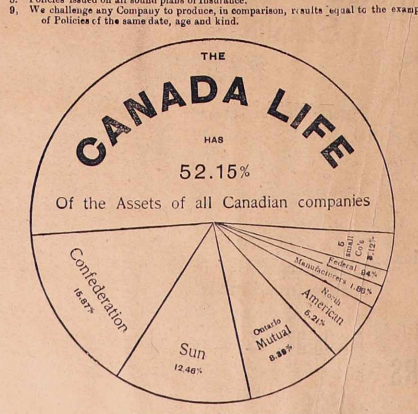

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A GOVERNMENT INSURANCE ACTUARY'S OPINION

ON THE RELATION BETWEEN ORDINARY AND TONTINE SURPLUS.

It is frequently asserted by Companies whose business is nearly all Tontined, that though the Canada Life may and does pay large ordinary profits, yet it cannot compare favorably on a long term distribution or tontine period, and that in the end better results can be obtained on a Tontine policy in the Canada Life. To prove the absurdity of the statements, the following piece of common sense is quoted from Mervin Tabor, late Actuary of the Illinois Government Insurance Department. In his well known book "The Three Systems of Life Insurance." he says: "A company that gives large dividends on the ordinary kinds of policies, can give much larger on the same kinds when Tontined, and a company that pays but meagre dividends on the usual forms, adopting perhaps the Tontine system to "cover up" its small surpluses, cannot be relied on for large returns of surplus under the Tontine Forms of Insurance."

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FOR UNREQUITED LOVE.

A YOUNG WOMAN LEAVES THE WORLD OF SORROW.

Teenie Henderson Was Wooed and Won by a Young Methodist Minister—He Married Another Lady—Teenie Became Despondent.

HAMILTON, Dec. 12.—The circumstances connected with the death of Teenie Henderson, whose body was found lying on the cold sands of Willow Cove, on the north side of Hamilton Bay, this morning, would furnish all the elements for a sombre romance.

At daylight Saturday searchers found the body of the unfortunate young woman lying on the bay shore. She had died of exposure.

Teenie Henderson lived with her mother and uncle in an ancient-looking old frame dwelling on the bluff overlooking the bay near the Roman Catholic cemetery.

She was a fine-looking young woman, a teacher in the Sunday school, and a member of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor in connection with the neighboring church.

According to the story told a reporter by her uncle, Alexander Henderson, this morning, Teenie was wooed and won by a young Methodist minister who had charge of the church she attended. A little over a year ago she announced her engagement to her friends and her wedding dress was got ready. But something came between them at the last moment, and the girl became despondent and melancholy.

She Became More Despondent.

Meanwhile the young preacher had come to Hamilton to take charge of a prominent congregation and had married here. Miss Henderson became more despondent and gradually her brain seemed to become affected.

A fright she sustained last June, when a couple of drunken city roughs tried to break into the house on a Sunday afternoon, still further aggravated her mental trouble, and soon after she took to her bed and has remained there almost altogether since that time, only getting up at intervals. Physically she was quite well, but her mental trouble seemed to be of a peculiar kind.

Yesterday she was in her room as usual. Mr. Henderson and his sister, who are the only other inmates of the house, were up late. Teenie was in her room then.

They went out to the barn for some purpose, and returning five minutes later found the girl gone. Taking a lantern old Henderson searched in every direction, calling his niece, but could find no traces of her. They searched most of the night, and as soon as it was daylight went out again.

Just in the gray winter dawn they found the body. It was lying in the tangled mass of weeds and drifted flotsam washed up by the waves in the pretty cove just east of Willow Point.

There was nothing on the body but a night-dress, and the deceased lay on her side, the feet only being in the water. It is nearly a quarter of a mile from the house to the bay shore, and she had evidently come down along a rough path in a ravine, for her face and arms were scratched and her feet cut by stones and pierced by thorns.

Would Have Been an Heiress.

"If Teenie had lived," said Mr. Henderson, "she would have fallen heir to a fortune of about $20,000 when her aunt, Mrs. Fouldes, who lives on the beach, dies. Her aunt left all her property to her in her will." He admitted that the clergyman had never visited at the house a great deal.

The father of the deceased is said to be living in this city and his name is McAllister, but the girl and her mother had lived with Alexander Henderson since she was born. The Hendersons formerly lived here also.

The clergyman to whom the girl's uncle said she was engaged was shocked at the news of Miss Henderson's death, but smiled when he was told of the reported relation between her and him. "The report is absurdly false," he said. "I always thought there was something wrong with the poor girl, mentally. She was not actually demented, but was eccentric, and what the neighbors called 'soft.' I am afraid she used to be laughed at a good deal by her acquaintances. Recently Miss Henderson ceased to use my name, and had been telling her friends that she was engaged to Dr. ——" (mentioning a well-known Hamilton physician).

IT REQUIRED NERVE.

A Man of 80 Forced to Act as Undertaker and Sexton for His Son.

EGANVILLE, Ont., Dec. 12.—A sad death occurred in the township of Sherwood, a young man named Reckza, the only support of an aged father, frequented a house in the settlement that diphtheria was in and after returning home complained of symptoms of that dreaded disease, took to his bed and seven days afterwards died, not having secured medical attendance. No one could be found to make a coffin, and his poor old father, aged 80 years, by means of old boards in a rough state made a box and placed his poor boy in it and with his daughter drove a distance of 12 miles to the graveyard in the Polish settlement.

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The Tendency Now is to Allow Caprivi to Adopt Free Measures.

BERLIN, Dec. 12.—On the evening of the first reading of the Army Bill Chancellor von Caprivi gave a parliamentary dinner that brought together members of the Reichstag of all parties and press representatives of all shades of opinion, except Socialists.

For the first time leading journalists were invited to such a gathering. It was a memorable recognition of the influence of the press.

While the dinner was proceeding the Socialists were holding meetings in every electoral district in Berlin against the Army Bill. Resolutions were adopted denouncing militarism and urging the formation of a people's militia. Women attended, although the meetings were enthusiastic, gave more trouble to the police than their socialistic brothers.

When the debate opened on the Army Bill in the Reichstag to-day the House was crowded and the galleries were full of visitors. The tone of the speeches from all sides displayed no uncompromising hostility to the measure.

Major Von Huttenbergen Huenoy, a member of the Centre party, announced that the Centrists were willing to consider the reduction of a year in the term of service, but were not prepared to increase the strength of the standing army. He said that they admitted that the measure would be hailed by the country as adding to the military strength of the empire and probably even as leading to an alleviation of the economic situation.

Herr Richter, the Radical Freisinnige party would grant whatever funds were necessary for the introduction of a system of two years' service, but the Chancellor would have to apply to a more complaisant Reichstag than the present to obtain demands beyond that.

The Chancellor's response to the speeches against the bill was mainly directed at Herr Richter. He styled Herr Richter an able political statistician, but said he was scarcely in a position to offer a right opinion on details of a military system. On this subject views that are expressed in the highest military circles must be respected.

"So convinced am I," said the Chancellor, "of the necessity of the bill for the continued existence of Germany that if the Reichstag wished to throw upon me its own responsibility I would tranquilly accept it."

This statement was greeted with cheers.

The Chancellor said that under the provisions of the bill 60,000 young men would be yearly added to the army, so that in a few years 450,000 more men would be ready to take the field against a hostile army.

This statement elicited cheers.

The Chancellor appealed to the House not to throw the country into confusion by opposing the measure.

The general opinion in the lobby after the House adjourned was that the bill would pass its first reading by a good majority. Before debate on the bill is resumed on Monday, the Brussels Monetary Conference and the army rifles will form the subjects of interpellation.

Something like popular demonstrations of anti-Semitism have occurred in several centres. Twice this week considerable crowds have passed along the Friedrichs Strasse crying "Down with the Jews!" Leading Conservatives and the Moderns Herr Heidorf and Count Bagbis are confident that the Emperor is ashamed of the Jew-baiting done by the party, and they have protested against including an anti-Jewish plank in the party program.

THE SILVER QVESTION.

Europeans are Not Frightened at Threats From the U. S. Delegates.

LONDON, Dec. 12.—The Standard's Vienna correspondent says: The probable failure of the monetary conference is so discounted here that its failure would make no impression. Conservative and anti-Jew papers ridicule the prophecies of terrible consequences, contending that any such action as is foreshadowed in President Harrison's message would be a breach of faith toward creditors which public opinion in America would not permit.

Neither Republicans nor Democrats, it is said, dare repeal the Windom Act for fear of an unparalleled commercial crisis. In the meantime the removal of the hope of an international agreement for many years to come will exercise healthy influence in checking the output of silver, and the price will gradually find its level without hurting anybody except the American silver kings.

Practical experience in the transformation of silver currency to gold currency has resulted in converting bimetallists to the view that rehabilitation of silver would fail to remove the causes of agricultural depression.

ACONITE POISON.

Said to be the Drug Used to Cause Baron Reinach's Death.

PARIS, Dec. 12.—At the session yesterday of the Panama Committee M. Brisson, the president, stated that he agreed with the proposal made by M. Bourgeois, Minister of Justice, that a sub-committee composed of seven members of Committee, including its president be appointed to examine the Panama legal documents to ascertain if any members of the Chamber of Deputies were compromised in the scandal.

The sub-committee was then selected. It was decided to keep secret the contents of the document, whether they were favorable or unfavorable to the Panama defendants.

M. Bourgeois to-day communicated to the committee a schedule of 490 legal documents bearing on the affairs of the company, that are in possession of the procureur.

Dr. Brouardel denies the rumors that he has already found evidence that Baron Reinach's death was due to unnatural causes. The viscera and the brain were to-night brought to the toxicological laboratory at Paris.

The Libre Parole, nevertheless, persists that the examination revealed that death was due to aconite poisoning.

The Paris correspondent of The London News says that the autopsy was performed on the body of Baron de Reinach. All newspaper representatives were excluded from the cemetery but were allowed to watch from a barn loft overlooking the grave. It will be impossible for three weeks to say whether or not Baron de Reinach died of aconite poisoning. The suspicion that he did is due to the fact that the partly empty phial of aconite was found near his bed.

The London Times Paris correspondent says: The Reinach scandal is worthy of the middle ages. The Parliament, the magistracy and the press are all crying for the corpse. Only the brush of a Callot or a Hogarth could do justice to the scenes presented at the cemetery. When the autopsy was performed there was an unseemly scramble between the doctors and the reporters to reach the grave. The doctors were victorious. They whitened the windows of the room in which the autopsy was performed so that nothing was visible from the outside.

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All throughout the Provinces the rapid course of La Grippe, is causing great alarm. A report was received here to-day, of a new development of the disease, which is worse, perhaps than any other. Wm. Hanley of N. Y. City, died in terrible agony after sickness of only four days. He had been swelled to such an extent as to make it impossible for him to close his jaws or swallow any food. The report is existing the people in this district to try and stop the rapid progress, recently referred to in so many papers. In Cape Breton the disease has proved very rapidly and with fatal results. D. J. Killop of Lake Ainslie writes Feb. 11th that this cure has been tried in his neighborhood and with such success that all those resting there are obtaining a supply believing it to be the only remedy affording relief and effecting a certain cure. He finished his letter by asking for a large quantity of the Medicine (Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills) to supply the demands of the quarantine for the relief of Lisbon.

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AN OPEN LETTER

(Continued from Saturday)

vided employment to the people and kept real estate from at least declining in value, have gone to the large and centrally-located city, while Ichabod has been written above their portals and their tall chimneys are but smokestacks and picturesque ruins. While Toronto grew, such places as Port Hope, Chatham, St. Catharines, Ingersoll, Dundas, Napanee, Stratford, Paris, Whitby, Kincardine, Amherstburg, Mitchell, Thorold, Danville, Port Perry, Fergus,—nearly all thriving manufacturing towns prior to 1878—as well as several ambitious villages, have lost population and consequently must be poorer to-day than they were ten years ago, even though the money-lender may laten upon the poverty of his neighbor as the vulture upon the carrion of the field. It is quite manifest, that the prodigious fortunes which have been piled up by individual manufacturers have been made at the expense of the producers and to the serious detriment of the country at large.

2.—Has the National Policy "retained in Canada thousands of our fellow-countrymen obliged to expatriate themselves in search of employment denied them at home"? In answer to this momentous question, we have it negatived by the eloquent and unimpeachable testimony of the census returns for the past ten years, during which the National Policy has been in operation. That evidence is the most emphatic condemnation of a policy which severs in twain a continent, which, being physically one, occupied by one people, should be commercially and politically one. Turning to the debates which preceded Confederation, we find the able men who then debated together predicting, with every appearance of confidence in the infallibility of their judgment, that in a quarter of a century the population of the new Dominion would be twenty million souls! Sir John Macdonald anticipated an immigration of half-a-million from the British Isles alone the first year of Confederation, and with the opening and development of a new country possessing a territory larger than Europe, it was not unreasonable to expect a steady increase over that number each succeeding year until the whole Dominion would be filled with a contented and prosperous people. That quarter of a century has passed and yet none of those predictions been fulfilled? Where are the twenty millions that were to have made Canada a strong and great country to-day? In the past ten years over 800,000 people are reported as having come to Canada, costing us to bring them three million dollars, yet the census returns show that in the same time the population of the country increased scarcely 500,000, which means that 250,000 of those paid to come here have gone away and taken with them Canadians equal in number to every person in Canada during the same period, and fairly estimated at over a millionand-a-half more. This is a fact of serious import to all Canadians, whether Conservative or Liberals, who have given any thought to the future of their country. It means that the bright anticipations of the founders of Confederation have not been and never can be realized by our colonial condition, and isolated commercially and politically from the continent of which Canada is physically a part; it means that while our neighbors and friends and cousins and brothers are moving forward on the highway to prosperity and greatness among nations as rate unexampled in the history of the world, we, on the same continent, as richly endowed by nature, but trammelled by a policy which excludes capital and enterprise, are not even holding our own, but are retrograding at such a rate that in the end there can but one result, namely, commercial and national collapse; it means that the life blood of our infant nation is being drawn on to swell the veins the lusty young giant beside us; it means the utter extinction of our hopes of national greatness and the "Canadian independence" long the delusive cry but that staunch upholder of British connection, the Hon. Oliver Mowat. When Conservatives commune with themselves and are permitted that, instead of repatriating the thousands of Canadians who were forced to look for employment abroad, or even checking the exodus, the National Policy—for reasons that may be made clear by the writer in his humble way as he progresses—has driven the brawn and brain of the country to expatriation in the very land we have been vainly attempting to control; for, deny it who may, to outstrip the United States was the mission set for themselves by Canadians and the politicians who, by playing upon the strings of their patriotic pride, have deluded them into believing that it was a destiny separate from and superior to that of the rest of the continent.

3 and 4.—The proposition that the National Policy "has enabled the Canadian farmer to find the market for his produce" and "—(b)—" prevent Canada from being made a sacrifice market" cannot be as satisfactorily considered as the remaining propositions of the resolution. Some of our industries, as above admitted, are prosperous, but they are prosperous just in proportion as the people are unprosperous and just to the extent of the tribute they are permitted by the National Policy to exert upon the people who consume their products. In other words, the N. P. is an unevenly balanced teter-board—the manufacturer, who has been long out, has the advantage of the consumer—the riches of the manufacturer come from the producer from the soil, and the lower the producer the greater must be the extortion practised to maintain profit. It may be true that neither American goods nor the goods of any other country are being sacrificed in Canada; in that respect Canada is not a "sacrifice market"; but if sacrifices of foreign goods are being made in any market, why should the Canadian farmer be told that he must keep his hands off the bargains? He is prevented from making the most of his dollar, however, by the high tariff wall which the cheap goods would have to climb to get into the Canadian market in which the Canadian farmer makes his purchases.

5.—As to inter-provincial trade, who knows of any? It amounts to nothing, but recently there has been a movement of Quebec hay to Ontario caused by the exclusion of Quebec farm produce from the States by the McKinley Bill.

6.—The proposition that the National Policy, by pinching the Americans, would tend to "procure eventually for this country a reciprocity of trade" is probably the most important contained in the resolution. It deserves careful and conscientious consideration. Read in connection with the repeated attempts of all Canadian Administrations, both before and since the adoption of the N. P., to secure reciprocity with the United States, it teaches us that the obliteration of the tariff line at least as affects the produce of the soil, has ever been considered the most important element of Canadian prosperity. In dealing with this phase of the question, we must, therefore, bear in mind that all parties view the international boundary line, so far as it makes possible a warfare of tariffs, as a serious impediment to Canada's progress; and the obliteration of that boundary line and perpetual cessation from the tariff war would conversely be distinctly to Canada's advantage. But what, let us ask, has the N. P. done toward bringing about that result predicted by Sir John Macdonald and hoped for above every other possible result by the Conservative party and the country? We expected to squeeze our neighbors—the pitkin to smash the pot—and to hear them cry out for quarter. But we have heard no such appeal for mercy. On the contrary, the elections of '78, '82, and '87 were accompanied with vainglorious boasting and with unfriendly, if not insulting demonstrations on the part

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Lower St. Lawrence—South to west winds ; fine and moderately cold.

TOLD IN A LINE OR TWO

Saturday was a busy day among merchants.

The Rathbun Co. have decided not to buy the steamer Rocket. She has been sent back to Quebec.

Dr. Burdett broke his thigh on Saturday. He was removed to the hospital yesterday.

Rev. E. N. Baker and Rev. D. O. Crossley exchanged pulpits yesterday morning.

Probate has been granted in the will of the late Catharine Harkins of Tyendinaga to Nancy Sparrow, executrix. Estate $60.

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A junior euchre club has been formed in the city with the following ladies and gentlemen as members : Misses Frost, Kelso, Clark, Wilson, Burdett, Corby, Hamilton, Walker, Carman and Thomson, and Messrs. Hulme, Thomas, Bowell, Penton, Parker, Moore, Stewart, Dupuis, Laidlaw, Armstrong, Jellett and Mussen. The club will meet each Monda evening.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Walter Bourne, commercial traveller, is home for his holidays.

Miss Biggar has returned from a visit to Toronto and Woodstock.

D. R. Leavens, who is stopping in Montreal during the winter, spent Sunday in the city.

Miss Irwin, head milliner in Geo. Ritchies & Co's., returned from Toronto on Friday last, where she buried the remains of her deceased brother.

Wm Creighton, Chas Tumville, E E Johnston, G Salmon, Montreal ; J Henderson, Moor Kelley, A R McDonald, F Jeffrey, H W Redmon, J Curtis, C M Thorne, W J White, C J Fox, John A Ross, E W Fisher, Toronto ; J S Dougan, G A Burns, Madoc ; W A Davey, Bancroft ; J F Fisher, Bradford, Eng. ; H L Davis, Traversee city, Mich. ; J H Goodrich, Colborne ; Robt Wilson, Hamilton ; J J Lockhart, Robt Huffman, Brighton ; F Tyler, Hastings ; Chas E Frost, Philadelphia ; A Foster, Berlin ; Harry Kansules Niagara Falls ; H B Marcy, Uxbridge J W McIntosh, H G Clarke, Kingston ; G Thompson, Peterboro ; J B Richard, J Reyetter, jr., W H Cronk, Deseronto ; J E Firth, Berlin, are at the Anglo American Hotel.

A PROLIFIC SOURCE OF DISEASE.—trifling indiscretion in diet may lay the foundation of confirmed dyspepsia, and there is no fact in medical science more positively ascertained or more authoritatively asserted than that dyspepsia is the parent of a host of bodily ills, not the east of which is contamination of the blood and the maladies of which that is the direct consequence. Their original cause s however thoroughly eradicated from the system b Lyman s Vegetable Discovery and Dyspeptic Cure, a medicine which only requires regularity and persistence in it use to cure dyspepsia and many other ills that arise from it. No deteleriou mineral ingredient is contained in it, and though its act on is thorough in cases of costiveness it never produces griping pains in the abdominal region, or weakens the bowels ike a violent purgative. It invigorates he system through the medium of the increased digestive and assimilative activity which it promotes and is also a most efficient remedy for kidney disease scrofulous and all diseases of the blood femole weakness, &c., &c Price $1.00 Sample bottle 10 cents. Ask for Northrup & Lyman s Vegetable Discovery and Dyspeptic Cure. The wrapper bears a fac-simile of their signature Sold by all medicine dealers.

CURLING GOSSIP.

A SPORT WITH A LITERATURE EN TIRELY ITS OWN.

What Peter Ross Says in His Book on "Scotland and the Scots"—A Characteristic Story.

Curling promises to lose none of its old time popularity in Belleville during the coming season. No higher tribute can be paid to this noble sport than Peter Ross' Book on "Scotland and the Scots." He says :

Curling is a sport which has everything to commend it, and is wholly without any of the drawbacks which are too often urged with justice against other outdoor sports. It is tree from such vices as gambling, betting or professionalism : it is health-giving and invigorating, and equally adapted for the old and the young: it is cheap, its implements cost little, and it requires no costly grounds or tracts for its full enjoyment ; it inspires friendliness, brotherhood and charity among its devotees, and teaches the value of a cool head, a steady hand, a clear eye and a cautious judgment. It teaches men to accept defeat gracefully, and to wear the honors of victory modestly. It is thoroughly democratic in all its tendencies, and on the ice all men are equal, except that the best player is the best man. Its season is one when work is scarce with most of outdoor toilers, and its practice keeps the hand and the frame ready to take up the struggle for existence with renewed activity whenever the opportunity offers.

"Surely these are advantages enough to commend a game to the kindliest sympathies of all who love sport for the sake of sport alone. But curling has still another advantage. It is almost the only athletic sport which has a literature of its own, and in this respect it is second only to angling among all pastimes. Volumes have been written concerning the game and its associations, and its praise has been sung in stirring, sometimes rollicking, often uncouth, but always kindly, verse by countless poets. Its followers are never tired speaking about it, telling of its ups and downs, its victories or defeats, its pleasures, and sometimes even its pathos. The players are a kindly set, fond of each other, and seem to be entirely free from any of the petty jealousies which so mar the pleasures of other athletic sports. For a man to be a keen curler, and above all as a good skip, is a certain recommendation to the good graces and kindly regards of other players, no matter how excellent their own curling record may be or how vastly superior their social status. The players are charitable, too, and many a 'bow' of meal or bag of potatoes or barrel of flour are presented yearly to the deserving poor through the result of a game on the ice playing for such trophies is common, and is one of the best evidences which can be offered of the perfect innocence of the game and the leal, light, kindly hearts of the players."

The word curling invariably excites a true Scotchman to story telling. After an afternoon of exciting curling in Central Park last winter between some local and Canadian clubs, the chilly but jovial Scotchmen went in a bunch to a cafe down on Broadway, and during the after-dinner harmony the following story was told :

A laird in Strathaven who owned a quarry and was reputed to be worth "a gey twa, aye three bawbees besides," was curling one day, and his foreman, whose name was Lawrence, was playing with him on the same side. The laird was very anixous to take a certain shot, and while looking over the length of the rink with one eye, squinting the other, he cried out:

"Noo, Jock Lawrence, d'ye see whaur my broom is? Lay yer stane doon there and as sure as death I give ye my dochter Jean if you do it."

Straight went the curling stone out of Jock's hand along the rink to the very spot where the laird wished it.

"Capital Jock, capital!" cried the laird. "Ye could na ha'e dune better, and ye can get Jean the morn if ye want her.

"Ye maun gi'e me something else than Jean, laird," answered the foreman. "I ha'e got her already. We's were married at Gretna Green six weeks since, and we's ha'e been a thinking of asking your blessing since, but something ays com' in the wa'."

The laird was dumfounded when he heard the news, but he compromised matters by saying : "Aweel, aweel, Jock ; I'll let bygauns be bygauns. A man that can lay doon a patlid like this is worthy o' the best and bonniest lass in Lanarkshire. Kepp her, Jock, and if ye ha's ony laddie weans atween ye bring them up in the fear o' the Lord and the knowledge o' curling."

A NARROW ESCAPE

J K McCargar's House has a Close Shave From Fire.

J. K. McCargar, of the first concession of Thurlow, came near meeting with a serious loss last week. The family had retired for the night when Mr. McCargar heard something cracking and a strong smell of smoke issuing from the dining room. He got up and found the inside of the room a mass of fire. He aroused the inmates and with the assistance of water the flames were finally subdued. The interior of the room was badly damaged with fire and smoke. All of the woodwork was burned including an extension table and other articles of furniture. A heavy loss was averted by the promptness of the inmates in extinguishing the rapidly developing flames.

What's the use of feeling languid,
Mopy, dull and blue?
Cleanse the blood and give it vigor ;
Make the old man new.
How? I'll tell you. To the drug store
Go this very day—
Buy a medicine to banish
All your ills away—

And that medicine is Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, the very best blood-purifier on earth. It builds up and strengthens the system because it cleanses the blood, and that's what the system must have to be strong and healthy. There's nothing that equals it. Absolutely sold on trial ! Your money back, if it doesn't benefit or cure you.

Cured Female Weakness

Mr. Hugh Caldwell, Clydesdale, Ont., writes:—"My daughter was under the care of doctors for more than a year for female weakness, without getting relief. I then procured Pink Pills and they cured her." All dealers 50 cents a box or 6 boxes for 2.60, or mailed on receipt of price. Dr. Williams' Med. Co., Brockville, Ont., and Schenectady, N. Y.

When the hair beins to come out in combing, it shows a weakness of the scalp hat calls for immediate attention. The best preparation to arrest further loss of hair and restore the scalp to a healthy condition is Ayers Hair Vigor.

AS SAFE AS EFFICACIOUS.—The Indigenous Bitters, being compounded of nothing but vegetable ingredients, cannot become injurious if taken for too long a period or in too liberal doses.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria

A CONFESSED MURDERER

THE SLAYER OF WALTER SMITH AND THOS OVENS CONFESSES ON THE GALLOWS

Two Hastings Tragedies Revived—Their Deaths at the Time Were Thought to Have Been the Result of Foul Play

The Campbellford Herald says : "It is rumored here that in one of the daily papers of a late date, there is a report published from a town in one of the States, of a man who was hung for murder having made a confession of being the murderer of two men in Canada. One of the victims was Walter Smith who was found dead on the Grand Junction Railway track, near Stirling a year ago last August ; the other was Thos. Ovens, of Springbrook, who was found dead in that neighborhood about two years ago. The only mark that was noticeable on the body of the latter was a slight bruise over the eye, and it was feared at the time that he had met with foul play.

"No one suspected that Walter Smith was murdered, although it was regarded strange how he could have been killed by accident by falling from the train. It was hinted that the unfortunate young man was under the influence of liquor, but a companion of his who was with him up to a late hour in the evening says he was sober."

GIVE THE FARMERS A CHANCE

A Hint to Women Who Take up the Clerks' Time

People who live in the city would do merchants a great service if they would not defer their purchases until Saturday. Saturday is essentially a farmers' day in a place like Belleville and merchants at this time of the year have more than they can do in looking after their wants. As a rule people who live in the city take their time about buying and do not seem to think it any inconvenience to allow the clerk to follow them about the store for an hour or two when the motive is purely one of curiosity. A reporter of the ONTARIO was interested in a case in point on Saturday afternoon. A couple of ladies entered a certain store and after one clerk had shown them about the premises from the celler to the garret turned them over to the manager as a bad job. The latter very obligingly showed them over the same ground with similar results. It is doubtful if the lady knew what she wanted and if she did it is a question if she had the money to pay for it. It is usually a pleasure for merchants to show goods, but curiosity-seekers should engage their attention on less busy days than Saturdays.

THE CITY MISSION.

A Commendable Effort to Enlarge the Building on Dundas Street.

SIR—Will you be kind enough to insert the following in your paper, that those who were good enough to contribute toward a fund to enlarge the City Mission Building may know what has become of their money. I received from :

W. W. M. B. Bridge St. M. church	$ 5 00
W. B N., $5 ; L. M.—50c	5 50
King's Daughters Bridge St. M.	5 00
Madame T.	2 00
King's Daughters, St. Thomas	5 00
Proceeds of concert	62 33
Total	84 83

Which amount has been on deposit in saving's Bank of the Merchant's Bank since 30th April 1892. The work was not proceeded with in the spring as the amount was so much less than the estimated cost. Any person visiting the Mission on a Sabbath afternoon and seeing 100 teachers and scholars crowded into that room will admit there is a necessity for more and better accommodation. I believe the Mission is doing a greater work this fall and winter than ever before, besides its other work the night school is now open and well attended. Teachers and supplies are required. Mrs. Schuster and her assistants are doing a grand work. I sincerely trust the Christians who have in the past and any others who feel an interest in this work will not allow Mrs. Schuster to be overburdened for want of sympathy.—A. G. NORTHRUP.

TOWN TALK

New goods just arrived at Goldsmith's fish store, Bridge street—groceries, fish, fruits, cigars, oysters, cider, candies. Refreshments and lunches at all hours.

You will save money by getting your stoves and ranges from Deacon & Doyle

Geen is showing a very nice line of perfumes in plain and fancy bottles, also in bulk.

For coughs and colds the old reliable remedy that has stood the test for more than a quarter of a century and is still a great favorite, is the one to buy, it is Holden's Expectorant, manufactured by A. L. Geen.

Deacon & Doyle carry a full line of gas fixtures, also Bray's patent burner the great saver of gas.

It will be worth your while to call and see the grand stock of stoves and ranges Deacon & Doyle have on hand.

F. A. Abraham, issuer of marriage licenses at the ONTARIO Office.

For catarrh or cold in the head use nttits catarrh cure, A L Geen agent

A neglected cough brings on consumption—the most fatal and prevalent of al physical ills that flesh is heir to. To check the malady in its early stage, before the deadly turbercles develop themselves in the lungs use Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil which also annihilates bronchitis asthma catarrh, piles, kidney troubles, and soreness of the muscles and

Magic Pile Lotion excells every other remedy of its class in the following particulars, viz: 1, Its action is immediate and magical. 2 It is cheaper than any other in the market. 3 It is cleanly, leaving no stain on clothing or bedding. 4 It is more easily applied than any other. 5. It is equally efficacious in external, internal, itching or bleeding piles. 6. It is an exceilent dressing for all kinds of painful wounds, abrasions, stings of bees and other poisonous insects, etc.

For four thousand years or more the world groaned, suffered and fumed about its corns, for their was no positive relief—no cerain and painless cure until Dr. Scott Putman gave to the world his great Corn Extractor. If there is suffering now it is a result of carelessness, for the remedy is at hand. Try Putman's Corn Extractor. It is sure painless, and prompt. Beware of substitutes. N. C. Polson & Co. proprietors. Kingston.

Only Two Weeks

We only have 12 more business days until Christmas. In that two weeks the Oak Hall expect to send out an awful amount of clothing. We will have two very large Saturdays and would ask as a favor that all who possibly can will come in and make their selection between Monday morning and Friday night. It will not only be more satisfactory to us but to the customer as well.

Never hump yourself up to die of Piles until after you have given Magic Pile Lotion a fair and reasonable trial. If it fails then go on with your humping for your case is incurable.

IN NORTH HASTINGS.

J H S NICHOLSON OF OSHAWA CONTINUES AN INTERESTING LETTER.

People he Met—A Northern Lumber Camp—What is Going on a Hundred and Twenty-five Miles North of Belleville.

Both tier of roomy bunks turn the angle at the end of the cabin and reach half way across the end. In the other far corner from the door are four bunks that hold eight persons. These are for Mr. Conway, the cook, and whatever guests he may have. The Judge and I occupied the top corner bunk, and found it hard, but we slept soundly until the cook's alarm clock aroused us at 3.30 in the morning. The bed, I found upon examination, to be made of spruce boughs spread over poles with a flat hewn surface. Over these boughs was spread an Indian blanket, and another made the covering.

The men spend the evening at cards and other games. At 8:30 all lights were out and the men turned in for the night, but the odor of tobacco smoke told that now a few were enjoying a pipe before dropping off to sleep. Breakfast was over before daybreak, but as it was raining heavily the men busied themselves in doors and did a little trading among themselves. Dinner was ready by 10 a. m., and the clouds breaking away, soon after the foreman of the choppers hastily slipped on his coat and left the camp. In five minutes the place was deserted. Not a word had been said about the weather, The men knew they would not be required to work if it rained, and at the first sign of clearing up they were off to work. We immediately started for the depot for we had our effects to pack, and were surprised to hear trees falling in the woods. Mr. Conway accompanied us on the return trip and pointed out the ruins of a small grist mill on the bank of the Madawaska. The mill had been erected by Mr. Egan, the first owner of the limits, when he made flour for the lumber camps. A large wheel and a few logs alone remain as monuments of this enterprise. For the name of it, Mr. Egan, made a shipment of 15 bbls flour to England. I was charmed with the lumber camps and had my ideas with regard to them completely changed as a result of my visit. I expected to find a lumber camp in possession of a crowd of wooly bruisers, whose absence from civilised society was so much the better for society, but a civil, intelligent, industrious lot of men can scarcely be found anywhere. A quarrel among them is rare.

A stranger in this country, if he is inquisitive, will wonder how settlers judge the distance from place to place. People here are accumstomed to walking, ten or fifteen miles to them is no more thought of than a walk from Oshawa to the Grand Trunk depot, and they are walkers too. I noticed an old man upwards of 70 years as we were going into Maynooth on our way north. When our horses trotted we passed him, when they walked he passed us, and our horses were not slow walkers either. In the end he got to the village first. In another case I was on the road in company with another person, when a middle aged man came from a house carrying a gun and a well filled bag. We were in no hurry, but we were walking at at a fair pace. After we had walked about a mile my companion called my attention to the man with the gun and bag. He was just going over a hill about a mile distant. These incidents will show that the people here are walkers. They calculate that a man walks about four miles an hour, when in reality he will walk about six or seven. In this way they measure distance, that is, by the length of time it takes a man to walk it. Then, when the country is surveyed they take the surveyor's lines, when the road is as zig zag as a rail fence.

This is indeed a back country. In a place where lumber is so plentiful a saw mill is unknown. None of the lumbermen will build a mill, and the settlers do not care to do so as the owners of the limits are held in great respect, to put it pleasantly. Settlers are allowed to take what timber they require for their own use and nothing is said, but they think if they put up a mill it would not be popular with the limit owners. So they erect a square frame upon four upright posts, upon which the log is placed and with a long saw, somewhat like a cross-cut saw the lumber is cut. Mr. Dunn cut enough in this way to about build a house. It is a slow process but the clear air of this elevated region generates energy and that is the capital that is required. A few years will work a marked change here, for the survey for the Ottawa, Arnprior and Parry Sound railway has been made, and the line will run in this immediate neighborhood. The railway will make this country as much the front as we are along the Grand Trunk. Mr. Booth is the principal pusher of this project and will see it through.

(Concluded to-morrow.)

Sunshine in the House!

"I'm weary with work !" the good wife sighed ;
"But after all," she said.
"It's sweet to labor for those we love—
No wonder that maids will wed."

A wise housewife lightens her toil and gladdens the home circle by her cheerfulness. But health is the first requisite, and her just prerogative. Health follows the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, which afflict womankind. It enriches the blood, cures the cough, increases the flesh, prevents hysteria, nervousness and low spirits, and is a veritable fountain of health to women, young and old. Satisfaction, or the price (1.00) refunded. Of druggists.

Gratifying to All

The high position attained and the universal acceptance and approval of the pleasant liquid fruit remedy Syrup of Figs as the most excellent laxative known, illustrate the value of the qualities on which its success is based and are abundantly gratifying to the California Fig Syrup Company.

More Valuable Than Diamonds.

Cod liver oil from the cod fish when combined with hypophosphites of lime and soda, as in "Miller's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil," will build up the cellular tissues and create new blood. This is just what consumptive patients need. It has cured thousands of people who would otherwise have been at this time occupying narrow spaces in the graveyards of our country. Miller's Emulsion is worth a trial. In big bottles, 50c and $1.00 at all Drug Stores.

For hanging and stand lamps try Geen's Drug Store.

How Mr. W. D. Wentz of Geneva, N.Y was cured of the severest form of dyspepsia He says everything he ate seemed like pouring melted lead into his stomach. Hood's Sarsaparilla effected a perfect cure. Full particulars will be sent if you write C Hood & Co., Lowell Mass.

As an after dinner pill, to strengthen the stomach, assist digestion, and correct an bilious tendencies, Ayer's pills are considered the best. Being sugar coated, they are as agreeable as any confection, and may be taken by the most delicate.

THAT MADOC SUICIDE

Geo Haggerty Slashes his Throat With a Butcher Knife.

The following further particulars have been learned of the suicide of farmer Haggerty near Madoc on Saturday :—"Enquiry fails to throw much light on the suicide. Mr. Haggerty started for Madoc with his wife in a sleigh. When about half way to town he suddenly turned his team and went back home. He put his horses in the stable, returned to the house, took out a butcher knife unobserved by any of the family, went to a hog pen from which the hogs had been removed a short time ago, and slashed his throat three times. His groans attracted his daughter, who ran out and found him struggling on the hog-pen floor. A doctor was sent for immediately, but Haggerty expired in a few minutes. He leaves a widow and three children."

No Return.

After a lapse of seven years the following letter explains itself : Toronto, Ont., April 17, 1887. "I would state that your remedy, St. Jacob's Oil, had the desired effect of curing me effectually of rhematism, with which I suffered in 1880. I have never had any return of the pain which I endured for months previous. It affords me great pleasure to say I have recommended it to a number of friends. Too much praise cannot be devoted to its healing qualities." J. ABRAHAM, Passenger Agent, 51 York St. Hundreds certify that once cured, the cure is permanent.

COUNTY COURT.

The Men who Will Administer Justice in Hastings County

County court opens to-morrow before Judge Lazier. Following are the names of the grand Jurors :—Geo. Gordan, Thos Gal, Deseronto ; Charles Thompson, Wm Tumelty, Madoc ; S. Hubble, James Hamby, Chas. Mosher, Rawdon ; James Dryden, John Callaghan, Tyendinaga ; W H. Bullen, M. Casey, L. F. Curlett, Belleville ; Richard Porter, Huntingdon ; Thos. Sexsmith, Jas. Stinson, J. F. Tucker, Peter Sherbeneau, F. Sherry, Hungerford; Abel H. Jones, Sidney ; Geo. Kerr, Stirling ; Asa Wilcox, Chas. Benedict. Wm. Brown, Thurlow ; H. C. Dulmage, Trenton.

Hawkers and Pedlers

What ear-splitting cries we hear daily in the streets of every large city ! But these itinerant dealers who hawk their wares about are, when under proper restrictions, a useful portion of the community, and not such nuisance as the catarrh hawkers. This is a stubborn disease to conquer, but Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy does it. It is mild, soothing and antiseptic, unlike snuffs that irritate, or solutions that burn. It corrects offensive breath, and restores taste, smell and hearing. Nasal catarrh often ends in consumption. Apply the only cure in time. Price 50 cents, by all druggists.

A Cure For Constipation and Headache

Dr. Silas Lane while in the Rocky Mountains discovered a root that when combined with other herbs makes an easy and certain cure for constipation. It is in the form of dry roots and leaves, and is known as Lane's Family Medicine. It I cure sick headache in one night, For he blood, liver and kidneys, and for clearing up the complexion it does wonders. Druggists sell it at 50 cents a package

Clear Havana Cigars

"La Cadena" and "La Flora." Insist upon having these brands.

William A. Lehr

of Kendallville, Ind., says Hood's Hood's Sarsaparilla is

King of Medicines

And His Cure Was

Almost a Miracle

C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

"Gentlemen: When I was 14 years of age I was confined to my bed for several months by an attack of rheumatism, and when I had partially recovered I did not have the use of my legs, so that I had to go on crutches. About a year later, **Scrofula**, in the form of

White Swellings,

appeared on various parts of my body, and for eleven years I was an invalid, being **confined to my bed six years.** In that time ten or eleven of these sores appeared and broke, causing me great pain and suffering. Several times pieces of bone worked out of the sores. Physicians did not help me and

I Became Discouraged

"I went to Chicago to visit a sister, as it was thought a change of air and scene might do me good. But I was confined to my bed most of the time. I was so impressed with the success of Hood's Sarsaparilla in cases similar to mine that I decided to try it. So a bottle was bought, and to my great gratification the sores soon decreased, and I began to feel better. This strengthened my faith in the medicine, and in a short time I was

Up and Out of Doors

To make a long story short, I continued to take Hood's Sarsaparilla for a year, when I had become so fully released from the chains of disease that I took a position with the Flint & Walling Mfg. Co., and since that time have not lost a single day on account of sickness. I always feel well good spirits and have a good appetite. I endorse

Hood's Sarsaparilla

for it has been a great blessing to me, and to my friends my recovery seems almost miraculous. I think Hood's Sarsaparilla is the king of all medicines." WILLIAM A. LEHR, No. 9 North Railroad st., Kendallville, Ind.

Hood's Pills cure Billiousness.

What She Said

Mrs. R. Peck, 15th street, New York City, visited Canada year, and had the good fortune to pick up something which not only suited her, but her neighbors also. Writing the manufacture of Nerviline she says:—"I bought three bottles of Nerviline while in Canada and treated my neighbors to some of it, and all think it the best medicine for internal or external pain they have ever used." Nerviline deserves such commendation, for it is a most powerful, penetrating, and certain remedy for pain of all kinds. Take no substitute

How to save money is a problem that interests everybody. One way to do it is to invigorate the system with Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Being a highly concentrated blood medicine, it is the most powerful and economical. It is sold for a dollar a bottle, but worth five.

JAS. A. CONGER

There will be a MERRY CHRISTMAS at your House if you buy your GIFTS at

JAS. A. CONGER.

In Lamps we lead, both in Price, Assortment and Design.

XMAS PRESENTS

Ought to interest you. Can't we help you to select one ? Our preparations are such that we can most certainly interest you. We have all the novelties that experience and money can select for the holiday season. We are showing a toute ensemble of all the very latest novelties. In Ties, Initial Handkerchiefs Braces, Umbrellas, Cost Scarfs, Wool and Silk Cuffs, Shirts, Collars and Cuffs, Linen Handkerchies, Hem-stitch Handkerchiefs and all goods warranted first-class and at the lowest prices. Come and see us.

A. E. FISH & CO.

FAIRYLAND

At last we are ready with Fairyland.

You remember our Fairyland of last year—the sensation of the Christmas season in Belleville.

Happy buyers of Christmas presents thronged our place from morning till night and the hum of busy holiday life was good to hear.

Why ! You knew why then, but perhaps you've forgotten by this time, and pardon us if we remind you of the secret of our Christmas boom.

Listen !——every article bought for our holiday trade is USEFUL, not only beautiful but USEFUL.

Dull times make people careful in their Christmas buying. Money is spent now-a-days with a view to utility, and our goods are for practical use—not merely for ornament—and that's our secret. DID YOU THINK OF THIS ?

Persian Silver Goods our hobby this year.

C. B. SCANTLEBURY,

SPANISH NERVINE

THE GREAT SPANISH REMEDY, Easily, quickly and permanently restores Weakness, Nervousness and Lost Manhood. A GUARANTEED specific for Fits and Neuralgia Hysteria, Dizziness, Convulsions, Nervous Prostration caused by the use of Tobacco or Alcohol, Loss of Power in either Sex, Involuntary Losses, caused by over-indulgence. We guarantee six boxes to cure any case or refund the money. $ a box, 6 boxes for $5 Address U. S. Agents SPANISH MEDICINE Co. DETROIT, Mich. Sold by all reliable Druggists. S. A. BROWN & CO., Agents for Canada, Windsor, Ont.

OUR SALES

Of lamps and silver on Saturday was the largest in our experience. We'll keep it up until spring. FROM THIS ON we'll add to them at slaughter prices Dinner Sets, Tea and Bedroom Sets. They must go and its as well to understand first as last that we are determined to get right under all others in prices, quality and style, and that's all the buying public want. FROM TO-DAY forward see us about your dishes, lamps and silver before you buy.

W. J. REID & CO,

Crystal Hall - - - Rous' Old Stand

Smashed Into Smithereens

And bursted are the Bubbles Thrown out to Gull the Public.

GOUGH, the Terror to High Priced Clothiers on the Trail

Of tottering houses that require money. We captured a wholesale stock of clothing at 65c on the dollar, and now the prices of six weeks ago are all split to splinters.

MEASURES FOR THE MEN.

READ our Champion Offer and don't try to Duplicate it for it can't be done.

We offer a Man's Overcoat for $3.90 that cost $4.78 wholesale. We offer splendid fitting Suits and in 150 different patterns at $6.00 usually worth $8.75 wholesale. This suit if sold in the regular way would bring $11.00 and $12. Our great big Xmas box for the buyer consists of 900 overcoats, ranging in price $17, $16 and $14. Your choice for $10. The cloth alone is worth more than we ask for the whole overcoat complete.

Look them all through, and then come to us and if we fail to convince the most sceptical that our stock is not at least 5 times larger, and our prices are 50 per cent. lower than those of other dealers, we will give a whole outfit free.

BOUNCING BARGAINS FOR THE BOY

Childs Suits for $1.50 all wool.
" Overcoats with capeau $3.75 worth $6.
Youths suits $3.75 all wool worth $7.
" $5.00 " " worth $9.
" Overcoats from $3 up.

Don't buy until you see our stock. Polite attention whether you buy or not,

SLEDS FREE !

Remember boys, with every suit or overcoat you buy from us, no matter what the price, we give you a beautiful sled free. We can be imitated but never approached. Again we say look them all through and then come to us and be convinced.

GOUGH THE BIG CLOTHIER

354 Front Street, Belleville.

Associated Stores : Toronto, Brantford, Peterboro, Orillia, Lindsay and Kingston

N. B.—We have just placed in stock of our own special make 150 suits, for men and young men's wear, in twelve different patterns. These goods are a square cut sack, are all tailor made with raised seams and would cost you from $18.00 to $26 if you left your measure for them. Our price is $10 and $12

WHITE LILLY
Brand of PASTRY FLOUR is unexcelled at the Price.
ASK YOUR GROCER FOR IT.
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The Daily Ontario.

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THE GROCER.

THIS MATTER CHANGED DAILY
Tuesday Dec. 13th.
CROSS
Some people are born cross, live cross, and die cross. Every one of course loves them. It is so nice to hear their everlasting snarling and growling and fault finding. Now, if you have a friend thus delightfully afflicted, we can cure him if you want him cured. Perhaps it's a 'lady' but no matter, bring them along and we'll just banish all their crossness and send them away so good natured you could borrow a quarter from them. How do we do it? Why, just tell them the prices of our goods and THAT does it.
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FOR
XMAS!
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TRAVELLING SETS,
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I have a few Ladies' Russian Circulars in full length and 3-4 lengths that I will sell very cheap.
Musk Ox Robes, the finest quality and darkest colors ever shown in the city.
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Furs of all kinds Made to Order.
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Musk Ox Robes Extra Fine Quality.
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For a nice Christmas Present call and see my stock.
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The Leading Hatter and Furrier.
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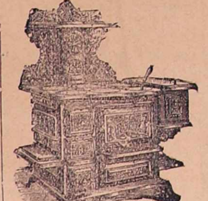
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HOW OLD ARE YOU?
Are you 5 years old? If so, I have 25 patterns in Suits.

6	Years Old	27	Patterns
7	"	20	"
8	"	24	"
9	"	7	"
10	"	2	"

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Our endeavors to make the Fair headquarters for Christmas supplies is more marked this fall than at any other previous time. Our store though large, is not sufficient to accommodate the great crowds at Christmas times. We would therefore urge you to make your selections now while the stock is complete and avoid the crush at Christmas time. We have just received 100 cases of foreign goods, such as albums, dolls, tooth brushes, hair brushes, purses fancy china cups and saucers, vases, jewelery, handsome lemonade sets, glass tea sets beautifully engraved, our assortment of American glassware must be seen to be appreciated. Never have we peen able to offer such bargains in albums, ladies workboxes, jewel cases, perfume cases shaving cases, brush and comb cases. Game from 5c up, playing cards from 5c up, beautiful whisk holders, all the latest styles from 49c up. We have something new in dolls, cradles childrens extension tables, sets of furniture, toy picture books, pansy books, magic lanterns 49c up steam engine, skates, doll carriages, childrens sleds and cutters, strong and durable at lowest prices, novels by the best authors 10c worth 35c pocket knives and table cutlery an endless variety to choose from, But perhaps one of the greatest drives is a special line of extra quality writing paper 5 quires (120 sheets) for 17c. We will not attempt to enumerate further, but would invite you to call at Dalton's Fair before purchasing where you can buy good goods at less than bankrupt prices.

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FRUITS
Finest Table Raisins
FINEST LOOSE BLUE MUSCATEL RAISINS
FINE LAYER VALENCIA RAISINS
VALENCIA RAISINS
MEW VOSTIZZA CURRANTS
NEW PATRAS CURRANTS
Fresh Citron Peel
Fresh Lemon Peel
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Shelled Almonds,
Pure Ground Spice s
Cooking Wine
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If you desire a transparent CLEAR, FRESH complexion FREE from blotch, blemish roughness, coarseness or pimples, use
Old Dr. Gordon's
PEARLS OF HEALTH.
They cure all Suppressions and Irregularities, and Make Women Regular.
They create New Rich Red Blood, which mantles the cheeks.
Wasting Discharges Cease. The Breath becomes Sweet and Healthful. Nervous Prostration Vanishes. Eyes Bright and Strong Spirits Buoyant. The Skin Clear, and the former Nervous Prostrated Woman becomes A New Being.
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A NICELY FURNISHED BED ROOM

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To the Electors of the City of Belleville:
LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:
I respectfully solicit your votes and influence for Mayor of the City of Belleville for 1893, I was born in Belleville and have lived here all my life, and am personally known to most of you.
I have been an alderman in the City Council for four years and during that time have endeavored to represent you straightforwardly and faithfully My platform is "Economy" in city affairs. If elected I will exert myself to further the best interests o the city.
Yours respectfully,
Francis S. Wallbridge.

SEALED TENDERS.
Are asked for by the Belleville Natural Gass and Oil Co. for their flowing Mineral Well on the Ponton Property, West Belleville. This Well has valuable Medicinal qualities with a flow of thousands of gallons daily and is admirably situated for the purposes of a Senatarium. Tenders will be received up to 2nd January, inclusive, addressed to the Secretary, by whom full information will be given.
GEO. H. POPE, Secretary. tutstjl
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E. HARRISON
Intends giving up Business on account of failing health, and will on
Thursday, Friday and Saturday next
Offer his whole stock of Christmas Goods, Books, Stationery and Music etc., at a
SPECIAL - REDUCTION
OF 33 1-3 PER CENT
NOTHING RESERVED

WANTED.
Nurse Girl, at once. Apply to MRS. GOUGH, cor. Bridge and Charles Streets.

Notice.
All accounts due the late John R. Brown must be paid to Geo. R. Brown, merchant tailor, before 1st January to save costs.

MAYORALTY.
Ladies and Gentlemen.
Having been requested by a large number of influential electors of the City of Belleville, to offer myself for Mayor for 1893, I have consented to do so and now respectfully solicit your votes and influence.
HARRY FOWELL.

WE INVITE
You to come and take a look through our store, during the next 2 weeks. What would Christmas be without some of Dickens' choice candies? We have a selection to choose from this year that surpasses anything ever attempted by us heretofore.
Cadbury's Chocolate English,
Rowntrees " "
Buttercups, Chocolate
Italian Cream Mixture,
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Burnt Almonds, Chocolate Almonds, Walnut Gems, Bumby, Choice Bon Bons
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is the latest triumph in pharmacy for the cure of all the symptoms indicating KIDNEY AND LIVER Complaint. If you are troubled with Costiveness, Dizziness, Sour Stomach,
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Headache, Indigestion, Poor Appetite, Tired Feeling, Rheumatic Pains; Sleepless Nights, Melancholy Feeling, Back Ache, Membray's Kidney and Liver Cure
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BULLET IS NOT LOCATED.

A P. O. CLERK SHOOTS A BUCKLE INTO HIS BODY.

James Pope, Aged 24, in a Critical Condition at the Hospital, as the Result of a Revolver Shot, Which Carried a Suspender Buckle in With It.

TORONTO, Dec 13.—James A. Pope, post office clerk, shot himself with a revolver at 5.50 p.m. yesterday. He has been living with his father, James Pope, who keeps a flour and feed store at 307 Davenport-road. He went into the bedroom, where his mother lay ill and began searching in a drawer in the dresser. His mother, knowing that a loaded 38-calibre American bulldog revolver was in that drawer, asked him what he wanted, and receiving no answer began to scream. This brought the servant girl upstairs, and at the same moment young Pope ran into the hall, pointed the weapon toward his left breast and fired. The bullet struck the metal buckle on his suspender and carried a portion of the buckle into his body.

Drs. Henwood, H. H. Wright and Johnson were soon in attendance. Dr. Johnson succeeded in removing the portion of the buckle, but the bullet could not be located.

The wound was situated a little more than an inch below the left nipple and was an inch and a half long, opening into the pleural cavity. There was a good deal of bleeding and at every breath air rushed in through the wound. The doctors were unable to come to definite conclusions as to the direction of the bullet, owing to the extreme danger of probing. Appearances showed, however, that the sixth rib was shattered and the ball was still in the body.

The wounded man was conscious and talked with the doctors, but did not admit that he attempted to take his life. The father was also reticent on that point, and when questioned by the physicians simply said, "You know Jim was always a queer tempered lad.

On the advice of Dr. Johnson the wounded man was at once removed to the Hospital, where he lies in a precarious condition.

James Pope is 24 years of age and a regular attendant at the Presbyterian mission in Davenport-road. He also taught a Sunday school class there. For the past four years he has been engaged as city letter carrier until five months ago, when his diligence obtained his promotion to the position of postoffice clerk.

WANTS WESTERN JUSTICE.

Hamilton Is Troubled With An Impudent Gang of Horse Thieves.

HAMILTON, Dec. 13.—About a year ago Manus McGowan of Dundurn-street had a horse stolen out of his stable, and he never got any trace of the lost animal since it was stolen.

Last Thursday night the door of his stable was again tampered with, but the thieves did not succeed in getting in this time.

Last Monday night a horse belonging to S. S. King, corner of York and Dundurn-streets, was stolen, the thieves having entered the stable during the night and taken the animal away.

Up to the present time Mr. King has not heard anything of it. Last night the stable of William Burwell, at the end of York-street, was visited. The thieves didn't get in, but they left behind them an evidence of their visit in the form of a bundle of hay.

Two or three other stables in the neighborhood have been visited at night within the past week or two, and horse owners are thinking of organizing a mutual protection association.

WHO WILL HAVE $1,500?

Or Will It Revert to the Crown?—Wanted, Relatives of John Dunn.

TORONTO, Dec. 13.—John Dunn of the township of Thorold, in the county of Welland, died in April, 1890, intestate, unmarried and without heirs or next of kin, leaving real estate worth $1200 and personalty worth $300. It is believed that he was born in Roscrea, Tipperary, Ireland, that he went to the States in 1854 and came to Canada in 1873. Advertisements have been put in different papers, but though some claimants have appeared none could prove relationship. The Attorney-General is applying to the court to-day under chap. 59 of R.S.O. to have it declared whether the Crown is entitled to the estate after payment of the deceased's debts.

THAT SUICIDE.

The Jury Agree That Teenie Henderson Died from Exposure.

HAMILTON, Dec. 13.—An inquest was held at the Plains school house on Saturday evening by Dr. McGregor on the death of the young woman, Teenie Henderson, who was found dead. The jury elected John Easterbrook foreman, and after viewing the body, proceeded to take the evidence.

Alexander Henderson, the girl's mother, and Patrick Haggarty and Charles Shears, who assisted in bringing the body to the house, and several other witnesses were examined.

The girl's friends said she had only been insane about three months. Dr. Malloch gave medical testimony as to the condition of the body and the jury brought in a verdict of death from exposure. The body of the unfortunate girl will be buried to-day.

APPLE PILFERERS.

Shut Up in a Dark Cellar and Made to Grind Coffee.

MONTREAL, Dec. 13.—For some time past a grocery firm in Catherine-street west has been bothered by boys pilfering apples from the barrels in front of the store. One evening last week they succeeded in capturing three of the juvenile depredators, all stealing fruit, and instead of handing them over to the police, locked them up in a dark room in the cellar.

From this the boys were taken out one at a time and compelled to grind coffee until they were thoroughly exhausted. When they were finally released they made complaint to their families, who claim that the grocers had no right to take the law into their own hands, and say they will take action against them in the courts.

LIGHTNING ROD AGENT

Taken to Milton On a Charge of Defrauding a Farmer.

TORONTO, Dec. 13.—J. W. Rynall, 41 Wellesley-street, was arrested here Saturday as the result of a telegram from Milton claiming that he had defrauded a farmer there in a lightning-rod deal.

Rynall was taken to Milton yesterday and was remanded by Mayor Dice until Wednesday.

The complainant, Mr. Ramar, a farmer living near Milton, states that Rynall called on him, and saying that his son had purchased some lightning-rods from him, placed them in position and induced him to sign notes to cover the amount of purchase.

Young Ramar, on his return home, denied any knowledge of the transaction; hence the lightning-rod agent's apprehension.

Manitoba Pioneer Dead.

WINNIPEG, Dec. 13.—Judge Lemair, who has been county court clerk for many years and who is known as one of the pioneers of Manitoba, having built the first flour mill here died at St. Boniface

A DANGEROUS COURSE.

To Travel It Is To Run Against Hard Presbyterian Facts.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 13.—The Cincinnati Presbytery, in secret session, voted late Monday afternoon upon the second and third charges against Prof. Smither, Lane Theological Seminary, and he was found guilty of both charges.

The second charge was that he taught contrary to the fundamental doctrine of the Word of God and of the confession of faith, that the Holy Spirit did not so control the inspired watchers in their composition of the Holy Scriptures as to make their utterances absolutely truthful, i.e., free from error when interpreted in their natural and intended sense.

The third charge accused him of teaching an inscription of the Scriptures in a sense different from that taught by the Scriptures themselves and by the confession of faith.

These two charges were so nearly alike that it is said that the court argued them together.

The final vote is reported to be: Charge second, guilty, 36; not guilty, 20. Charge third, guilty, 32; not guilty, 26.

A committee was appointed to consider and report the penalty for the action of the Presbytery at their meeting to-morrow.

In view of the close vote it's surmised that the penalty of excommunication will not be recommended, and possibly not even more than admonition, as the committee is made up to include several supporters of accused.

MR. GLADSTONE

May Be Invited to Be the Orator at the World's Fair.

CHICAGO, Dec. 13.—William Ewart Gladstone, the Grand Old Man of England, may be the orator at the opening of the World's Columbian Exhibition, May 1. Mr. Gladstone's name has been seriously considered by the Ceremonies Committee, and Secretary Culp believes the committee can secure him.

Some weeks ago the name of Emilio Castlebar was prominently mentioned. That a Spaniard and so eminent an orator as Castlebar should be chosen seemed eminently acceptable, but it was found that when it came to speaking English he was at a disadvantage.

BORDER WAR.

The Notorious Garza Makes It Hot For Mexico's Troops.

LAREDO, Texas, Dec. 13.—Further particulars of the battle between Garza's followers and the Mexican troops near St. Ignacio are to the effect that a band of 300 followers of Garza crossed the Rio Grande boundary at the Mexican barracks just over the border in Mexico.

The Mexican troopers came out and at the first fire several were killed and the soldiers were driven back. The revolutionists captured the barracks with its guns and supplies.

After stripping it entirely, the place was burned and all the soldiers dispersed, and the revolutionists then returned to the American side of the Rio Grande.

Uncle Sam's men are now hurrying through the Masquitt to head off the returning insurgents. A courier from west of here says Garza can get 8000 men together at a call. President Diaz has ordered Mexican troops massed at the border.

A MARRIAGE THAT FAILED.

Mrs. Gibbs Wishes To Have the Custody of Her Children.

TORONTO, Dec. 13.—Charles T. Gibbs, assistant accountant of the Senate of Canada, was married to Caroline Thompson at Christ Church, Ottawa, in September, 1877. As issue of the marriage two daughters were born, Lilian May in 1878 and Florence Ethel in 1880. The marriage was a failure, and in 1887 the wife left her husband's home, taking the children with her. She has resided in Ottawa since with the children, but has refused to have anything to do with her husband, having received some money from the estate of her father, the late Philip Thompson. She is now about to remove to Boston, and as she proposes taking the children with her Mr. Gibbs yesterday made application to Mr. Justice MacMahon, who made an order for the issue of a writ of habeas corpus. The motion for the custody of the children will be argued on Friday next.

MURDER IN THE AIR.

One Man Killed and Three Others Wounded in Georgia.

SPARTA, Ga., Dec. 13.—A shooting affair occurred on the street yesterday afternoon.

Dr. Gilmore, who wrote third party political letters, was killed

"Dude" West, a member of the Legislature, was shot in the arm.

Edward Brown, assistant marshal, shot in the hand.

Bart Ames, shot in the groin.

Gilmore's sons were engaged in the shooting.

D'Alton McCarthy's Grandson Killed.

PORT HOPE, Ont., Dec. 12. — Mr. D'Alton McCarthy was summoned here to-day, owing to the death of his grandson, Philip Pepler, the 10-year-old son of F. E. P. Pepler of Barrie. Young Pepler, who was attending Trinity College School, was playing in the gymnasium a week ago last Saturday, when he fell down the well of the stairs, striking on his feet, the concussion breaking the base of the skull. The best medical aid was secured, but without avail. His mother, who is a niece of Lady Macdonald and a step-daughter of Mr. D'Alton McCarthy, was sent for and has been in constant attendance.

Employers Win the Fight.

NEW ORLEANS, La., Dec. 13.—The fight between labor and capital in New Orleans was to a finish and the victory of the employers is becoming more sweeping every day.

The Amalgamated Council which conducted the general strike is so weakened that it will hardly survive its defeat.

The Knights of Labor withdrew early in the fight and refused to countenance the general strike, leaving the bodies belonging to the American Federation of Labor alone in their glory. Now these are deserting the Council.

After the Wily Indian Kid.

PHŒNIX, Ariz., Dec. 13.—Lieut. Wallace, with three non-commissioned officers, 15 privates, six scouts and Indian trailers, has left Fort Bowie in pursuit of the Apache renegade, Kid.

A treaty with Mexico, permitting United States soldiers to cross the frontier, has been renewed. This concession, with the liberal reward offered by the territory for Kid and eight of his principal followers makes it likely that the wily Indian will be captured.

Gold For Austria.

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—It is stated the gold to be exported to-morrow is all for Austria, where a premium

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HALTON COUNTY CONT PECULIAR CASE

The Wife of a Farmer Confess Has Been Attaching Her Name To Notes For Years Knowledge.

MILTON, Ont., Dec. 13.—Halt and particularly the town and adjoining township of is just now discussing one of peculiar cases which has ever cr Canada.

Ever since Landlord Robson mercial Hotel, Milton, died, his Robson, who is now 23 years of a living the life of a high roller. years he was employed as offic clerk for Barrister Duncan McG year ago Mr. McGibbon discov there was a leakage in the funds of —that remittances from clients been forwarded in registered le by money orders had not be ed to the senders. The fact shortage was never made public son was allowed to "sever his c with the office, and, it is claimed, make restitution. This was a Shortly afterwards Robson opene in the town hall and issued this car

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For several months past he has be high, playing billiards and indulging extravagances. The culmination a few days ago, when he was arreste information lodged by Robert J. C farmer of Trafalgar, on a charge o on Dec. 1 uttered and sold a promiss for $300, dated at Milton on Dec. 1, to the complainant and purportin signed by John Dixon, a well-known gar farmer, and Matilda Dixon, his w

On Nov. 29 Campbell called at R office and asked him if he had any sell. Robson said he had one fo made by Mrs. Dixon, and arrange Campbell should again visit the defe office on Thursday. Campbell w Milton as agreed, and Robson prod note for $300 purporting to be signed Dixons. Campbell went to the bank the $300 and was given the note. He t that the signature "R. A. Dixon" look like a man's writing and he asked I if he saw the note signed. He replied: I saw them sign it in the office." Ca was still dubious, however, and on th home called on a Mr. McClellan, wh sessed a note signed by Dixon, and com the signatures. He thought they di and, returning to Milton, he saw Robso told him that if McClellan's note was ge the other was a forgery. Robson r that there was no doubt about the note genuine, as Mrs. Dixon had given it to Campbell still doubted the genuineness note, whereupon Robson asked him to w few days and he would see Mrs. Dixo make it all right.

Campbell saw Dixon, however, an stated that the signature was not his was that of his wife her writing. Rob arrest followed.

When arraigned Robson denied tha had forged the note, and claimed that it been given him by Mrs. Dixon, and he a that a warrant be issued for her arrest, his application was refused.

With the arrest of Robson a new p was given to the case. When Dixon placed in the witness box he swore that never signed any notes in conjunction w his wife for money borrowed or otherw and that he never gave his consent to wife to sign notes on her own account.

This statement caused a sensation, fo was known that Mrs. Dixon had negotia at least half a score of notes purporting to signed by her husband during the past six seven years, and totalling in value $2000 $3000.

Mrs. Dixon was called as a witness a admitted that she had been in the habit borrowing money for several years in su of $200 and $300 on notes signed by hers and husband. She handled nearly all them personally. She admitted that a no for $200 in the possession of John Sproat w made by her, and claimed that she signe her husband's name to it by his authorit He had not given her authority to sign not for him whenever she liked. She decline on the ground that it might incriminate he to say whether Hugh Campbell, Mayor Dic James Henderson, John Jones, Dr. Stuar and Henry Carrique had notes purporting t bear her husband's signature, but which sig nature was made by her, and also decline for the same reason to say whether there ar 15 or 20 notes floating around the county.

What Mrs. Dixon, who is 55 years of age did with the money she borrowed i not in evidence. It is rumored tha she dabbled in Mimico real estat seven years ago, and issued the first note at that time. As the notes became due she is sued others to raise funds to retire the first and by this system of financing kept the knowledge of the existence of the floating paper from her husband. Dixon is a wealthy farmer and his wife had no difficulty in getting the notes cashed. She always gave a plausible reason why she it was who presented it, her husband was busy in the harvest field, or he was engaged elsewhere. Two daughters have been married recently and "we want some ready cash for the wedding" explained the reason for the loan on a couple of occasions.

This was but a subterfuge, however, as Dixon states he paid all the wedding expenses himself. Whether her mistaken action was the outcome of real estate speculation or not it is certain she had frequent occasion to visit Toronto. It is believed that all the notes have been accounted for and that the total sum which Mr. Dixon will have to pay as the result of his wife's kite-flying experiment will not exceed $3000.

Two of the notes, those held by Henderson and Jones, were negotiated through Robson, but Mrs. Dixon swears that she never had a transaction with the accused since, giving as a reason why she failed to go to him again that he failed to hand over all the cash he received as the proceeds of the former notes.

Robson will be tried before Judge Kingsmill on Friday. His defence is that he received the Campbell notes from Mrs. Dixon in the same way that he received the other notes; that if there was forgery committed Mrs. Dixon must have committed the forgery. He admits that the money he received from discounting the note he did not pay to Mrs. Dixon, but still retains.

On the other hand, Mrs. Dixon swears that she did not sign the note, that she was not in Robson's office on the day he told Campbell she called, that in fact she had no relations with him whatever for several months.

There is another point of evidence to which the prosecution attach considerable importance. Expert evidence will be called to prove that the signatures on the notes acknowledged by Mrs. Dixon differ materially from those on the Campbell note discounted by Robson, the formation of the capital letter "D" and the "x" being totally dissimilar.

The prosecution also advance the theory that Robson, from previous dealings with Mrs. Dixon, knew that she was signing notes without her husband's knowledge, and that being hard pressed by some of his creditors he floated one on his own account. Theories are not evidence, however, and the prisoner's counsel, Mr. Elliott, is satisfied that the result of the trial will be the acquittal of his client.

Robson's widowed mother and her family are much respected in the village, and it is hoped that he will be able to emerge with flying colors from the net in the meshes of which he is entangled.

Meantime Mr. Dixon will take up all the notes issued by his wife as they mature.

ONE ENJOYS

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THE DAILY ONTARIO

BELLEVILLE, TUESDAY, DEC. 13th

IMPORTANT TO ADVERTISERS

The ONTARIO has the Largest bona-fide Circulation of any Paper in the Midland District.

THOMPSON AS A PURIST.

Discussing the causes of the growth of sentiment in western Ontario in favor of political union the Evening Journal intimates that the natural love of Canadians for their native land has been destroyed by gerrymanders, bribery of constituencies, franchise act embarrassments, and "such recent occurrances as the vile fraud which deprived Mr. Hyman of his seat in the parliament for London—a political crime assisted by a Conservative judge—and by the emasculation of the Edgar charges." And let it be borne in mind that to all these outrages against the honor of Canada, Sir John Thompson, the new Tory leader—the would-be considered apostle of political purity—was a party. He it was who assisted Mr. Carling and Judge Elliot to steal Mr. Hyman's seat—committing what the Journal calls a political crime. He also helped Mr. Baird to steal Mr. King's seat, though one of his present colleagues, Mr. Patterson, denounced the steal as a gross outrage and voted against it. It was Sir John Thompson who whitewashed Messrs. Cochrane, Haggart, Langevin and Caron. He likewise promised to whitewash Mr. Rykert, but flunked when the time came for carrying out his contract. That Mr. Rykert has clearly proved. And yet there are people who affect to believe that this Pecksniff is going to clean out the Augean stable of Dominion politics.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Mr. Bowell's elevation to the Senate is not regarded by his friends as a promotion in the fullest sense of the word. The St. John Sun observes that it can hardly be at his own request that the new Minister of Trade and Commerce takes a seat in the Senate. He is inclined to impetuosity, and consequently a position that requires the soft answers that turn away wrath is not the one he would choose. He is as full of fight as a terrier, says the Sun, but the leader of the Senate should possess a grave and judicial manner. There are two explanations of Mr. Bowell's elevation, either of which may be correct. One is that last session the Senate showed that it had some fighting material in it, and Mr. Bowell may be needed there to silence Col. Boulton. The other is that the Senate is one of the means of graceful exit from the Cabinet. Under the new system Ministers begin by holding a portfolio without a seat in the Privy Council. In the next stage of development they hold both. Then they pass on to a seat in the Cabinet without a portfolio, and when they pass through the back door of the Privy Council the Senate is ready to receive them.

The following is the platform adopted by the Young Liberals' Club in Stratford, Perth county:

Freedom to trade with foreigners as well as fellow-citizens, is the birthright of every citizen of a free state, and the existing infringements upon such rights should cease; therefore, this Association, to attain such an end, will hail with delight all measures:

1. For the reduction of the present extravagant national expenditure.
2. For the increase of taxation upon intoxicating liquors and other luxuries.
3. For the immediate reduction of and ultimate extinction of tariff dues upon all goods of British production, not being such liquors or luxuries.
4. For the like reduction and extinction of tariff dues in favor of any country extending to us the like privilege.
5. And for so amending our fiscal system as to render this trade programme practicable, not shrinking from the substitution of so much direct or indirect taxation as may be found needful to accomplish it safely.

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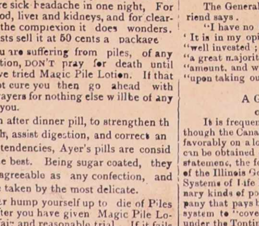
After a lapse of seven years the following letter explains itself: Toronto, Ont., April 17, 1887. "I would state that your remedy, St. Jacob's Oil, had the desired effect of curing me effectually of rhematism, with which I suffered in 1880. I have never had any return of the pain which I endured for months previous. It affords me great pleasure to say I have recommended it to a number of friends. Too much praise cannot be devoted to its healing qualities." J. ABRAHAM, Passenger Agent, 51 York St. Hundreds certify that once cured, the cure is permanent.



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If you are suffering from piles, of any description, DON'T pray for death until you have tried Magic Pile Lotion. If that does not cure you then go ahead with your prayers for nothing else will be of any use to you.

As an after dinner pill, to strengthen the stomach, assist digestion, and correct an bilious tendencies, Ayer's pills are considered the best. Being sugar coated, they are as agreeable as any confection, and may be taken by the most delicate.

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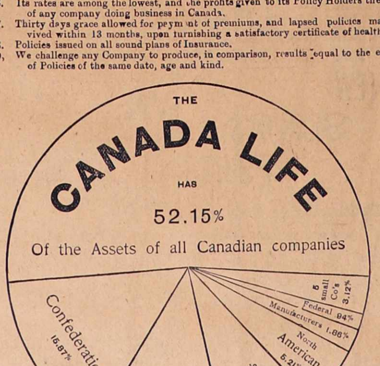

A BANK MANAGER'S OPINION.

The General Manager of one of the leading banks in Canada, writing to a personal friend says.

"I have no hesitation in saying that I place the Canada Life upon the highest platform. It is in my opinion carefully, economically and honestly managed; its reserve funds are "well invested; its rates of premiums are low, and its future is I think better assured than "a great majority of Companies. I have my own life insured in the Company for a round "amount, and would not hesitate to increase the amount of my policies should I decide "upon taking out further insurance.

A GOVERNMENT INSURANCE ACTUARY'S OPINION

ON THE RELATION BETWEEN ORDINARY AND TONTINE SURPLUS.

It is frequently asserted by Companies whose business is nearly all Tontined, that though the Canada Life may and does pay large ordinary profits, yet it cannot compare favorably on a long term distribution or tontine period, and that in the end better results can be obtained on a Tontine policy in the Canada Life. To prove the absurdity of this statement, the following piece of common sense is quoted from Mervin Tabor, late Actuary of the Illinois Government Insurance Department. In his well known book "The Three Systems of Life Insurance," he says: "A company that gives large dividends on the ordinary kinds of policies, can give much larger on the same kinds when Tontined, and a company that pays but meagre dividends on the usual forms, adopting perhaps the Tontine system to "cover up" its small surpluses, cannot be relied on for large returns of surplus under the Tontine Forms of Insurance."

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GLADSTONE'S PORTRAIT.

The Unveiling Celebrated By a Banquet—Edward's Blake's Speech.

LONDON, Dec. 12.—Lord Rosebery presided at the banquet of the National Liberal Club this evening, held to celebrate the unveiling of the Gladstone portrait, done by the Canadian artist Forbes.

The Hon. Edward Blake, Nationalist M.P. for South Longford, made the speech of presentation. It was an eloquent eulogium of the Premier. Canadian Liberals regard Mr. Gladstone as the foremost of living men, Mr. Blake said, and believed that they understood his high aims and clear methods. They themselves knew the blessings of Home Rule and, therefore, had been most strongly attached to Mr. Gladstone by his efforts to solve the Irish problem. Mr. Blake elicited repeated applause from his hearers, and sat down amid a storm of cheers.

Lord Rosebery prefaced his reply with flattering remarks as to Mr. Blake's "noble speech," compared with which, he said, his own address would "shine as a farthing rushlight."

Proceeding, Lord Rosebery spoke of the presentation as a strictly imperial event. He had often been taunted with a lack of sympathy with the Home Rule ambitions of those parts of the empire outside of Great Britain. He hoped that the feeling developed by the Canadian Liberals in sending the picture would spread so far and wide that the taunt would be deprived of all its malice.

He wished to see the bonds uniting the Empire drawn more tightly. All present rejoiced that Canadian and Australian interests had been brought forward more conspicuously of late in English life.

Mr. Blake, the most brilliant orator and one of the most capable statesmen produced by Canada in this generation, was evidence of the maturing unity of interests in the Empire.

In mentioning Mr. Gladstone, Lord Rosebery spoke of the sympathy and courage of the Premier, and likened the situation of the Government with that of Marie Antoinette in her first accouchement, when the courtiers nearly suffocated her in their eagerness to see her first born.

THE YELLOW METAL.

Germany is on Record as an Opponent of Bi-Metallism.

BERLIN, Dec. 12.—In the Reichstag today Count Von Miccabash asked the Government to assist the bi-metallists at the monetary conference at Brussels.

Chancellor Von Caprivi replied that the German delegates to the conference had been instructed not to give their assent to any proposal that restricted Germany's right to decide what should constitute her own currency. They had also been instructed to declare that Germany was content with her present system and would not depart from it. The Chancellor concluded his remarks by declaring Germany would continue to adhere to the gold standard.

HOSMER AND BUBEAR.

To Row a Match In England Jan. 30 For £400 and a Cup.

LONDON, Dec. 13.—Bubear and Hosmer have signed articles for a match on the Thames to come off Jan. 30, the match to be for £400 and The Sportsman challenge cup, value £200.

A POET GONE INSANE.

He Received £200 for Writing the Best Ode on Tennyson.

LONDON, Dec. 12.—The poet William Watson, who was recently granted £200 from the Royal Bounty Fund for writing the best ode on Tennyson, has become violently insane and has been placed in an asylum.

Against English Settlers.

CARACCAS, Dec. 13.—Gen. Belancourt Sucre has been named Venezuela's High Commissioner and ex-officio governor of the districts which have long been in virtual possession of English colonists from British Guinea.

He will lead an expedition charged with preventing further encroachments and to especially forbid English settlers from entering the country along the Orinoco west of the mouth of the Amacuno, pending the arrangements of the boundary dispute.

A Usurper Flees.

CALCUTTA, Dec. 13.—It is reported that the Nizimul-Mulk, brother of Afzulul-Mulk, the reigning sovereign of Chitral, who was murdered with his younger brother in November last by Sherafzul Khan, his uncle, who afterwards usurped the throne, has defeated the forces of Sherafzul Khan and captured Chitral. The usurper is said to have fled the country.

W. H. Cross, M.P., Dead.

LONDON, Dec. 13.—W. H. Cross, M.P., is dead. Mr. Cross was the eldest son of Viscount Cross, G.C.B., and was born in 1856 in Cheshire. He was a barrister, and had sat as a Conservative for the West Derby Division since August, 1888.

A Ruffian Declared Insane.

LONDON, Dec. 13.—Leonard Mantklow, who in August last murderously assaulted Hilda Wood, niece of Mr. Goschen, ex-Chancellor of the Exchequer, and Edith Philbrick, daughter of a well-known lawyer, has been declared insane.

"August Flower"

Dyspepsia. There is a gentleman at Malden-on-the-Hudson, N. Y., named Captain A. G. Pareis, who has written us a letter in which it is evident that he has made up his mind concerning some things, and this is what he says:

"I have used your preparation called August Flower in my family for seven or eight years. It is constantly in my house, and we consider it the best remedy for Indigestion, and Constipation we **Indigestion.** have ever used or known. My wife is troubled with Dyspepsia, and at times suffers very much after eating. The August Flower, however, relieves the difficulty. My wife frequently says to me when I am going to town, 'We are out **Constipation** of August Flower, and I think you had better get another bottle.' I am also troubled with Indigestion, and whenever I am, I take one or two teaspoonfuls before eating, for a day or two, and all trouble is removed." ●

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Get along with you! To McKeown & Co's or D. M. Wate...

Every testimonial regarding Hood's Sarsaparilla is an honest, unpurchased statement of what this medicine actually done.

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If you have a cough, procure at once a bottle of Holden's Expectorant, put ...nd for sale at Geen's Drug store. ... old reliable cough medicine

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ST. JACOBS OIL.

In the morning I walked without pain."

NEURALGIA.—MR. JAMES BONNER, 158 Yonge St., Toronto, Ont., writes: "St. Jacobs Oil is the only remedy that relieved me of neuralgia, and it effectually cured me."

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Sick Headache and relieve all the troubles incident to a bilious state of the system, such as Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Distress after eating, Pain in the Side, &c. While their most remarkable success has been shown in curing

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AFTER A STRONG FIGHT

MANITOULIN ISLAND CAN WIRE THE MAINLAND.

The Island Line Cut Through a Dense Forest—The Revenue Cutter Constance Gone Into Winter Quarters—Dewdney's Private Secretary.

OTTAWA, Dec. 13.—Information was received here yesterday that telegraphic communication had been established between Manitoulin Island and the mainland, thus giving about 12,000 people, who have hitherto been cut off from communication with the outside world during the winter, telegraphic connection with the rest of the Dominion.

The line is from Nelson Station on the Canadian Pacific Railway to Little Current on Manitoulin Island, a distance of about 35 miles.

It has been built by the people of the island, aided by a grant of $1000 from the Dominion Government. The line in the mainland had to be cut through dense forest and has been rather expensive.

No cable is used, the wires being carried on high poles across the steamboat channel, and from a series of islands, to the mainland. It is intended to extend the line to Gore Bay and other points on Manitoulin Island.

Visited the Printing Bureau.

Hon. John Costigan, accompanied by Senator John Ferguson, paid his first visit to the Printing Bureau to-day and was shown over the building by Dr. Dawson.

The revenue cutter Constance has completed her service for the year, her last work being to bring from Gaspe Isle to Quebec the workmen who have been putting up the steam disinfector and completing the buildings there. The crew was paid off to-day and the vessel has gone into winter quarters.

Mr. E. A. Jacob, who for the past two years has been employed as assistant to Mr. George Johnson, Dominion Statistician, has been appointed private secretary to Lieutenant-Governor Dewdney and will leave for British Columbia in time to enter upon his new duties on Jan. 1.

There will be a meeting of the Treasury Board to-morrow morning, the first held since the formation of the new Ministry. All the old members of the board have been re-appointed with the exception of Hon. Mr. Chapleau, whose place has been taken by Hon. Mr. Ouimet.

POISON AT HOMESTEAD.

The Strikers Deny the Story, and Claim They Are Persecuted.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 12.—Informations are to be laid shortly against persons implicated in the alleged poisoning plot against Homestead steel workers, and sensational developments are expected.

As yet, the attorneys for the Carnegie Steel Company are reticent, as the publication came before their plans had been fully matured.

The alleged conspiracy was the principal topic of discussion here to-day. The strikers discredit the story and claim they are being persecuted, while officials of the Carnegies assert they will be able to substantiate the charges.

William H. Gaches, treasurer of the Advisory Board, denies indignantly that any member of the Advisory Board was a party to any plot to poison non-union men.

Capt. E. Y. Beck, Deputy Sheriff Farrell and William G. Lindsay left to-night for Louisville with requisition papers for Robt. Beatty, charged with being implicated in the alleged plot to poison non-union men.

To guard against any complication, a new information was laid against Beatty. It is sworn to by J. H. Ford, a Pinkerton detective, and alleges that on or about Sept. 1, and on other occasions at the bar of and thereafter, Beatty did administer, or cause to be administered and taken by William E. Griffith and others, a certain deadly poison with the intent to commit murder.

TWO MEN STABBED.

They Were Shooting Rabbits On a Farm in Southern Manitoba.

WINNIPEG, Dec. 12.—A bad stabbing affray occurred at Brombill yesterday.

Harry Vaughan crossed George Randall's farm with a gun, following a rabbit.

Randall ordered him off and went to the road allowance, where the two had words.

Vaughan threw his gun on the snow and started to fight.

Arthur Randall, a brother of George Randall, ran up and joined in the fight and broke the gun stock over Vaughan, who brought out a knife and stabbed both.

George is dead and Arthur is seriously injured. Vaughan is highly respected. Randall was of a quarrelsome disposition.

THE BANK CLERK'S CASE.

Up Before a Police Magistrate and Wants Trial by Jury.

CHATHAM, Ont., Dec. 12.—The case of Angus Pennefather, charged with stealing $8700 from the Standard Bank, was on trial yesterday. Prisoner pleaded not guilty and asked for trial by jury. The court then adjourned till to-morrow.

The Strike Spreading

ST. JOSEPH, MO., Dec. 12.—The strike of the telegraphers on the Rock Island road assumed a more serious aspect yesterday when the balance of the brotherhood men in the employ of the road left their keys.

The men claim now that they are sure to win.

Lines connecting with the Rock Island have issued orders to take no perishable freight from that road, and difficulty is experienced by the Rock Island in moving freight trains.

Blaine's Critical Condition.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—A special from Washington states that Blaine is critically ill. The impression is that he is dying.

A Serious Fall.

HAMILTON, Dec. 13.—A very serious accident occurred to a young immigrant lad employed by Mr. William Byckman of Waterdown yesterday. Mr. Byckman was driving a dog ran out and frightened his horse, which threw him, and he fell upon his head on the rough frozen road.

He was picked up and carried into a house in the village. The young man was still unconscious shortly after 1 o'clock and was suffering from concussion of the brain.

Fattening on Olive Oil.

JAMESBURG, N.J., Dec. 13.—James Still, a colored boy who is an inmate of the Jamesburg reform school, reached the 65th day of his fast yesterday. He is if anything heavier in weight than he was two weeks ago, and seems to grow stronger. The only nourishment he takes is a spoonful of sweet oil, which is rubbed into his body twice a day.

Actor Townsend Dying.

HAMILTON, Dec. 13.—Mr. John Townsend, the well-known actor and theatrical instructor, is peacefully dying at his home here.

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All about the Provinces the rapid increase of La Grippe, is causing great alarm. A report was received here to-day, of a new development of the disease, which is worse, perhaps than any other. Wm. Hanley of N. Y. City, died in terrible agony after sickness of only four days. His tongue swelled to such an extent as to make it impossible for him to close his jaws or swallow any food. The report is causing the people in this district to write into the noted Druggists, recently referred to in so many papers. In Cape Breton the disease has spread very rapidly and with fatal results. D. J. Killoy of Lardaveque writes Feb. 11th that this cure has been tried in his neighborhood and with such success that all those residing there are obtaining a supply believing it to be the only remedy affording relief and effecting a certain cure. He finished his letter by asking for a large quantity of the Medicine (Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills) to supply the demands of the community for the relief of LaGrippe.

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AN OPEN LETTER

(Continued from Saturday)

of our party towards the United States. Our orators and our press too often gave utterance to sentiments of hostility towards our neighbors; and instead of giving us the reciprocity Sir John deemed essential to Canadian prosperity, we have been replying to our menaces against their commerce by enacting such drastic measures of reprisal as the McKinley Bill, which has closed to the Canadian farmer his most convenient and profitable market for his coarse grains, hay, poultry, vegetables, eggs, horses, etc., etc. It is quite clear, therefore, that the National Policy has NOT moved in the direction of a reciprocity of trade between the two countries as it was promised to do, but, on the contrary, has had the effect of very considerably curtailing the export market previously enjoyed in the United States. The loss of this market is the net result of the effort to force the United States into reciprocity; and that such is the undeniable result must appear to you as to thousands of other Conservatives, who, strangely enough, place the glory of party leaders and the interests of office-hunters and of senseless faction above every consideration of personal or national prosperity and greatness.

The foregoing is an honest, if a lame attempt to analyze and to judge of the success by its results, the resolution upon which the so-called National Policy is based upon. In the past I supported it with all my energies. After a careful consideration, I am fully satisfied that not one small problem for the good of our country in that historic resolution has been achieved after thirteen years' trial.

COLLATERAL AIDS TO THE N. P.

Before leaving the National Policy, a reference is in place to those collateral aids which were designed by the Government of the Dominion to assist a high tariff in bringing wealth, population, contentment and greatness to this country. That the imposition of a high tariff to enable manufacturers to exclude the productions of other countries would not alone ensure prosperity to Canada could not reasonably be expected even on the ground of a Government as that which succeeded the administration of Hon. Alexander Mackenzie; and that was proposed and supported in other ways. Coincident with protection to native industry, and as an essential and integral part of the N. P., a policy of energetic interior development was decided upon and carried out so far as the expenditure of public money is concerned, with all the energy and enterprise that characterize the Anglo Saxon race. Canals were dug, existing canals were enlarged, harbors and piers erected in different parts of the country, though there was no shipping to be accommodated, railways subsidized and constructed to open up and develope old territory, and public improvements on a grand scale undertaken in every direction—sometimes, possibly, with a view to influence constituencies rather than to help the country. Millions of dollars were borrowed in Europe to enable us to carry out these grand schemes which we were promised would bring us prosperity and build up on the American continent not so much a dependency of Great Britain as an imperium in imperio, the pride of our people and the wonder of the world. Nothing was untried that the mind of statesmen could suggest as likely to assist in developing and enriching the country. And after the most incontestable proofs of failure, this hot house method of development still proceeds; millions of dollars are being spent in building a canal at Sault Ste. Marie, for the alleged purpose of rendering us independent of our neighbors—who charge us nothing for the use of their canal a few rods distant—and to accommodate the lake shipping, which under the N. P. is steadily declining until to-day but one per cent. of the craft seen on the lakes is Canadian and but seven Canadian vessels of any pretensions are afloat on these waters to take advantage of this stupendous, and, under the circumstances, criminal folly of the Government. While the Government contractors were spending the 120 millions of dollars which this "development" cost, money was plentiful and times were good in Canada, a result which all of us who supported the Government erroneously attributed to the beneficient working of the National Policy. We mortgaged the country as farmers of times mortgage their farms when money is scarce, and as the farmer finds himself in many circumstances which the borrowed money lasts so was Canada apparently amazingly prosperous while millions of borrowed capital were being spent in public works very often of more than doubtful utility. Of that 120 millions only seven millions have been repaid, so that, while somewhat facilitating the movement of trade, the NET RESULT OF SUCH HEAVY EXPENDITURE OF BORROWED MONEY FOR THE PURPOSE OF ASSISTING THE N. P. HAS BEEN TO VASTLY AUGMENT THE BURDEN WHICH EACH OF US AS A CANADIAN HAS TO PAY a branch of this great question which shall be touched upon in its proper place before this letter concludes. The facts which have been pointed out are known to you, and in view of the more than unsatisfactory conditions which undeniably exist—with our heavy and constantly increasing national debt; with our heavy and constantly increasing national expenditure; with an increase of population less than the percentage of increase in an old country like Great Britain, which people are leaving by the hundred thousand annually for the United States, Africa and the Australasian colonies—with such a grave situation as these conditions within your knowledge imply, it would be idle to say, what every intelligent Canadian knows if he will admit it, that the National Policy, as a means of making Canada great and populous, and her people prosperous, has been a conspicuous and disastrous failure.

WHY WE LOSE POPULATION.

Various theories have been advanced to account for the alarming showing we make to those who very properly measure our national progress by the increase of our population, but to the independent, unprejudiced mind which seeks neither to accuse nor excuse Government, there is an easy and rational way of accounting for our lamentable failure to increase our population and thus add to the wealth and strength of the Dominion. As a rule the man who is leaving the old world and its monarchical institutions to find a home in the new world and to better the material conditions of himself and family, has no sentiment to waste about the flag or that flag. He is thoroughly tired of old flags and all that appertain to them. The questions that present themselves to the intelligent emigrant are these, where can he most easily and certainly acquire that competency for himself and family which is denied him under the "old flags" of Europe? Where can he find free and stable institutions and a healthful climate for his family? On the North American continent there are but two countries, each possessing about an equal area of territory, to either of which he may reasonably come and expect to find the conditions in which he is to search. He will carefully scrutinize the conditions which prevail in each, to avoid conditions which he is leaving, and, as a sensible man, will make the home of himself and descendants in that country which offers the most substantial inducements and is the farthest removed from the militarism of Europe which has kept the poorer classes in a condition not altogether dissimilar to serfdom.

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A Special Line of Dress

Goods at 15c per yd. See them. It is mixed line and some of the All-wool good are worth double the money.

Ladies Kid Gloves

A special line of over 400 pairs, only 50cts pair—Regular pri 5 to $1.25.

ALL WOOL COLORED FLANNELS, only 10 cents per yard.

LADIES' JACKETS—Only a few left—to be sold off before Xmas.

LADIES' ASTRACHAN JACKETS—the best value in the trade.

FANCY XMAS GOODS

See our show window. We sell these Xmas goods at much less than the usual prices.

Carpets.

J getting in 3 Bales for the Xmas trade W did not intend to purchase any more carpets for this season, but we got the offer of a bargain, and bought it to give our customers another good chance.

Curtains, Poles, Rugs, Mats, Mattings, Table Covers, Blinds, and all such goods required for House Furnishings

We give THREE FLOORS of our large premises to our Carpet Department.

JAS. W. DUNNET

Glasgow Warehouse,
Belleville, Dec. 1st, '92.

THE DAILY ONTARIO

BELLEVILLE, TUESDAY, DEC. 13th

PROBABILITIES.

LAKES.—Increasing easterly winds; cloudy, followed by rain or sleet in southern and snow or sleet in northern portions; a little higher temperature.

ST. LAWRENCE.—Fair weather; a little higher temperature; winds becoming easterly; sleet or snow to-night or to-morrow.

TOLD IN A LINE OR TWO

For Bargains on Christmas goods, go to E. Harrison.

County court opened at 2 p.m. to-day before Judge Lazier.

N. B. Falkiner has just returned from Nashua, N. H., where he was sent as a delegate from Belleville to attend a convention of the Order of the World. Mr. Falkiner was favorably impressed with the soundness of the order.

Don't miss Harrison's discount sale. Everything reduced one-third.

Pain in back is cured by Membray's Kidney and Liver cure. Ask D. M. Waters, chemist and druggist, about it

A remarkable instance of the sagacity of horses was brought to the notice of a reporter of the ONTARIO to-day. A horse belonging to W. Fairman, was turned into the Anglo-American hotel yard, which has free access to the river. Instead of going for a drink the horse walked into James Jackson's blacksmith shop and putting up its foot waited until the workman adjusted a shoe. The shoe on examination was found to be loose with the calks worn smooth.

D. M. Waters, Chemist and druggist Belleville,has a supply of Membray's Kidney and Liver Cure in stock. Ask about it.

Chrismas Books, Prayer books Albums, reduced thirty-three one third per cent. at Harrison's.

It is only a couple of years since Salvater Magnus was first offered to the public and it has already affected more cures of lung diseases than all other remedies combined have done in twenty years.

Mrs. Gilbert, of Belleville, and her sister Miss Ketcheson, narrowly escaped serious injury in a runaway at Wallbridge on Saturday. The rig was upset from a culvert and the occupants pitched into the ditch. They were considerably bruised, but fortunately escaped serious injury.

I shall for 3 days, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, December 15th, 16th, and 17th, offer my whole stock of Books and Stationery, Fancy Goods, Musical Instruments, at a reduction of 33 1-3 per cent. No Reserve.

E. Harrison.

If you want a Cough-mixture that your wife can take without making a face at you, and your children will cry for, and that will cure their coughs and colds quicker than anything you ever brought home to them, then get Magnus Expectorant.

The Albert College closing concert will be held Friday evening Dec. 16th at 8 p. m. Admission by silver. The program will consist of of Glee recitation, recitations, pianoforte solos, tableau and polloquy.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

E. Harrison is in Toronto.

Mrs. Simons is confined to her room with a serious attack of illness.

City Solicitor Biggar, of Toronto, on his physician's orders, will take a week's rest at Warsaw, N. Y.

Fred Smith, of Chicago, is home on a visit. He is in partnership wtih Fred Foster, late of Belleville, in the hardware business. The boys are doing a good business.

John White, Y McGurne, P McRae, Jas A Hudman, Ottawa; D Fleming, Jno Price, F Lamblyo,Jno J Duggan, M Cass, W M Wilson, M J Sage, F R Miller, P McKenzie, Montreal; F M Ellis, Jno E Crowe, B A McLansh, W Sneddon, Thos Collins, Alex. Gilchrist, Richard Mathews, W A Shaw, W S Reid, Alf. Jackson, W H Green, Claude Armstrong, Alex. H. Davitt, J B Orr, J H Welloughby, H W Mathew, Toronto; H H Stephenson, Campbellford; R M Wood, Kingston; S S Beatty, J M Foster, M. D., Hamilton; A V RYoung, Peterboro; Jas Anderson, Rochester, N.Y.; C A Miller, R J Releuter, W B Carter, Deseronto; P Rnckstim, Chicago; D J McAllister, Mrs Jas Johnston, Detroit; W G Rogers, W B Carroll, Gananoque, are registered at the Queen's.

A TRENTON SENSATION.

THE NAMES OF TWO YOUNG MEN BROUGHT INTO THE SCANDAL

The Investigation of a Private Toronto Detective Brings to Light Sensational Rumors—The Young Campbells Leave the City

The social atmosphere of Trenton has within the last few days been disturbed by the breath of scandal, which has furnished a choice morsel of gossip, not to be lost sight of by Mrs. Grundy. Strenuous efforts have been made to hush the matter up, which eclipses anything of its kind that has been served up to the public for some time. The actors in this social drama have found it convenient for the time being to leave behind them a scene which does not meet with the most favorable comment.

John Campbell and his brother Alex., better known as "Sandy," are reckoned among the best blood of Trenton and their sudden flight from Canada lends color to the rumors which are certainly ugly enough. The young men in question have been moving in fast company and their present disgrace is the result of youthful folly. Certain ugly rumors of themselves, bad enough, if true, are not considered as serious by the family as that of having trifled with the virtues of three well-known young Trenton society belles. The father of two of the young ladies, when made aware of the disgrace of his daughters, suspected a certain Toronto commercial traveller, a married man, and charged him with the crime. To relieve himself of an embarrasing position, the traveller in question, secured the services of a private Queen City detective, the result of whose investigation was to fasten the guilt on other shoulders, whether rightly or not there has been no effort to deny. A reporter of the ONTARIO drove to Trenton yesterday to investigate the charges, but found the interested parties reticent about being drawn into a scandal of such an unsavory nature. The father of the two young girls mentioned have gone to the other side to escape the sting of the gossip monger. It is not likely that there will be any prosecutions in view of the uncertain whereabouts of some of the parties and the reticence of others to push the matter.

TROUBLE IN THE NORTH.

HUNGRY EYES ARE BEING TURNED ON THE VACANT SEAT.

A Number of Conservatives Who Would Like to Represent North Hastings but Unfortunately Only One Man can be Elected

The rather unexpected call of Hon. Mr. Bowell to the Senate and his resignation of his seat for the Commons has created a good deal of stir in this county and particularly in North Hastings. When the rumor was confirmed, the eyes of the politicians were turned to the vacant riding for a successor. Mr. A. F. Wood, the present representative for the Local Legislature, is no doubt the strongest Conservative. He has been elected by his party to three Parliaments. But his nomination would make a vacancy in the Legislature and involve another election. Besides, Mr. Wood is too much needed by the opposition in the Local House to be willingly allowed by his party friends there to go to the Commons. It is said that nothing but inability to secure a candidate for the party who can without doubt carry the riding, will induce Mr. Wood to accept a nomination. Just now there is a scramble among untried men for the nomination, with the chance of getting a weak man-courting defeat. Dr. Boulter, the old member,who came very near being beaten the last time he ran, is being boomed by his friends in the neighborhood of the village of Stirling, where the doctor resides. It will be no surprise if, under the circumstances, if the Grits make a fight to win and "capture" the riding. There is a strong free trade feeling in the north and it is likely that the man who gets the nomination will have to pledge himself to such a policy.

BUTTERFLY TEA

'May Good Digestion Wait on Appetite' —A Successful Entertainment

Those who were present and listened to I. O. O. F. Orchestra rendering selections from half past six to eight o'clock at the Butterfly Tea given by the Young People's Association of St Andrews Church, and those who partook of the sumptuous delicacies of the well laden tables, waited on by the gossamer decorated young ladies enjoyed a rare treat last evening. After the tables had been cleared a program of rare excellence was rendered, consisting of instrumental and vocal solos and duetts. Selections by Mrs Biggar and Miss Kathleen Bell were well received as were also recitations by Miss Jessie Robertson and songs by Mrs Walker, Mrs. Biggar and Miss Kathleen Bell all of which were heartily encored. Miss May Clark and Mr. Frank Lewis gave several solos and duetts and the full clear notes with which they were rendered delighted all who heard them. Belleville may well be proud to possess such talent in her midst. The menu cards, hand-painted to represent butterflies and etched with appropriate quotations were genuine works of art and were preserved as valued souvenirs of a very pleasant evening.

What's the use of feeling languid,
Mopy, dull and blue?
Cleanse the blood and give it vigor;
Make the old man new.
How? I'll tell you. To the drug store
Go this very day—
Buy a medicine to banish
All your ills away—

And that medicine is Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, the very best blood-purifier on earth. It builds up and strengthens the system because it cleanses the blood, and that's what the system must have to be strong and healthy. There's nothing that equals it. Absolutely sold on trial! Your money back, if it doesn't benefit or cure you.

Cured Female Weakness

Mr. Hugh Caldwell, Clydesdale, Ont., writes:—"My daughter was under the care of doctors for more than a year for female weakness, without getting relief. I then procured Pink Pills and they cured her." All dealers 50 cents a box or 6 boxes for 2.60, or mailed on receipt of price. Dr. Williams' Med. Co., Brockville, Ont., and Schenectady, N. Y.

When the hair begins to come out in combing, it shows a weakness of the scalp that calls for immediate attention. The best preparation to arrest further loss of hair and restore the scalp to a healthy condition is Ayers Hair Vigor.

For four thousand years or more the world groaned, suffered and fumed about its corns, for their was no positive relief—no certain and painless cure until Dr. Scott Putman gave to the world his great Corn Extractor. If there is suffering now it is a result of carelessness, for the remedy is at hand. Try Putman's Corn Extractor. It is sure painless, and prompt. Beware of substitutes. N. C. Polson & Co. proprieters, Kingston.

THE GOVERNMENT CRITICIZED

"Dow Johnson" Says Canada is Being Rendered a Country Unfit to Live in

SIR—The most noticeable feature in Dominion politics just now, is the changing of partners in the recent double shuffle at Ottawa, ending in what is called a new cabinet. By this ministerial contrivance the members can justify in one character, what they advise and act in another, entailing upon the people the necessary amount of expense to solder the parts together and support all the forms of the government at the same time, and in which the advisers, the actors and justifiers are the same persons, and who impose and expend the taxes, and are doubtless well fixed financially and when everything is properly adjusted the tory farce will conclude with the pantomine of hush.

We shall now take up another matter and show the causes that have produced the wretched state of the political life of the country.

The grand master and ex-grand master of the Orange Order having seats in the cabinet, will most probably through their influence, effectually secure as supporters of a government very generally believed to be dominated by the hierarchy of Quebec,notwithstanding their ultra Protestantism, their twelfth of July orations, and characteristic toasts and songs of "Kick the Pope and Croppies Lie Down."

This heterogenious compound of a government, composed of Orangemen, Catholics and Protestant tories, is held together by interest and ecclesiastical mysticism and the old flag, and here we may justly remark that it is a base perversion of the traditional honor of the British flag to make it subserve the vile purposes of Canadian misrule by the oligarchy at Ottawa. This shows that everything can be distorted out of its accustomed order in the general scramble of unscrupulous politicians for office and emolument. And we may further remark that a government once elected by the people, which afterwards pursues a train of legislation that effectually secures them in power, such as the infamous Dominion franchise act, "to hive the grits," and that subsequently renders their defeat at the polls impossible, is no longer a free and regular government, but a virtual usurpation of the rights of the people and has become merged into a civil absolutism exercised for the benefit of the tory party and their ecclesiastical friends and with their able advocate at court, are now masters of the situation. Such an abuse of the franchise violates and makes void the very intent and spirit of the election principle and is a mockery of representative institutions.

And then again, when we reflect upon the tremendous power of government patronage, Provincial and Dominion, that all officials, from the bailiff to the high commissioner, including the governor of provinces, appointed by the crown, and when we further consider our mountain of public debt, and that real estate has depreciated in value some forty or fifty per cent within the last ten years, that the public chest has been drained by fraudulent contractors and their abettors, and further when charges are made for misapplication of trusts, the persons supposed to be guilty, are allowed to sit in jugement upon themselves.

The monstrous increase of taxation since the inauguration of the National Policy, which has acted like an incubus upon the prosperity of the country, we no longer wonder at the exodus and it argues no great profundity of politics, that for the sake of governing to drive the people away. The wretched political condition of the country has become the subject of universal conversation. The friends of honest Liberal government everywhere are becoming conscious of their utter inability to remedy these evils under the present existing regime. And another evil sign of the times is the rapid increase of Knighthood in Canada, so unsuited to the habits and genius of our people as to be regarded with mistrust and aversion. It is evidently an attempt to foist upon this young country the invidious class distinctions, that obtain in the old governments of Europe most of which took their rise in violence and usurpation. Canada is now like a young tree that has been girdled, no preferential favors in the British market for us. England will not tax the food of her people for our benefit. The United States will concede nothing to a Canadian tory parliament. They consider the tories their hereditary enemies. Our blind, stubborn government at Ottawa will concede nothing. They persist in carrying out a policy that is rendering Canada a country unfit to live in, and is driving the young people, both tory and radical, by thousands to the United States. The Norths and Grenville of a century ago, drove the colonies to revolt and those men were the prototypes of a certain class of politicians at Ottawa, and it is no wonder that the people of Canada are beginning to cast about in their mind's eye, for a better state of political existence, and it is to be devoutely hoped that at the very next general election, the present government at Ottawa, will be removed from the head of affairs and give place to better men, in the interests of honest government and for the future peace and prosperity of the country.

DOW JOHNSON.

Belleville, 13th Dec. 1892.

TOWN TALK

New goods just arrived at Goldsmith's fish tore, Bridge street—groceries, fish, fruits, cigars, oysters, cider, candies, Refreshments and lunches at all hours.

You will save money by getting your stoves and ranges from Deacon & Doyle

Geen is showing a very nice line of perfumes in plain and fancy bottles, also in bulk.

For coughs and colds the old reliable remedy that has stood the test for more than a quarter of a century and is still a great favorite, is the one to buy, it is Holden's Expectorant, manufactured by A. L. Geen.

Deacon & Doyle carry a full line of gas fixtures, also Bray's patent burner the great saver of gas.

It will be worth your while to call and see the grand stock of stoves and ranges Deacon & Doyle have on hand.

F. A. Abraham, issuer of marriage licenses at the ONTARIO Office.

For catarrh or cold in the head use ntitis catarrh cure, A L Geen agent

A neglected cough brings on consumtion—the most fatal and prevalent of all physical ills that flesh is heir to. To check the malady in its early stage, before the deadly turbercles develop themselves in the lungs use Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil which also annihilates bronchitis asthma catarrh, piles, kidney troubles and soreness of the muscles and

Magic Pile Lotion excells every other remedy of its class in the following particulars, viz: 1, Its action is immediate and magical. 2 It is cheaper than any other in the market. 3 It is cleanly, leaving no stain on clothing or bedding. 4 It is more easily applied than any other. 5. It is equally efficacious in external, internal, itching or bleeding piles. 6. It is an excellent dressing for all kinds of painful wounds, abrasions, stings of bees and other poisonous insects, etc.

Clear Havana Cigars

"La Cadena" and "La Flora." Insist upon having these brands.

IN NORTH HASTINGS.

HAS NICHOLSON OF OSHAWA CONCLUDES AN INTERESTING LETTER.

People he Met—A Northern Lumber Camp—What is Going on a Hundred and Twenty-five Miles North of Belleville.

There is in this neighborhood a most unpretentious log cabin, a new structure but one of the smallest seen in the whole trip. In it dwells the superannuated Methodist minister previously referred to and his wife and daughter. Ill health on the part of the head of the family caused them to select this healthful spot for a temporary home. The Judge had made his acquaintance, and as we were passing on our home trip, ran in to say good bye and took me along. Life in this rugged country leaves its imprint on the people. But here in this tiny cabin was an individuality, gentle, womanly and benignant, that would mould rather than be moulded. Humble though the cabin was we both voted it the essence of cosiness. To find a woman of such evident culture reigning her, remote from congenial society, was enough to confirm ones faith, if it were needed in the excellence of womanhood. I had reason to believe before this visit that the influence of a good life was being left in the neighborhood. After my visit I understood it all. Because of the character of this sketch I have not mentioned names, for virtues, such as are here potrayed, are closely allied with modesty, and like the violet prefer to bloom in retirement and unknown.

A word about our guide, Jas. Haskins. He is worthy to be the ideal of any apprentice to the mighty Nimrod. Brought up in the pursuit of game, he has learned their habits so well that he can tell what the game he is after is going to do under this, that, or the other circumstances, and bringing his human intelligence to aid his knowledge of animal life he is a most successful hunter. He talks little himself, but others tell of his exploits. He never put out the dogs in vain, and in still hunting seemed to know where to point the gun to get the game. He portaged his canoe a good four miles when he could have put it in a wagon, and thought it no hardship. I tried a lighter boat for the distance of three hundred yards or thereabouts, and it took the sinews of my neck and shoulders a week to get limbered up again. His sinews are like steel and his eyes as far seeing as any other man's aided by a field glass. He habitually carries his gun over his right shoulder until it has worn its way through his coat to his suspenders. He is a quiet fellow but it would not pay to tread on the tail of his coat to often.

On Wednesday afternoon we reluctantly took farewell of Mr. McKay, Mr. and Mrs Robinson and others, and started homeward. Chas Dunn had our deer and other affects loaded in his wagon to take us as far as Maynooth. We stopped at Wm. Dunn's for the night and early in the morning took our farewell of these estimable people and were soon on the road. The wagon track was so rough that the second team was sent along to get us out. The Judge and I walk to within some six miles of Maynooth, when darkness overtook us and we could not see our way we mounted the wagons and rode. Friday morning it was raining but we made an early start by stage and reached Bancroft for dinner. It was snowing heavily when we left Bancroft but we made good progress until we broke both hind springs when about two miles from Rathburn. We arrived safely about 7 p.m. but wet to the hide. At day break Saturday morning we were on the Central Ontario train. At Trenton I parted with Judge Fralick and arrived at Oshawa at 2.50 glad to be back but with a fund of recollections that will never fade. Especially will the generous hospitality of Mr. McKay, Mr. and Mrs. Robinson, and Mr. and Mrs. Dunn be remembered.

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UNCLAIMED MONEY

Balances in Ontario Banks Awaiting Claimants

Following is a list of names of persons living in Belleville, who have sums to their credit in branches of the Merchant's Bank:

Ponton, Eliza W., $315.26, March 1. 1880.

Bleecker, G. H., Estate of $740.60, July 2, 1882.

Jolets, E. des, $52.50, June 3, 1882.

Clark, D., $400, March 1, 1883.

Baker, Mrs. Lucy A., April 28, '85 $200.

Sunshine in the House!

"I'm weary with work!" the good wife sighed;
"But after all," she said.
"It's sweet to labor for those we love—
No wonder that maids will wed."

A wise housewife lightens her toil and gladdens the home circle by her cheerfulness. But health is the first requisite, and her just prerogative. Health follows the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, which afflict womankind. It enriches the blood, cures the cough, increases the flesh, prevents hysteria, nervousness and low spirits, and is a veritable fountain of health to women, young and old. Satisfaction, or the price (1.00) refunded. Of druggists.

Christmas Entertainment.

The Tabernacle Sunday School is preparing a grand entertainment of songs, chourses, recitations, dialogues, etc., to be given on Monday evening, Dec. 26th. Two Christmas Trees will be erected and they will be free for all to put presents on for their friends. Ample accomomdations in the S. S. Rooms for 600 people. Old Santa Claus has been engaged for the occasion. Admission 15 cts. Children 10 cts.

What a Difference

There is an awful difference in ready-made clothing, some of it fits like a sack while some fits like the very best ordered work. The Oak Hall claim that their customers can be detected while walking along the street by the neat, tidy appearance of their clothing. If you want to save money and have nice clothing at the same time the Oak Hall is the place.

Gratifying to All

The high position attained and the universal acceptance and approval of the pleasant liquid fruit remedy Syrup of Figs as the most excellent laxative known, illustrate the value of the qualities on which its success is based and are abundantly gratifying to the California Fig Syrup Company.

More Valuable Than Diamonds.

Cod liver oil from the cod fish when combined with hypophosphites of lime and soda, as in "Miller's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil," will build up the cellular tissues and create new blood. This is just what consumptive patients need. It has cured thousands of people who would otherwise have been at this time occupying narrow spaces in the graveyards of our country. Miller's Emulsion is worth a trial. In big bottles, 50c and $1.00 at all Drug Stores.

For hanging and stand lamps try Geen's Drug Store.

Milburn's Cod Liver Oil Emulsion witd Wild Cherry and Hypophosphites builds up and strengthens the entire system

AN ADVANCED DOCTRINE.

AN EVANGELIST SPEAKS OF THE COMING OF CHRIST

He Does Not Think that Important Event is far Distant—He Would Beseech the People to Prepare for it

The evangelist, Mr. H. Myddleton Wood, addressed about 500 people in the Opera House last evening on the subject of the immediate second coming of Christ. He preached what would be considered by many a strange doctrine. His arguments went to show that the world is not getting better every day, but the contrary. He said that evil days were before us, that evil men and seducers should wax worse and worse. He pointed out that men have forgotten the object of christianity, but that God had not forgotten it, nor was it a matter of indifference to Him that His church was in such a disunited and unholy condition. The speaker said that God had arisen in these pays to do a work of preparation in this church to prepare her for the second coming of this son, which event he proclaimed to be close at hand.

He spoke of five phrases of that great event, speaking particularly of the time when Christ should come as a thief in the night. He said the harvest of this age had come and that just as our natural harvests are not all gathered in in one day, but that men gathered that which was first ripe first, then that which was next ripe, so it would be in God's harvest.

The Lord was coming to take to himself His first ripe christians and that after that event the days of the great tribulation would be upon the world when men should neither buy nor sell unless they had the mark of the beast upon them. The meeting closed by singing the doxology. Mr. Wood will speak again to-night on the continuation of the subject.

A PROLIFIC SOURCE OF DISEASE.—trifling indiscretion in diet may lay the foundation of confirmed dyspepsia, and there is no fact in medical science more positively ascertained or more authoritatively asserted than that dyspepsia is the parent of a host of bodily ills, not the least of which is contamination of the blood and the maladies of which that is the direct consequence. Their original cause is however thoroughly eradicated from the system by Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Dyspeptic Cure, a medicine which only requires regularity and persistence in it use to cure dyspepsia and many other ills that arise from it. No deleterious mineral ingredient is contained in it, and though its action is thorough in cases of costiveness it never produces griping pains in the abdominal region, or weakens the bowels like a violent purgative. It invigorates the system through the medium of the increased digestive and assimilative activity which it promotes and is also a most efficient remedy for kidney disease scrofulous and all diseases of the blood female weakness, &c., &c Price $1.00 Sample bottle 10 cents. Ask for Northrup & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Dyspeptic Cure. The wrapper bears a fac-simile of their signature Sold by all medicine dealers.

How Mr. W. D. Wentz of Geneva, N.Y was cured of the severest form of dyspepsia He says everything he ate seemed like pouring melted lead into his stomache. Hood's Sarsaparil effected a perfect cure. Full particulars will be sent if you write C Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

William A. Lehr

of Kendallville, Ind., says Hood's Hood's Sarsaparilla is

King of Medicines

And His Cure Was

Almost a Miracle

"C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

"Gentlemen: When I was 14 years of age I was confined to my bed for several months by an attack of rheumatism, and when I had partially recovered I did not have the use of my legs, so that I had to go on crutches. About a year later, **Scrofula**, in the form of

White Swellings,

appeared on various parts of my body, and for eleven years I was an invalid, being **confined to my bed six years.** In that time ten or eleven of these sores appeared and broke, causing me great pain and suffering. Several times pieces of bone worked out of the sores. Physicians did not help me and

I Became Discouraged

"I went to Chicago to visit a sister, as it was thought a change of air and scene might do me good. But I was confined to my bed most of the time. I was so impressed with the success of Hood's Sarsaparilla in cases similar to mine that I decided to try it. So a bottle was bought, and to my great gratification the sores soon decreased, and I began to feel better. This strengthened my faith in the medicine, and in a short time I was

Up and Out of Doors

To make a long story short, I continued to take Hood's Sarsaparilla for a year, when I had become so fully released from the chains of disease that I took a position with the Flint & Walling Mfg. Co., and since that time have not lost a single day on account of sickness. I always feel well and good spirits and have a good appetite. I endorse

Hood's Sarsaparilla

for it has been a great blessing to me, and to my friends my recovery seems almost miraculous. I think Hood's Sarsaparilla is the king of all medicines." WILLIAM A. LEHR, No. 9 North Railroad st., Kendallville, Ind.

Hood's Pills cure Biliousness.

What She Said

Mrs. R. Peck, 15th street, New York City, visited Canada year, and had the good fortune to pick up something which not only suited her, but her neighbors a'so. Writing the manufacture of Nerviline she says:—"I bought three bottles of Nerviline while in Canada and treated my neighbors to some of it, and all think it the best medicine for internal or external pain they have ever used." Nerviline deserves such commendation, for it is a most powerful, penetrating, and certain remedy for pain of all kinds. Take no substitute

How to save money is a problem that interests everybody. One way to do it is to invigorate the system with Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Being a highly concentrated blood medicine, it is the most powerful and economical. It is sold for a dollar a bottle, but worth five.

JAS. A. CONGER

There will be a MERRY CHRISTMAS at your House if you buy your GIFTS at

JAS. A. CONGER.

In Lamps we lead, both in Price, Assortment and Design.

XMAS PRESENTS

Ought to interest you. Can't we help you to select one? Our preparations are such that we can most certainly interest you. We have all the novelties that experience and money can select for the holiday season. We are showing a toute ensemble of all the very latest novelties. In Ties, Initial Handkerchiefs Braces, Umbrellas, Coat Scarfs, Wool and Silk Cuffs, Shirts, Collars and Cuffs, Linen Handkerchiefs, Hem-stitch Handkerchiefs and all goods warranted first-class and at the lowest prices. Come and see us.

A. E. FISH & CO.

IN LEATHER!

Goods suited for Xmas Gifts in Russia Leather Dressed Seal, Dressed and Ooze Calf and Morocco, we have:

Card Cases and Pocket Books from.. 25c to $6.00.
Wallets and Chatalaines from .... 25c to 5.00.
Novelties in Music Cases from...... 1 00 to 5 00.
The New Boston Shopping Bag from. 2.50 to 6 50.
Ladies' Companions, Glove and Handkerchief Cases all prices. Albums, Poets, Church Services and Gift Books, etc., etc.

The above is a list comprising the Handsomest lines of Leather Goods ever brought into Belleville.

C. B. SCANTLEBURY,

SPANISH NERVINE

THE GREAT SPANISH REMEDY. Easily, quickly and permanently restores Weakness, Nervousness and Lost Manhood. A GUARANTEED specific for Fits and Neuralgia Hysteria, Dizziness, Convulsions, Nervous Prostration caused by the use of Tobacco or Alcohol, Loss of Power in either Sex, Involuntary Losses, caused by over-indulgence. We guarantee six boxes to cure any case or refund the money. $1 a box, 6 boxes for $5 Address U. S. Agents SPANISH MEDICINE Co. DETROIT, Mich. Sold by all reliable Druggists. A. A. BROWN & CO., Agents for Canada, Windsor, Ont.

OUR SALES

Of lamps and silver on Saturday was the largest in our experience. We'll keep it up until spring. FROM THIS ON we'll add to them at slaughter prices Dinner Sets, Tea and Bedroom Sets. They must go and its as well to understand first as last that we are determined to get right under all others in prices, quality and style, and that's all the buying public want. FROM TO-DAY forward see us about your dishes, lamps and silver before you buy.

W. J. REID & CO,

Crystal Hall - - - Rous' Old Stand

Smashed Into Smithereens

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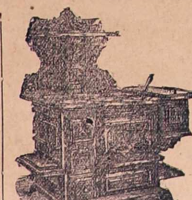

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Our endeavors to make the Fair headquarters for Christmas supplies is more marked this fall than at any other previous time. Our store though large, is not sufficient to accommodate the great crowds at Christmas times. We would therefore urge you to make your selections now while the stock is complete and avoid the crush at Christmas time. We have just received 100 cases of foreign goods, such as albums, dolls, tooth brushes, hair brushes, purses fancy china cups and saucers, vases, jewelry, handsome lemonade sets, glass tea sets beautifully engraved, our assortment of American glassware must be seen to be appreciated. Never have we been able to offer such bargains in albums, ladies workboxes, jewel cases, perfume cases shaving cases, brush and comb cases. Game from 5c up, playing cards from 5c up, beautiful whisk holders, all the latest styles from 49c up. We have something new in dolls, cradles childrens extension tables, sets of furniture, toy picture books, pansy books, magic lanterns 49c up steam engine, skates, doll carriages, childrens sleds and cutters, strong and durable at lowest prices, novels by the best authors 10c worth 35c pocket knives and table cutlery an endless variety to choose from. But perhaps one of the greatest drives is a special line of extra quality writing paper 5 quires (120 sheets) for 17c. We will not attempt to enumerate further, but would invite you to call at Dalton's Fair before purchasing where you can buy good goods at less than bankrupt prices.

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I have been an alderman in the City Council for four years and during that time have endeavored to represent you straightforwardly and faithfully. My platform is "Economy" in city affairs. If elected I will exert myself to further the best interests of the city.
Yours respectfully,
Francis S. Wallbridge.

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A FAST CANADIAN LINE

SOON TO BE ESTABLISHED ON THE ATLANTIC.

The Feeling in London and England About Canada and the Colonies is Most Extraordinary—Not Much Possibility of Protection in England.

MONTREAL, Dec. 14.—The despatches publishes the following interview with Hon. C. H. Tupper, Minister of Marine and Fisheries, who has been for some months in England preparing the case for the British Government in the Behring Sea matter as agent of Her Majesty the Queen. The first subject broached was the death of the Hon. W. H. Cross, who was the British associate counsel in preparing the Behring Sea case for Britain. The reporter showed the Hon. Mr. Tupper the cablegram announcing the death of Mr. Cross and asked him would it in any way affect the pending negotiations.

Mr. Tupper said: I have already heard the sad news, and was exceedingly pained to hear that my friend had been so suddenly taken away. We had worked together on a great deal of the preparation of the case and counter case in the months of June, July and November.

Mr. Cross was the son of Lord Cross and was a counsel at the London bar, while representing also in the House of Commons one of the divisions of Liverpool. He seconded the motion for the address in reply to the Speech from the Throne last session. He was working hard with me up to the day on which I left, and just before my departure he was suddenly stricken with typhoid fever. He was in a precarious condition, but he was only about 35 years of age and I imagined that with his splendid physique and youth in his favor he would survive the attack.

I was very much surprised this morning to learn from the cablegram that he was dead.

Singularly Fortunate.

I may say that in the preparation of the British case we have been singularly fortunate in our legal associates. In the first place we have the Attorney-General under the Gladstone Government, Sir Charles Russell; the Ex-Attorney-General, Sir Richard Webster; the Solicitor-General, Sir John Rigby, and Christopher Robinson, Q.C., of Toronto, who, together with Mr. Cross, gave their constant and most earnest attention to the work, not merely directing many particulars of it but actually working out much of the actual preparations. The staff of the Foreign and Colonial, as well as my own immediate staff of the Fisheries Department, have also thrown themselves into the work with the liveliest interest."

"That leads me to ask," said the reporter, "while you were in London what department of the Imperial Government were you specially connected with?"

Mr. Tupper replied: "The Foreign Office, immediately under Lord Rosebery, the foreign secretary, who has the direction of Her Britannic Majesty's case, as they say, in the convention. The Foreign Office placed a room at my disposal and afforded me every facility for doing the work. I was there from day to day."

"Have you completed your part of the work for the Canadian Government?"

"The bulk of the work," said Mr. Tupper, "has been done in connection with the counter-case, but very important finishing touches remain and the counter cases will be served on or before Feb. 3."

"Then I suppose," said the reporter, "you expect to go back to England in connection with this matter?"

To Return to England.

"Oh, yes," said Mr. Tupper, "as agent of Her Britannic Majesty I must attend the convention, which meets not later than Feb. 23."

"So that if there is an early session of Parliament you will possibly not be present most of the session?"

"I am sorry to say that I will not," said Mr. Tupper, with an air that he would wish to be in it and like to have a hand in the fight as the son of the old war horse from Cumberland. He added, "But Sir John Thompson is acting Minister of Marine and Fisheries."

The reporter then asked: "Mr. Tupper, would you care to say anything in reference to the report of misrepresentation of the Behring Sea case on the part of an official in the service of the United States Government?"

The Behring Sea Case.

"It would be impossible for me to make any statement touching either the United States case or the British case, as both the case and the counter-case are confidential until the arbitrators meet in Paris."

"Are the reports true," asked the reporter, "that the mis-statements in the United States case were detected by the Canadian representatives?"

Mr. Tupper said: "I am precluded from answering that question, for the reason given to your last question."

"Just now," said the reporter, "there is a great deal of talk about the mission of Sir John Abbott and Mr. Foster to England, and a great deal of news in the Canadian and London papers about what they did over there; did you meet them?"

"Yes. I met Sir John Abbott and Mr. Foster over there, but I was so busy at my duties in the Foreign Office that I probably saw less of them than I would during a session of Parliament in Ottawa. Sir John Abbott is not in very good health, but he was able to attend to some most important matters in connection with the Canadian Government while he was Premier, but on account of the state of his health he was necessarily very retiring and attended no public ceremony or banquet.

"The Finance Minister was able to speak before representative British audiences on several important occasions. Mr. Foster was well received and made in England a reputation and impression that any Canadian might well be proud of.

Mr. Foster's Favorable Reception.

"I not only formed this opinion of the effects of his speeches myself, but all the leading London dailies commented in the most favorable manner upon the subject of his various addresses and have conceded unstinted praise. His speech at the Mansion House was admittedly the speech of the day, and his address at the Chamber of Commerce was not only well received by those who heard it, but was much talked a out in financial and political circles.

"The feeling in London about Canada and the colonies of England is most extraordinary. Canada occupies in England to-day an unprecedented position in the feelings of the governing classes and the masses of the people, and there is the liveliest interest in the welfare and progress of our Dominion on all sides.

"There is evidently the heartiest goodwill in connection with everything Canadian, or, indeed, colonial. Indeed I may say that in this regard there is no distinction between the parties in England, Liberal or Conservative.

"I need not speak of the doctrine of protection in public favor in England; the recent important meeting of the agricultural societies and other industrial associations in England attest that."

"From your experience of the public mind in England, what do you think of the chances of a policy of protection being adopted there?"

"...there is not much possibility of the adoption in England of a protective policy in the near future, but I believe that radical fiscal changes are impending in England and looking towards an Imperial policy."

"Which means to say," asked the reporter.

"Differential duties in favor of the products of the Empire," briefly replied Mr. Tupper.

Canadian Fast Steamers.

"There is a lively interest," said the reporter, "with reference to a fast line of steamers between Canada and England, and much comment as to whether it shall be established or not."

Mr. Tupper replied: "I know that there is a lively interest in Canada, but the interest in England on this subject is just as intense with reference to the fast Atlantic line. That is due in a large part to the success of the Canadian Pacific steamers, the Canadian Pacific Railway system and the interest in the development of Canadian commerce between Canada and the Mother Country."

MURDER AT PORT ARTHUR.

A Brother-in-Law Suspected to Be the Criminal.

WINNIPEG, Dec. 14.—Fire broke out in the Galt coal mines last night, but fortunately was discovered in time, and with a supply of water from pumping engines was under control in a couple of hours.

Mayor Macdonald of Winnipeg was last night voted $1200 by the City Council for the year's services, and donated it to city charities.

Archie Cammill, who has been working in the silver mines at Port Arthur, was shot and killed last night by some one unknown, who is, however, supposed to be his brother-in-law, John Rowe. The man suspected of murder was last seen with Cammil, and is now missing.

To-morrow a meeting of Winnipeg Board of Flour Examination is summoned to pass an opinion on some samples of flour sent from Japan. The flour is supposed to be from Oregon, and it has been sent from Japan for a comparison with Manitoba flour. The branding of Ontario soft wheat flours sold in the east under the name of Manitoba flours will also be considered. There is some pretty straight evidence of this commercial infamy, so damaging to the reputation of the Northwest.

The petition brought by Greenway Government supporters against the return of W. A. MacDonald, member-elect of Manitoba Legislature for Brandon, is now being heard in the courts here. MacDonald has been selected to lead the Opposition in the local House.

A STRANGE LETTER.

It May Throw More Light On the Cause of Baron de Reinach's Death.

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—The Herald's Paris correspondent says: "M. Clemenceau has written a letter to The Figaro relating that on the eve of the death of Baron de Reinach the latter came to see him with M. Rouvier, Minister of Finance, and asked him to go and find Cornelius Herse, in order to try to stop the attacks made.

"Clemenceau accepted and went with Rouvier to Herse, who, however, declined to do anything. Baron de Reinach then said:

"'If we do not succeed all is lost. Let us go to M. Constans.'

"All three went to see Constans, who declared he could not do anything.

"On leaving, Baron de Reinach said, 'I am lost.' The letter ends with these words: 'After which I saw him no more.'

"The consequences of the letter will be incalculable. Rouvier will no longer be Minister of Finance. To-morrow the political careers of Clemenceau and Constans are ended. We are only just entering into the mud, of which, nevertheless, there is enough at present."

GRABBED HIM AT ONCE.

He Stole $2000 From His Employer and Was Nabbed in a Few Hours.

MONTREAL, Dec. 14.—Chief Detective Cullen has received a telegram from Chief of Police Vohl of Quebec informing him that a young man named D. Lesuerer had decamped on the Montreal train with $2000 in notes stolen from his employer. The telegram also gave a full description of the absconder.

Detective Robinson was entrusted with the case and at once proceeded to Mile End to await the incoming train. While there, however, a telegram was received from Three Rivers saying that the police at that place had the man in custody. He will be taken to Quebec this morning.

After More Profits.

CHICAGO, Dec. 13.—The publishers of subscription books have formed a trust with the intention of forming the largest publishing house in the world. It is to be called the Werner Company. It embraces Peale & Co., who absorbed Belford, Clark & Co., the Werner-Clark Printing Company, and the Webster Dictionary Company. Rand & McNally are not in it.

The capital is $3,500,000. Messrs. Werner, Peale, Alexander Belford, D. H. Cochersperger and J. T. Edson are shareholders. Business will commence Jan. 1.

Will Be Rebuked.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 14.—The committee appointed by the Cincinnati Presbytery to report upon the penalty to be visited upon Prof. Smith, who was found guilty of charges two and three brought against him, to-day submitted two reports.

The majority recommended a rebuke and the minority a suspension. The court went into secret session to consider the reports.

Free from Poachers.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 14.—The United States revenue cutter Bear arrived yesterday, 11 days from Unalaska. She reported Behring Sea free from poachers.

Strike in Georgia.

ROME, Ga., Dec. 14.—The strike of the operators on the Georgia Central Railroad has caused all freight trains on the C. R. and C. to be tied up to-day.

Welland Canal Closed.

PORT COLBORNE, Ont., Dec. 1.—The Welland Canal closed at midnight last night for the season.

J. W. Bain Elected.

COTEAU LANDING, Dec. 14.—In the federal election at Soulanges to-day Bain (Conservative) defeated Bourbonnais by 51. The vote was: Bain 226, Bourbonnais 175.

A New Premier for Quebec.

QUEBEC, Dec. 14.—De Boucherville has resigned the premiership of this province.

Prof. Smith Suspended.

CINCINNATI, O., Dec. 14.—The Cincinnati Presbytery voted 31 to 27 to suspend Prof. Smith from the ministry.

The Guinness Trust.

LONDON, Dec. 10.—The Goldsmiths' Company has devoted £2500 to the Guinness Trust for the building of industrial dwellings.

A Bomb Exploded.

VIENNA, Dec. 10.—The Tageblatt says that a large bomb exploded near the dwellings of the workmen in the great iron works of Krupp's nephew at Bernsdorf. Much damage was caused to property.

THE PENNEFATHER CAS

HE PROPOSED THE JOB BUT OFFE ED SMALL PAY.

A Bar Tender Gives Startling Eviden He Furnished Materials for the Fa Keys for the Vault—Would Not Be Last Man to go Back on a Pull.

CHATHAM, Ont., Dec. 14.—In the Sta ard Bank robbery case very startl evidence was given by the principal Cro witness, one Charles Gregory of Winds who was until recently a resident of Ch ham and kept the bar at his father's ho

Gregory's story was in substance t Pennefather, the young ex-ledgerkee now in custody on the charge of being robber, procured materials from him which to make keys for the middle door the vault and for the teller's compartm in the treasury.

He then proposed to him to rob bank.

Gregory refused on account of Pen father being drunk, but subsequently agr to go with him. He only follow him, however. Saw him come of the bank and then go b to the hotel, in which place later on Pen father pulled 12 packages of bank notes of his pocket and offered them to him.

Gregory refused them because they w only ones, and the upshot was that Pen father left the place and the deal betw the two was at an end.

Would Not Have the Small End.

Gregory admitted that he did not thi Pennefather was treating him right in gi ing him only the small end. He declar he would not be "the last man on earth go back on a pull of this kind."

The reason why he told of the aff to the police was that he w afraid Pennefather would be caug and would drag him into it. He ther fore decided to knock him under fir and so save his own liberty.

After hearing the evidence of Tell Brown as to the circumstances of the los his story not agreeing with the other i essential points, the police magistrate d cided that the case was one that should before the judge.

An alleged accomplice, William Ritchie, who has for a long time been an intimate friend of the young banker, has been arrested at the instance of Detective McKee. Ritchie is a stage carpenter at the Grand Opera House, unmarried and of respectabl family. The Crown consented to bai which was furnished by his father, and t prisoner was set at liberty to appear trial.

GEORGE BRIGGS DEAD.

Such Was His Strength That Few Ord ary Men Could Overcome Him.

KINGSTON, Dec. 14.—Yesterday mor George Briggs, about 55 years of age, c toms officer at Wolfe, died from the effe of dropsy.

Through the intervention of B. W. F ler deceased was appointed to the custo department about 15 years ago and m an efficient officer. He was well-known the city, and was a big, strong man. S was his strength that few ordinary m were able to overcome him.

For many years he and his brother c ducted the summer hotel at Simcoe Isla and made the business a success. He h been a resident of this district for many yea and told interesting stories of the ti during the American war, when men well as goods were smuggled from Cana to the United States.

A better natured man than the decea was hard to find. He was a great favor with the young men of the city. He w attacked by disease about two years a and for many months lay in a critical c dition.

Some physicians thought he could n live. He was treated by a Yankee physicia who prescribed a remedy that prolonged h life, and he became so well that he was a to come to the city and do business. T disease had not been entirely eradicated a death conquered. He leaves a wife.

WIRES DOWN.

Another Storm Is General Thro the West.

CHICAGO, Dec. 13.—Another storm of sleet, snow and rain combined is general throught the west to-day and has caused an almost complete interruption of telegraphic communication.

Neither of the telegraph compani can handle any but the most urgent de spatches and press matter is almost at a standstill.

The storm extends eastward into Penn sylvania and west beyond the Missour River, and the outlook for better weathe is not at all encouraging. Wires are dow in all directions.

CYCLONE IN MISSOURI.

House Blown Down and Three Kill and Five Wounded.

SUMMIT, Mo., Dec. 14.—A cyclone y terday blew down the house of Rev. R. Young, a Baptist minister, two miles fr here, burying the inmates in the ruins.

S. A. Love's house also was complete wrecked. Those killed are a 9-year-o daughter of William A. Freeman, colore a colored woman and a colored man, nam unknown.

S. R. Young, Mrs. Young and a son a daughter are seriously wounded, as is M S. A. Love. Several others were less se ously hurt.

Attempt at Train Wrecking.

WINDSOR, Ont., Dec. 14.—The Michig Central express, due in Windsor ea yesterday morning, ran into something few miles this side of Maidstone. T engineer, upon arrival here, notified t operator at Maidstone, who investigated a found a dastardly attempt had been ma to wreck the train.

Several ties had been placed upon t track, but the cowcatcher drove them to one side. Detective Heenan is at Maidstone investigating.

No Result Expected.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—The statemen is made in high official circles that the International Monetary Conference at Brus sels will within a few days adjourn meet in March or April of next year. result is expected to be secured at t present session of the congress.

Dunraven's Challenge Accepted.

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—At a special mee ing of the New York Yacht Club held la night Lord Dunraven's challenge was u conditionally accepted.

Poisoned With Cakes.

LIMA, Ohio, Dec. 14.—Three of t Brown family at White Oak who parto of cakes with which rat poison had be mixed have since died, and three others a in a critical condition.

A Murderer Sentenced.

LONDON, Dec. 14.—C. Duckworth, years old, was sentenced to death yesterda for having murdered Alice Barnes, a farm er's daughter, near Blackburn on Nov. 1

Bringing the Spree Crowd Over.

LONDON, Dec. 9.—The steamer Hav sailed from Queenstown for New York ye terday with the passengers and cargo of t disabled steamer Spree.

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A SEVERE RULE.

Small Children Shut out of the Publi Schools.

We have heard complaints by parents of young children attending the public schools of the city with reference to a rule which they consider injudicious, if not unreasonable. We do not know whether this rule applies to all the schools, but presume it does, although the complaints come from one school mainly. It appears that by direction of the Board of Trustees, or the Principal of the school acting on his own authority, the doors of the school rooms are not opened in the morning or in the afternoon until precisely nine and half-past one o'clock. Small children, some of whom who are not physically strong, must either so order their movements as to reach the school at exact time, or remain outside, sometimes exposed to inclement weather. If they are a few minutes late they must return home for a written excuse, or take the consequences. At recess, too, if a child goes outside the building it cannot return until the doors are again opened for school. This rule is considered unnecessarily severe, especially in winter, and when so many small children are exposed to cold, damp weather. The complaints as given us may not be general, but we deem the existence of such a rule an innovation in school discipline that does not indicate an advance in humanitarian views. The Principal of a school and his assistants should be in their room at least fifteen minutes before the time for opening school, morning and afternoon, and their presence would be a sufficient check upon any pupils disposed to act disorderly. As they do not leave the building at recess there can be no reasonable excuse for shutting small children outside for even ten minutes in inclement or cold weather. If the complaints to which we refer are not justified by the facts, we will willingly give the accused a chance to state just what the rule for daily admission to the public schools is, and how it is enforced.

Hawkers and Pedlers

What ear-splitting cries we hear daily in the streets of every large city! But these itinerant dealers who hawk their wares about are, when under proper restrictions, a useful portion of the community, and not such nuisance as the catarrh hawkers. This is a stubborn disease to conquer, but Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy does it. It is mild, soothing and antiseptic, unlike snuffs that irritate, or solutions that burn. It corrects offensive breath, and restores taste, smell and hearing. Nasal catarrh often ends in consumption. Apply the only cure in time. Price 50 cents, by all druggists.

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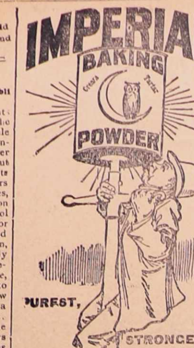

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If you are suffering from piles, of any description, DON'T pray for death until you have tried Magic Pile Lotion. If that does not cure you then go ahead with your prayers for nothing else will be of any use to you.

As an after dinner pill, to strengthen the stomach, assist digestion, and correct an bilious tendencies, Ayer's pills are considered the best. Being sugar coated, they are as agreeable as any confection, and may be taken by the most delicate.

Never bump yourself up to die of Piles until after you have given Magic Pile Lotion a fair and reasonable trial. If it fails then go on with your humping for your case is incurable.

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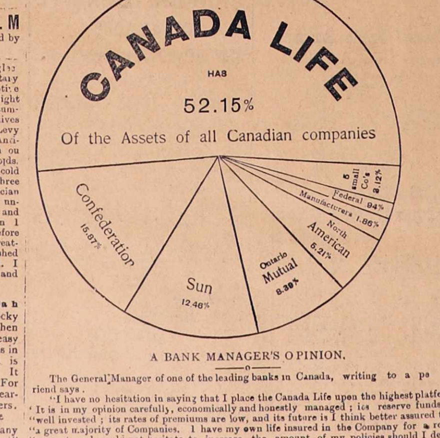

A BANK MANAGER'S OPINION.

The General Manager of one of the leading banks in Canada, writing to a personal friend says.

"I have no hesitation in saying that I place the Canada Life upon the highest platform. 'It is in my opinion carefully, economically and honestly managed; its reserve funds are "well invested; its rates of premiums are low, and its future is I think better assured than "a great majority of Companies. I have my own life insured in the Company for a round "amount, and would not hesitate to increase the amount of my policies should I decide "upon taking out further insurance."

A GOVERNMENT INSURANCE ACTUARY'S OPINION
ON THE RELATION BETWEEN ORDINARY AND TONTINE SURPLUS.

It is frequently asserted by Companies whose business is nearly all Tontined, that though the Canada Life may and does pay large ordinary profits, yet it cannot compare favorably on a long term distribution or tontine period, and that in the end better results can be obtained on a Tontine policy in the Canada Life. To prove the absurdity of this statement, the following piece of common sense is quoted from Mervin Tabor, late Actuary of the Illinois Government Insurance Department. In his well known book "The Three Systems of Life Insurance." he says: "A company that gives large dividends on the ordinary kinds of policies, can give much larger on the same kinds when Tontined, and a company that pays but meagre dividends on the usual forms, adopting perhaps the Tontine system to "cover up" its small surpluses, cannot be relied on for large returns of surplus under the Tontine Forms of Insurance."

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HIS RESIGNATION.

Will Probably Extend the Official Life of the Ribot Cabinet.

Paris, Dec. 1.—M. Rouvier called upon President Carnot yesterday and handed in his resignation of the finance portfolio.

In the Chamber of Deputies yesterday M. Rouvier confirmed the statement made by M. Clemenceau that he and Baron de Reinach visited Clemenceau on the eve of the Baron's death.

Paul de Roulede, former president of the suppressed Patriotic League, made a violent attack upon Rouvier, declaring he ought to be compelled to appear before the High Court to answer charges made against him in connection with his conduct while holding a Ministerial position.

M. Rouvier responded, saying he was ready to answer in any court any charge. He added that he had visited Baron de Reinach solely from motives of humanity.

The resignation of Rouvier will probably result in an extension of official life to the Ribot Cabinet.

Shortly after M. Rouvier's visit to President Carnot it was officially announced that the Finance Minister's resignation had been accepted and that M. Tirard, ex-Minister of Finance, and at present representing France at the Brussels conference, had been appointed to succeed him.

THE ARMY BILL.

The Saxon Minister of War Favors Caprivi's Measure.

Berlin, Dec. 14.—The general debate on the Army Bill was continued in the Reichstag yesterday. The Saxon Minister of War spoke strongly in favor of the bill. He said that his Government endorsed it in every particular, and thus contradicted the rumors to the effect that the King of Saxony was irreconcilably opposed to the passage of the bill.

Rudolf Von Bennigsen, National Liberal leader, opposed the bill conditionally. It could not be passed unless altered, he said, and nobody should expect a parliamentary majority for it as it was presented.

August Bebel, social Democratic leader, denounced the bill from beginning to end. It was merely a provisional measure, he said, and the assurance given to the contrary should be considered in the light of the ever recurring demands of the last 20 years. The so-called Scharnhorst system was a theory which could never be realized under the provisions of the bill.

ANOTHER PROPOSAL.

That Warrants Be Issued Against Deposits of Silver.

Brussels, Dec. 14.—M. Foville, a French delegate to the monetary conference, has submitted a proposal to the conference to the effect that warrants shall be issued against deposits of silver on same system as that which prevails in Glasgow, Scotland, where warrants are issued on deposits of pig iron, the warrants not to have recognition as international currency, but simply to bear the statement that they are good for the weight of silver specified.

It is understood all the countries in the Latin union will support the proposition, which is likely to secure the support of every section of the conference.

HOME RULE BILL.

The Measure Menaces the Unity of the British Empire.

London, Dec. 14.—The union of Conservative associations held its annual meeting in Sheffield yesterday. The attendance of delegates from all parts of the Kingdom was very large. The Earl of Scarborough was elected president.

Charles Stuart-Wortley, M.P., made the opening address. He declared the whole Conservative party would support the burden of rejecting the Liberal gerrymandering electoral reform bill and the Irish Home Rule bill, which latter measure menaced the unity of the Empire.

The conference adopted a resolution declaring in favor of the return to Parliament of candidates of the labor party.

No Hostility at Rome.

London, Dec. 14.—The Standard's Rome correspondent says: "In response to letters from foreign organizers of pilgrimages, expressing fears of a hostile reception in Rome, the Vatican gives assurance that there is nothing to fear, it being to the interest of the government to prevent a repetition of the scenes of October, 1891. The Pope has intimated that offerings of money would be the most suitable jubilee gifts."

Mrs. Langtry Angry.

London, Dec. 14.—The Morning Post says: Mrs. Langtry has offered a reward of £50 for information as to the origin of an unpleasant story about herself. She was the heroine, the story has it, of a disreputable scene at supper at the Savoy Hotel, when it is alleged she threw butter at a number of gentlemen, and was requested to finish the meal in a private room and then to quit the hotel.

Home Rule Trouble.

Dublin, Dec. 14.—John Dillon, in addressing a National Federation convention at Boyle yesterday, admitted that there was some danger and risk of trouble in Parliament over the coming Home Rule, but he said it arose rather from the dissension in Ireland than from the condition of the parties in England.

"August Flower"

Dyspepsia. There is a gentleman at Malden-on-the-Hudson, N. Y., named Captain A. G. Pareis, who has written us a letter in which it is evident that he has made up his mind concerning some things, and this is what he says: "I have used your preparation called August Flower in my family for seven or eight years. It is constantly in my house, and we consider it the best remedy for Indigestion, and Constipation we have ever used or known. **Indigestion.** My wife is troubled with Dyspepsia, and at times suffers very much after eating. The August Flower, however, relieves the difficulty. My wife frequently says to me when I am going to town, 'We are out of August Flower, and I think you had better get another bottle.' **Constipation.** I am also troubled with Indigestion, and whenever I am, I take one or two teaspoonfuls before eating, for a day or two, and all trouble is removed."

Hello!—You fellow there.—Don't go humping about as if your back was broken. Go off at once and get a bottle of Magic Pile Lotion—use it according to directions and you will walk as straight as any body in 24 hours. Get along with you! To McKeown & Co's or D. M. Waters.

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RHEUMATISM.—Col. DAVID WYLIE, Brockville, Ont., says: "I suffered intensely with rheumatism in my ankles. Could not stand; rubbed them with
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In the morning I walked without pain."
NEURALGIA.—Mr. JAMES BONNER, 158 Yonge St., Toronto, Ont., writes: "St. Jacobs Oil is the only remedy that relieved me of neuralgia, and it effectually cured me."
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1. That the EXCELSIOR has a Larger Ratio of Assets to Liabilities..
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3. " " secured its business at a lower cost.......
4. " " has a lower death rate..................

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Of some other Companies which are unintelligible and misleading.

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Of the Security of a Company is its PROPORTION of Assets to Liabilities.

The following are the ratio of Assets to Liabilities of the different Canadian Companies as given in the Government Report for 1891:

EXCELSIOR LIFE....	415 per cent.	Dominion Life....	301 per cent.
Canada Life..........	112 "	Confederation Life	113 "
Federal Life	144 "	London Life......	116 "
Manufacturers Life.....	144 "	North American .	125 "
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SANTA FE TRAIN WRECK

THE PASSENGERS FARE BADLY AS IS USUAL.

It is said the Baggageman Was Killed—The Train Went Through a Bridge—The Baggage Car and One Coach Are in a Creek.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 13.—Eastbound Santa Fe passenger train No. 2, which left Kansas City at 8.55 this morning, went through a bridge between Camden and Floyd, 40 miles east of here.

The baggage car and one coach went into the creek and several passengers are reported badly hurt.

It is said the baggageman was killed, but no wires are all down so it is impossible to get details of the wreck.

THE BULLETS FLEW.

Four Masked Men Make a Lively Attempt to Rob a Train.

IRON GATE, Va., Dec. 14.—A desperate attempt at train robbery was made last night just as the C. & O. vestibule train, No. 4, was pulling out of Huntington, W. Va. The crew of the train saw a thrust open and four masked men with two pistols each called upon the passengers to throw up their hands.

Two of the passengers seized one of the robbers, throwing him down and attempting to disarm him. In the scuffle one of the passengers, a German from Cincinnati who with his wife was on his bridal trip to Europe, was mortally wounded.

Peter Drake was twice wounded. Meanwhile Tickets Collector Selugley was trying to secure a pistol, which he finally succeeded in getting in the baggage car, and, returning, opened fire on the robbers, emptying all the barrels of the pistol. He again returned to the baggage car, secured another pistol and commenced firing.

In the meantime the robbers had torn off their masks and the whole train was in intense excitement—women fainting, children screaming and everybody who could was seeking shelter under the seats. The robbers, seeing their game was up, pulled his bell-cord, stopped the train and jumped off in the darkness.

PUBLIC HEALTH.

Dr. Bryce Tells of the Result of the American Conference at Mexico.

TORONTO, Dec. 14.—Dr. Bryce has returned from the convention of the American Public Health Association held during the past three weeks in the City of Mexico. There were 500 delegates at the convention, about one-half of whom were Spanish-speaking Mexicans. Dr. Bryce says the Mexican Government fully appreciates the aims of the association. Papers were read at the meetings in both Spanish and English and all English papers were published by the Government in Spanish and distributed throughout the city.

Of course the chief matters of discussion were the schemes proposed by which Mexico, the United States and Canada might by joint or separate action protect themselves from the cholera epidemic next summer. A special committee on the matter reported a resolution calling upon the American Government to at once establish a bureau of health, with headquarters at Washington, and with complete control of the national quarantine of the United States. The resolution also stated that it was quite safe for the proposed bureau to be vested with powers enabling it to cooperate with the Canadian and Mexican authorities. This resolution was unanimously adopted.

The association also expressed itself in favor of a proposition to close all but a limited number of ports to immigrants from Europe. A more effective method of excluding the fell pestilence would be, they thought, to prevent all immigration for one year, but in case that was impracticable the steamship companies ought to be compelled to obtain from each vessel sailing from Europe a bill for America a clean bill of health from the American consul.

Dr. Bryce expressed himself as well pleased with his visit to the convention, and with the intelligent interest our dusky neighbors to the south take in sanitary matters.

YOUNG BLAINE.

Says His Father Is Improving and Progressing Nicely.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—James G. Blaine, jr., said last night to a reporter of The United Press: "Father is improving and progressing nicely. We have no apprehension as to the final outcome of his indisposition."

"Has your father, or the family, made any definite plans for the proposed trip when the weather will permit?" was asked.

"No, not as yet."

"How about the rumors that Dr. Ducey and Cardinal Gibbons inducted your father into the Catholic Church?"

"There is no truth in the rumor. Dr. Ducey called to see father one day last week only in a friendly way, as did Cardinal Gibbons yesterday. That is all there is to it."

FULL OF NERVE.

He Killed Two Murderers of His Father and Captured a Third.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 14.—Mail advices from Japan report that three escaped Japanese convicts recently found shelter in the house of a family. They were kindly treated and supplied with food for three days.

On the fourth day, during the absence of the son and daughter, the convicts killed the father, pillaged the house and fled. The son overtook the men, killed two and captured the third.

POISON AT HOMESTEAD.

The Victim at Toronto is Not Known by Carnegie Officials.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Dec. 14.—The Charles Stanford, who died in Toronto, Ont., last night from supposed poison administered at Homestead during the strike, is not known by the Carnegie officials. Secretary Lovejoy said the company sent several sick men home, but kept no record of them.

The officials and members of the Homestead Advisory Board continue to denounce the poison plot as a scheme to further injure them.

Niagara Reservation

ALBANY, N.Y., Dec. 14.—The commissioners of the Niagara reservation will meet Thursday in New York to prepare their annual report and prepare estimates for many repairs and improvements to be made the coming year. The number of visitors to the reservation from Oct. 1, 1891, to Sept. 20, 1892, was 196,580, and the receipts will almost equal the expenditures, regardless of improvements.

Up Instead of Down.

MILWAUKEE, Dec. 14.—The indications are that to-morrow morning whisky will be sent up another five cents and alcohol 10 cents a gallon, and the present unsettled state of the market becomes more confused and uncertain in consequence.

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WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—During the month of September the collector of customs at Marquette, Mich., collected canal tolls to the extent of $832,79 on Canadian vessels. For October the sum was $14,130.58.

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All throughout the Provinces the rapid increase of the Grippe, is causing great alarm. A report was received here to-day, of a new development in the disease, which is worse, perhaps than any other. Wm. Hanley of N. Y. City, died in terrible agony after sickness of only four days. His tongue swelled to such an extent as to make it impossible for him to close his jaws or swallow any food. The report is causing the people in this district to remain in into the noted Grippe-ry, recently referred to in so many papers. In Cape Breton the disease has spread very rapidly and with fatal results. D. J. Killop of L. Ainneveque writes Feb. 11th that this cure has been tried in his neighborhood and with such success that all those residing there are obtaining a supply believing it to be the only remedy affording relief and effecting a certain cure. He further says he will be glad to take a large quantity of the Medicine (Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills) to supply the demands of the community for the relief of Grippe.

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AN OPEN LETTER

(Continued from Saturday)

Does he come to Canada and go farming? He finds himself obliged to pay a tax of from 25 to 40 per cent. on every thing he purchases, and, when he sells any of his produce to the United States, to pay in addition a tribute to the same extent to the Washington Government for the privilege of selling. Hence his dollar becomes worth only from 50 to 60 cents. He sees his brother or cousin, it may be, farming in the United States. He sees him, as a citizen of the United States, as a subscriber to their political principles, selling everything he produces without paying one cent of tribute to any Government on earth, for he raises nothing that he cannot sell either in free trade England or at home, and never in protected Canada. He sees him also paying a lower taxation on what he and his family consume than what he as a Canadian farmer pays, for while the customs taxation in Canada is $4.50 per head and going up, it is but $3.39 in the States and is being rapidly reduced almost to the vanishing point. He finds Canadian towns and cities almost at a complete standstill, many of them going backward, and the opportunities limited for the employment of his children who may wish to leave the farm; the only thriving industry in Canada outside of the protected ones being that of the money lender; while almost in sight of his own farm, close to the imaginary line which runs athwart the continent, and forms the boundary between the two countries, he sees on the American side of that line, towns in the United States thriving as cities nowhere else in the world have grown, and whose aggregate population is as much as that of the British Isles, one of these cities alone, Chicago, still in its infancy, containing a larger population than all the cities and towns in the whole Dominion of Canada put together. Last, but by no means least, he sees in the United States a practical application of the eternal principle of government of the people, by the people and for the people, while in Canada we have a hermaphrodite thing, mostly monarchical, a relic of barbaric ages, covered by a thin mask of sham republicanism to conceal its hideous character as being gradually revealed by the inexorable hand of Fate, accompanied by government of the people by Boodlers and for Boodlers and thieves!! What wonder that when the Continent becomes fully known to the people they have decided to our shores he does, as do also our fathers and brothers and children, goes to the greatest, and the most prosperous country known in history!!

A COMPARISON OF GROWTH.

Interesting, albeit discouraging to Canadians is a comparison of the growth of Canada with that of several of the States of the Union. In the last 10 years

Ontario has increased	186,000
Alabama has increased	550,000
Georgia has increased	575,000
Kentucky has increased	210,000
Illinois has increased	750,000
Minnesota has increased	520,000
Missouri has increased	510,000
Michigan has increased	456,000
Arkansas has increased	225,000
Kansas has increased	430,000
New Jersey has increased	312,000
New York has increased	815,000
North Carolina has increased	218,000
Nebraska has increased	607,000
Ohio has increased	475,000
Pennsylvania has increased	965,000
Massachusetts has increased	406,000
California has increased	371,000
Washington Ter. has increased	340,000
Dakota has increased	275,000

These figures should startle and alarm Canadians. They afford a fair means of comparing progress with that of the several States mentioned. Had Ontario been allowed, free from tariff embarrassment, to develop her great natural resources, her advancement would have been as great as that made by any of them. Had any of these States been separated from the rest by an international boundary line, and flanked on either side by an almost insurmountable tariff wall, its progress would have been no greater than that of Ontario, and probably less, for Ontario, with the best agricultural lands on the continent, her great fisheries and her unrivalled mineral resources, is more richly endowed by nature than almost any State in the Union.

OUR FINANCIAL POSITION.

In 1867 Canada was in a much better position financially, as in almost every other way, than the United States. Our neighbors having just emerged from a terribly expensive and destructive war, those Canadians who, from some inscrutable reason, felt hostile to that wonderful and bleeding country, predicted its speedy disruption, and were encouraged to hope that, in the lifetime even of persons then living, the northern half of the continent would become a greater nation than the southern half—they hoped that the mock monarchy which was attempted to be transplanted to the free soil of this continent would grow up to overshadow the Republican institutions of the United States. How completely Canada has failed to gain population, the essential desideratum of greatness, we have seen, and we have seen how the United States has gained in the direction in which we lose. Now let us briefly examine the financial condition of each country and ascertain how we have retrograded while they have been advancing until to-day the United States stands the richest and the most lightly taxed nation on the face of the globe. A comparison in the debt of the two countries has taken place as follows:

	U. S. DEBT.		CANADIAN DEBT.	
Y'R.	AMOUNT.	PER HEAD.	Y'R.	AMOUNT.	PER HEAD.
1871	$2 232 030 834	$56	1871	$ 77 706 517	$23
1881	1 856 958 811	35	1881	156 305 780	35
1891	834 230 496	10	1891	243 000 000	50

The foregoing shows a reduction of thirteen hundred million dollars in the debt of the States and an increase in the debt of Canada of one hundred and sixty-three millions of dollars, while they are better prepared to bear an increase than we are. Is not that comparative statement sufficient to cause Canadians to ask themselves seriously "whither are we drifting"? Bearing in mind this most important fact, that when we began our so-called national existence as a Confederated Dominion of British provinces, our debt stood at $22 per head, and has since gone up to practically $60;—for with provincial debts which must be assumed by Canada it is quite that figure;—considering that we have undertaken no extraordinary expenditures except in the vain attempt to "develop" our resources; that while their debt has decreased from $56 to $10 per head, and our expenditure has increased and their decreased, THEY HAVE PAID THREE THOUSAND MILLION DOLLARS TO ENTINGUISH THE WAR DEBT, and are now paying at the rate of over one hundred million dollars annually to pension old soldiers and widows of soldiers who fought and died to maintain the integrity of the Union—and we have a financial contrast between two countries, side by side, and peopled by the same race, that to the world's history has never been and never can be again paralleled—unless, indeed, Canada persists in her foolish political and commercial isolation from its wealthy and powerful neighbor.

(To be Continued)

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WAITING IN TERROR

The Latin-Americans Continue to Rush Around for Blood.

VALPARAISO, Dec. 15.—A correspondent at Santa Anna telegraphs that the residents there are in terror, expecting an invasion of the province by federals. Barricades have been erected to assist in the defense. The garrison stationed there hope that help will be sent by Col. Portogal of the regular forces.

Several high military chiefs among the republicans, who had been imprisoned at San Borbs preparatory to their removal to Porto Alegre, were killed by the guards.

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A Grand Selection of

Ladies' Capes, Mantles and Jackets

For Winter in New Styles

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At very moderate prices. Also

Maids' Jackets, Reefers & Paletots

Together with a full range, lately opened, of the Genuine

Heptonette Waterproof Cloaks

They are quite Rainproof and free from the disagreeable odor of rubber Goods.

GEO. RITCHIE & CO

Grain Wanted.

I have recently secured the use of the Union Elevator, Belleville and am now prepared to pay the highest prices for all kinds of grain. Will contract for large quantities. Call and see me before you sell.

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opposite Market, Successor to R. P. Hamilton.

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The Dry Goods Stock of

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Mantles and Jackets, Dress Goods Mantle Cloths, Sealettes Tweeds and Overcoatings, Gloves & Hosiery, Flannels, Velvets and Plushes, Silks & Satins, Ribbons & Feathers.

REMEMBER, the whole stock must be sold. Secure Bargains.

GENTLEMEN!

Have you examined our ENDOWMENT POLICY? If not it is time you did. This plan is a specialty with us. We can give you a safe and paying investment besides having your risk carried during the 10, 15 or 20 years as the case may be. Particulars and all information cheerfully given by

S. BURROWS, GENERAL AGENT

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STOVES & TINWARE,
FURNACE WORK,
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The best value in the city.
We sell these fancy goods at lower prices than they are usually sold at.
See our window of these goods and note the prices.
Silk Handkerchiefs—Embroidered,
Silk Handkerchiefs—White Hemstitch.
Silk Handkerchiefs—Brocaded.

Fancy Woolen Goods

Several lines of fancy Woolens at about half of the cost price. See them.

Fur Goods

A few Fur Capes.
A few Muffs.
A few Collars and Cuffs.
A few Capes.
These are about half price. We wish to clear them out this winter.
LADIES' ASTRACHAN JACKETS,
GENTS' FUR COATS.

Robes—Black.
Robes—White. } Good value.
Robes—Grey.

House Furnishings

A fine assortment of Curtains,
A fine assortment of Blinds,
A fine assortment of Oilcloths,
A fine assortment of Silentiums,
A fine assortment of Rugs,
A fine assortment of Mats,

Carpets.

Bargains in carpets for the Xmas trade. If you require a carpet purchase before Xmas and we will give you a bargain.

JAS. W. DUNNET

Glasgow Warehouse,
Belleville, Dec. 14th, '92.

THE DAILY ONTARIO

BELLEVILLE, WEDNESDAY, DEC. 14th

PROBABILITIES.

Lakes—High south-east shifting to westerly winds; some rain or sleet, followed by fair weather.

Upper St. Lawrence—High south-east to south-west winds; cloudy, with sleet or rain.

TOLD IN A LINE OR TWO

The annual Christmas Tree and entertaiment of the University S. S., will be given on Thursday evening, Dec. 15, commencing at 7.30 o'clock. An excellent Cantata "Santa Claus and Co." will be given by the school. Admission 15c and 10c.

William Cummins was charged at the police court to-day with systematically robbing J. W. Wilson, grocer, in whose employ he has been for some time past. He was found guilty of stealing six dollars and was sent to the Reformatory for three years.

Michael Harrigan, better known as "Fish" was charged with drunkenness to-day but was allowed to go.

The proposed convention of Methodist class leaders has been postponed until March next.

A. G. Whittier, a well-known citizen of Trenton, and one of the liquor license commissioners for West Hastings, died yesterday at the age of 53 years and four months. The deceased was held in high esteem by all who knew him. He leaves a wife and family.

Rev. E. N. Baker, M.A B.D., will give his popular lecture "Rambles in Rome," in Holloway St. Methodist church on Friday evening next Dec. 16th. at 8 P.M. Admission only 10 cents, easily worth 25 cents. w&f

For Bargains on Christmas goods, go to E. Harrison.

The Eden Musee and Glass Blowers Exhibition now exhibiting on Front St. is the best exhibition of its kind we have ever seen. The wax groupe are perfect works of art, they are all first-class and are equal to any in the famous Madam Tusanea in London. Each groupe is an object lesson in itself and we would advise our readers to see them and bring their children. The glass blowing done by this troupe is wonderful, the way they draw and spin that brittle metal is an entertainment in itself. They also give to visitors a present of their glass work. Everyone should see this exhibition, especially the ladies and children, for it is a moral and instructive entertainment.

Don't miss Harrison's discount sale. Everything reduced one third.

Pain in back is cured by Membray's Kidney and Liver cure. Ask D. M. Waters, chemist and druggist, about it

D. M. Waters, Chemist and druggist Belleville, has a supply of Membray's Kidney and Liver Cure in stock. Ask about it.

Christmas Books, Prayer-books Albums, reduced thirty-three one third per cent. at Harrison's.

It is only a couple of years since Salvater Magnus was first offered to the public and it has already affected more cures of lung diseases than all other remedies combined have done in twenty years.

I shall for 3 days, Thursday Friday and Saturday, December 15th, 16th, and 17th, offer my whole stock of Books and Stationery, Fancy Goods, Musical Instruments, at a reduction of 33 1-3 per cent. No Reserve.

E. Harrison.

Mrs. Ashley, mother of Henry Ashley, Station road, is still hale and hearty at the age of 93. She was born in Belleville and has always lived here. She is able to be about and is in full possession of her faculties.

What's the use of feeling languid,
Mopy, dull and blue?
Cleanse the blood and give it vigor;
Make the old man new.
How? I'll tell you. To the drug store
Go this very day—
Buy a medicine to banish
All your ills away—

And that medicine is Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, the very best blood-purifier on earth. It builds up and strengthens the system because it cleanses the blood, and that's what the system must have to be strong and healthy. There's nothing that equals it. Absolutely sold on trial! Your money back, if it doesn't benefit or cure you.

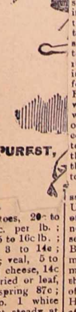
It will be worth your while to call and see the grand stock of stoves and ranges Deacon & Doyle have on hand.

TRADE AND COMMERCE.

THERE ARE NO CHANGES IN THE LOCAL MARKETS.

Deseronto and Campbellford Markets—The Oswego Markets Strong—The Belleville Hide and Grain Markets Remain Steady

...ity with reference to a rule ...sider injudicious, if not un... We do not know whether ...s to all the schools, but ..., although the complaints ...school mainly. It appears ...n of the Board of Trustees, ...l of the school acting on ...ity, the doors of the school ...pened in the morning or ...h until precisely nine and ...o'clock. Small children, ... who are not physically ...ther so order their move... ...ach the school at exact time, ...ide, sometimes exposed to ...her. If they are a few ...oy must return home for a ...or take the consequences. ...if a child goes outside the ...not return until the doors ...ed for school. This rule is ...



OSWEGO MARKETS.

Oats, 45c per bushel; Potatoes, 20c to 25c per peck; Beef, 3 to 16c. per lb.; lamb, 5 to 18c, lb.; mutton, 5 to 16c lb.; turkey, 16 to 20c lb.; pork 8 to 14c; spring chickens, 14 to 16c lb.; veal, 5 to 16c lb.; butter, 24 to 28c lb.; cheese, 14c lb.; eggs, fresh, 28c; lard, tried or leaf, 8c lb.; wheat, No. 1 hard spring 87c; No. 2 red winter, 84½c; No. 1 white Michigan, 82½c. Corn market steady at 54c; barley, 75 to 80c; buckwheat flour, $2.30 cwt.; cabbage, 4 to 6c; hay quoted at $10 to $12 per ton; baled hay $13; lamb pelts 55c; sheep pelts 80c to $1.00; hides slaughter, 8c lb.; calf skins 5 to 6c; cow hides, 3c; bull hides, 2c.

DESERONTO MARKET.

Barley 40 to 45c per bus; butter 20c per lb; buckwheat 45 to 50c per bus; cheese 10 to 12c per lb.; chickens 35 to 50c per pair; ducks 60 to 80c per pair; eggs 18 to 20c per doz; geese 40 to 50c each; ham, smoked, 10c per lb; hay $6 to $8 per ton; hides $3 per cwt. trimmed; lamb 5 to 7c per lb; oats 22 to 25c per bus; pelts 40c each; potatoes 85 to 95c per bag; peas 60 cents per bus; rye 80c per bus; straw $2 per load; wheat 65 to 70c per bus.

CAMPBELLFORD MARKET.

Bakers flour $2 25; family flour $2 Smith's best flour $2 50; fall wheat; standard 64 to 66c; corn meal $1 50; spring wheat, standard 60 to 6 ; peas 54 to 56c; barley 30 to 40c; rye 50c; oats 25 to 26c; potatoes, per bag 55 to 60c; apples, per bag 35 to 50c; eggs 16 to 17c per doz; lard 11c lb; butter 16 to 17c per lb; pork 9 to 10c per lb; hams 12 to 15c per lb; wood, per cord $2 to $3; hay $6 to $8 per ton.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

MONTREAL, Dec 13.—There were about 450 head butchers cattle, 500 sheep and lambs, and a few calves offered at the East End abattoir to-day. Good beeves were more plentiful than usual, and brought slightly lower rates than similar stock brought last week.

Cattle.—While there was a change to note in the prices of common and inferior beasts, a few of the best animals were sold here at from 4 to 4½ per pound, but they were of better quality than those selling at the same rate last week. Pretty good steers and large fat cows sold at from 3½ to 3¾c per pound; common dry cows and rough steers at from 2½ to 3½ per pound, and some of the leaner beasts sold down to about 2c per pound.

THE DAIRY.

LITTLE FALLS, N.Y., Dec. 13.—To-day there were 1,810 boxes of factory cheese at 9¾ to 10¾c. There were 322 boxes of farm dairies sold at 9 to 10c, the bulk at the latter figure. The principal sales were for the home trade, which is unusually short.

TORONTO PRODUCE MARKETS.

TORONTO, Ont., December 13.—Market weak. Quotations: Flour, straight roller, $2.95 to $3.00; extra, $2.80 to $2.90; wheat, white, 68c to 65c; spring No. 2, 60 to 62c; goose, 55 to 56c; red winter, 62 to 64c; No. 1 Man. hard, 81 to 82c; do No. 2, 76 to 78c; do No. 3, 71 to 73c; No. 1 frosted, 63c; do No. 2, 53c; do No. 3. 47 to 48c; peas, No. 2, 54 to 55c; barley, No. 1, 50 to 51c; do No. 2, 44 to 45c; do No. 3 extra, 39 to 40c; do No. 3, 38 to 39c; corn, 57 to 58c; oats, No. 2, 29½ to 31c. Sales: Straight roller flour at equal to $3.30, (Toronto freight); white wheat outside at 63 to 64c; red outside at 62 to 63c; spring outside at 66c; goose outside at 55c; No. 1 Man. hard at North Bay at 80c and here at 81c; oats outside at 27 to 28c; peas outside at 54 to 54½c.

Additional Premises Occupied by Ontario Business College

The additional premises acquired by Messrs. Robinson & Johnson for Ontario Business College, in the block next to the College on Bridge St. were occupied to day. They are beautifully fitted up, and charmingly situated, directly facing the Bay of Quinte. Access to the new rooms is either by the new Bridge St. entrance, or from the main building, having the Front St. entrance.

The large increase in the attendance over any previous year has necessitated the increased accommodation. The College in session presents a splendid sight just now. The following countries are represented by the students now in attendance:—Newfoundland, Trinidad and Barbados, West Indies, New York, New Hampshire, Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, Quebec and all parts in Ontario.

Young Men's Ulsters.

We have a nice lot of ulsters at the Oak Hall, which have been made up especially for the young men's trade by W. E. Sanford Manufacturing Co., of Hamilton. These coats are equal in every respect to the best ordered work and can be bought for $10.

COUNTY COURT

Wm, McPhadden vs. Robert Gamble—For money loaned by plff to deft. Parties are brother-in-laws; defence money borrowed came from estate of Deft father-in-law. Verdict for Plff. for $131.41.

Thomas Connelly vs. Ella Jane Robertson.—Action to recover price of a piano, defence, plaintiff is paid in full by services rendered by Deft. husband to Plff. Referred to A. G. Nortnrup. Lazier & Wright for Plff. Clute and Williams for Deft.

Ostrom vs. Sills—Action for damages for backing water on plff's land. Put over to next court. Porter for plff; Clute & Williams for deft.

Deacon & Doyle carry a full line of gas fixtures, also Bray's patent burner the great saver of gas.

If you want a Cough-mixture that your wife can take without making a face at you, and your children will cry for, and that will cure their coughs and colds quicker than anything you ever brought home to them, then get Magnus Expectorant.

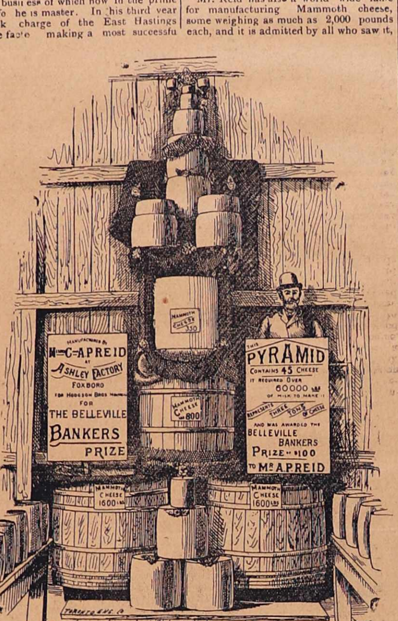
Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

A WELL KNOWN CHEESE MAKER.

A short Sketch of the Career of a Man who has Made a National Reputation in the Cheese World

As the opportunity presents itself we embrace it to give the public a synopsis of the career of Mr. A. P. Reid who has achieved the reputation of being the foremost cheese maker in Canada to-day. There is not a shadow of doubt that the history of our representative men is and should be laid down as an example to our youths, to show them what has and can still be done in the different enterprises in which they engage, to prove to them that the highest degree of success is attained only by undivided attention and a stained effort, and to encourage them to climb to notch still higher. "He who runs may read," and as cheese making in Canada has been made one of our foremost industries, by such men as A. P. Reid and others, a sketch of the work of Mr. Reid, who began at a time when there were but three factories in operation, in this section, and who has continued till now, when factories are dotted over the country, separated by only three or four miles, may be instructive to the young cheese maker, and interesting to the reading public.

Twenty-four years ago, at the age of seventeen, in what is now known as the Union Factory, on the third concession of Thurlow, A. P. Reid learned the business of cheese making. In this factory he served two years under training of E. P. Brintnell who in his career, as a cheese-maker, won more prizes than any other maker in Ontario. Here Mr. Reid laid the groundwork of that successful career of which he is now enjoying the fruits. Here he learned thoroughly the rudiments of the business of which now in the prime of life he is master. In his third year he took charge of the East Hastings cheese facto... making a most successfu...



...year in his capacity as manager. From here he went to the Ashley factory at Foxboro, then owned and managed by Mr. Hartford Ashley, who employed Mr. Reid as marker at a salary of seventy-five dollars a month during two very successful years. At the close of the first season Mr. Ashley in addition to paying the stipulated salary made Mr. Reid a present of fifty dollars and re-engaged him at a salary of one hundred a month and at the close of that season made him a present of one hundred dollars. Mr. Reid then engaged to take charge of the Mineral Springs factory, in Prince Edward County.

Next season, 1874, on the farm now owned by Mr. Reid, on the banks of the river Moira, between Foxboro and Corbyville, he built for himself a factory and successfully conducted it for ten years, when he amalgamated with the Union factory mentioned above and ran them jointly for six years. Here he achieved the best part of the reputation he has as cheese maker. In 1886 Mr. Reid was waited upon by a local buyer and asked to manufacture a special shape and grade of cheese which netted a premium of one-half cent per pound on the highest market price for the finest cheese sold on the Belleville market. These cheese were shipped to the old country without the factory brand which aroused Mr. Reid's curiosity to know why unbranded Canadian cheese went forward on export. To secure the desired information Mr. Reid enclosed a note in a small vial, sealed the latter and pressed it in the centre of one of the cheese. The note read as follows: "The maker of this cheese is desirous to learn from the consumer information concerning, the quality, the style of make, and how it compares with the finest English Cheddar cheese." The note was pressed in the cheese in the month of June and in the following February Mr. Reid received this reply signed by the consumer: "Upon cutting a cheese this morning I found the enclosed note (Mr. Reid's). In reply I would say, the cheese in point of quality is as fine as any we have ever received. It may interest you, however, to know, we are selling it over the counter as the finest English Cheddar cheese at a price over 20 cents a pound." Mr. Reid's cheese have been placed on the English markets and sold in competition on their merits, alongside the finest Cheshire and Cheddar cheese, and in every instance have brought as high prices as any others.

As late as the present season Mr. Reid sent an exhibit of twenty-two cheese—two of which weighed 500 pounds each to the Liverpool Exhibition, through the Imperial Produce Co., of Toronto, for whom Mr. Reid is agent. These goods were exhibited by Marples, Jones & Co., and won a medal. Mr. Reid has since received cable instructions to purchase and forward his season's output to Marples Jones & Co., at a premium on the highest market price here. In connection with this exhibit the opinion of the Tory of Liverpool is apt. It says, speaking of the exhibit of Canadian produce at this great Liverpool agricultural show,: "Special mention must be made of a quantity of handsome Canadian Cheddars, about 100 lbs. each, made expressly for this exhibit by A. P. Reid, one of the Imperial Produce Co.'s agents in Canada, as also two very handsome Cheddars weighing nearly 500 lbs. each. Although so large these are perfectly made and cut close and rich. The maker has won many prizes in Canada, and it is not at all strange that Messrs. Marples, Jones & Co., have secured a medal for these goods, admitted by several cheese makers who examined them, to be as well made as any Cheshire or English Cheddar in the show. Over these goods were very appropriately hung some handsome Canadian views taken on the Canadian Pacific Railway Co."

Mr. Reid has also a world wide fame for manufacturing Mammoth cheese, some weighing as much as 2,000 pounds each, and it is admitted by all who saw it, that the finest exhibit ever made in Canada was that of Mr. Reid's at the Belleville Exhibition in 1890 in competition for the Belleville Banker's prize of $100. This exhibition was in the form of a pyramid and contained forty five cheese, over three tons in weight, and stood seventeen and one half feet in height. On the bottom were two mammoth cheese 2,000 pounds each, on the top, suspended by wires, were five cheese each weighing 1½ lbs as perfectly made as cheese could be. In this pyramid was a cheese made perfectly square, something entirely new and novel.

We insert a cut of this pyramid in which can be seen the smiling countenance of its builder, justly proud of his achievement and his reputation as Canada's foremost cheese maker. We understand that Mr. Reid intends building a still larger pyramid at the Chicago Exposition, and no doubt be just such a gigantic display of cheese as can be made only by this veteran pioneer and will be in his best style.

Mr. Reid has made a thorough success of cheesemaking for over twenty-four years. He is the oldest and most practical expect at the business we have in the Dominion of Canada and the youthful cheesemaker would do well to follow in his footsteps.

It seems but a few years ago when cheesemaking was a new thing in Ontario, when the Hon. Robert Reid offered to give $100 to the first cheese factory that commenced operation, and a great deal of agitation was aroused, and the assertion was actually made that cheese could not be manufactured in Ontario.

Almost immediately afterwards a factory was built on the Front of Sidney, a little later the Holloway factory was erected. Then came the Canifton, now known as the Union, wherein the subject of this sketch learned the business, which he has brought to to the highest degree of excellence ever attained by a cheesemaker in this country. He is now but forty years of age, and was born in Thurlow on the farm which he now owns, and has been out of his own township, but six months in his whole life, which would infer that the subject of this sketch is entitled to honor in his own land, and we hope he may yet have many years to help to advance this great industry in Canada

Cured Female Weakness

Mr. Hugh Caldwell, Clydesdale, Ont., writes:—"My daughter was under the care of doctors for more than a year for female weakness, without getting relief. I then procured Pink Pills and they cured her." All dealers 50 cents a box or 6 boxes for 2.60, or mailed on receipt of price. Dr. Williams' Med. Co., Brockville, Ont., and Schenectady, N. Y.

Gratifying to All

The high position attained and the universal acceptance and approval of the pleasant liquid fruit remedy Syrup of Figs as the most excellent laxative known, illustrate the value of the qualities on which its success is based and are abundantly gratifying to the California Fig Syrup Company.

M. J. Sage has started a dancing school in Belleville which has already a large membership. Mr. Sage is one of the best dancing masters in Ontario and comes to Belleville highly recommended.

Sunshine in the House!

"I'm weary with work!" the good wife sighed;
"But after all," she said.
"It's sweet to labor for those we love—
No wonder that maids will wed."

A wise housewife lightens her toil and gladdens the home circle by her cheerfulness. But health is the first requisite, and her just prerogative. Health follows the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, which afflict womankind. It enriches the blood, cures the cough, increases the flesh, prevents hysteria, nervousness and low spirits, and is a veritable fountain of health to women, young and old. Satisfaction, or the price (1.00) refunded. Of druggists.

For hanging and stand lamps try Geen's Drug Store.

Milburn's Cod Liver Oil Emulsion with Wild Cherry and Hypophosphites builds up and strengthens the entire system.

F. A. Abraham, issuer of marriage licenses at the ONTARIO Office.

WALTER FANNING RE-INSTATED.

The Court of Appeal Grants His Application After Seventeen Years

Walter Fanning, the well-known horseman has been re-instated in the American National Trotting Association by the Court of Appeal which has been sitting in New York for the past week. Mr. Fanning was suspended at Ottawa in 1875, under circumstances which left no doubt of his innocence. He was asked by the manager of the Ottawa track to enter his Eva. Mr. Fanning replied that Eva was under suspension and could not trot on an Association track. The Ottawa manager at once telegraphed that he did not intend to join the Association that year and Mr. Fanning accordingly entered his mare. He carried the race, but a protest was entered by the other horses on the ground that Eva was not eligible on an association track. Mr. Fanning then for the first time learned that the manager had subsequently joined the Association. It cost Mr. Fanning $300. He refused to go before the Court of Appeal to defend his case and he was compelled to suffer suspension until this summer he made application to be reinstated.

Climatology

Increased attention is being paid this important subject. A chair of "Climatology has been recently founded at the Rush Medical College, in Chicago. Most conservative physicians perfer to send people with catarrh, delicate throat or lungs to the balmy air of the south, provided the exhilarating air of the sea can be included. This admirable and necessary combination is furnished the Northerner at North Galveston, a few miles north of Galveston proper on the sheltered and beautiful Galveston Bay. The North Galveston Association is prepared to furnish opportunities of a life time to the investor; the merchant; the artisan; the invalid—or to any person whom life in a charming bracing climate is desirable. Call upon or write their Belleville Agent John Forin for full information.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

J. Oram, manager of the Midland Central Fair, was in the city to-day.

Joseph Graham, of Thurlow, and son of a tenant farmer who formerly lived on John Diamond's farm in that township has been elected Sheriff of Chehatis county, Washington state. He holds office for two years and the salary is $1,800 a year.

Hon. A. F. Foster, private secretary to C. Kleopser, Shanghi, China, is a guest at the Queen's. He is on a business trip through Canada.

Hugh Walker left for Kingston yesterday and will enter upon a medical course at Queen's after Christmas holidays. Mr. Walker served as purser on the str. Ella Ross last season.

M R Allison, Ed Hawes, C A Crawford, A W Cole, A Calder, S B Gundy, Geo D Waddell, F J Musgrove, Jno Curtis, T S Aspinell, W J Craig, J Metcalf J W Brown, D Murray, J W Williamson, Toronto; C Weaver, A G Snowden, W Robertson, W W Witark, Montreal; P J O'Rourke, Trenton; J Mitchell, Kingston; J Moir, Brantford; W Haga..., Halloway; W F Williams Boston, Mass.; W H Holmes, St Louis, Mo; Chas L Loomis, Chicago; J W Bates, Hamilton; T G Carscallan, Napanee; Thos Sexsmith, Hungerford; C G Rutton, Wooler; S M Fleet, Yarmouth, N S.; J Whitton, R Hamilton, J B McRae, Galt, are at the Anglo American Hotel.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria

John Aikens

Of St. Mary's, Ont.

A Great Sufferer from

Dyspepsia

Perfectly Cured by

Hood's Sarsaparilla

The best stomach tonics known to medical science are so happily combined in Hood's Sarsaparilla that it cures Indigestion, and Dyspepsia in its severest forms, when other medicines fail. In many cases Hood's Sarsaparilla seems to possess a magical touch, so quick and so gratifying the relief. Read the following from an aged and respected citizen of St. Mary's, Ont.:

"I am very glad to give this testimonial as to what Hood's Sarsaparilla has done for me. I suffered very much with dyspepsia. I have been taking medicine

For 25 Years

and I never had anything do me as much good as Hood's Sarsaparilla. Every symptom of the dyspepsia has entirely disappeared and I feel that I cannot praise the medicine too highly. I

Eat Better, Sleep Better

and *feel stronger than I have for many years.* I have taken six bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla bought of Mr. Sanderson, the druggist." JOHN AIKENS.

CORDIAL ENDORSEMENT.

From Mr. Sanderson, the Druggist.

"I know Mr. Aikens to be a strictly honest, straightforward man, and take much pleasure in testifying to the truth of the testimonial he gives above." F. G. SANDERSON, Druggist, Queen Street, St. Mary's, Ontario.

HOOD'S PILLS, the best after-dinner Pills assist digestion, prevent constipation.

What She Said

Mrs. R. Peck, 15th street, New York City, visited Canada year, and had the good fortune to pick up something which not only suited her, but her neighbors also. Writing the manufacture of Nerviline she says:—"I bought three bottles of Nerviline while in Canada and treated my neighbors to some of it, and all think it the best medicine for internal or external pain they have ever used." Nerviline deserves such commendation, ...r it is a most powerful, penetrating, an...rtain reme... for pain of all kinds. Ta... substitute.

How to save money is a problem that interests everybody. One way to do it is to invigorate the system with Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Being a highly concentrated blood medicine, it is the most powerful and economical. It is sold for a dollar a bottle, but worth five.

JAS. A. CONGER

There will be a MERRY CHRISTMAS at your House if you buy your GIFTS at

JAS. A. CONGER.

In Lamps we lead, both in Price, Assortment and Design.

XMAS PRESENTS

Ought to interest you. Can't we help you to select one? Our preparations are such that we can most certainly interest you. We have all the novelties that experience and money can select for the holiday season. We are showing a toute ensemble of all the very latest novelties. In Ties, Initial Handkerchiefs Braces, Umbrellas, Coat Scarfs, Wool and Silk Cuffs, Shirts, Collars and Cuffs, Linen Handkerchiefs, Hem-stitch Handkerchiefs and all goods warranted first-class and at the lowest prices. Come and see us.

A. E. FISH & CO.

IN LEATHER!

Goods suited for Xmas Gifts in Russia Leather Dressed Seal, Dressed and Ooze Calf and Morocco, we have:

Card Cases and Pocket Books from..	25c to $6.00.
Wallets and Chatalaines from	25c to 5.00.
Novelties in Music Cases from......	1 00 to 5 00.
The New Boston Shopping Bag from.	2.50 to 6 50.

Ladies' Companions, Glove and Handkerchief Cases all prices, Albums, Poets, Church Services and Gift Books, etc., etc.

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OUR SALES

Of lamps and silver on Saturday was the largest in our experience. We'll keep it up until spring. FROM THIS ON we'll add to them at slaughter prices Dinner Sets, Tea and Bedroom Sets. They must go and its as well to understand first as last that we are determined to get right under all others in prices, quality and style, and that's all the buying public want. FROM TO-DAY forward see us about your dishes, lamps and silver before you buy.

W. J. REID & CO,

Crystal Hall - - - - Rous' Old Stand

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And bursted are the Bubbles Thrown out to Gullible Public.

GOUGH, the Terror to High Priced Clothiers on the Trail

Of tottering houses that require money. We captured a wholesale stock of clothing at 65c on the dollar, and now the prices of six weeks ago are all split to splinters.

MEASURES FOR THE MEN.

READ our Champion Offer and don't try to Duplicate it for it can't be done.

We offer a Man's Overcoat for $3.90 that cost $4.78 wholesale. We offer splendid fitting Suits and in 150 different patterns at $6.00 usually worth $8.75 who sale. This suit if sold in the regular way would bring $11.00 and $12. Our great Xmas box for the buyer consists of 900 overcoats, ranging in price $17, $16 and $14. Your choice for $10. The cloth alone is worth more than we ask for the whole overcoat complete.

Look them all through, and then come to us and if we fail to convince the most sceptical that our stock is not at least 5 times larger, and our prices are 50 per cent. lower than those of other dealers, we will give a whole outfit free.

BOUNCING BARGAINS FOR THE BOY

Childs Suits for $1.50 all wool
" Overcoats with capeau $3.75 worth $6.
Youths suits $3.75 all wool worth $7.
" $5.00 " worth $9.
" Overcoats from $3 up.

Don't buy until you see our stock. Polite attention whether you buy or not.

SLEDS FREE!

Remember boys, with every suit or overcoat you buy from us, no matter what the price, we give you a beautiful sled free. We can be imitated but never approached. Again we say look them all through and then come to us and be convinced.

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354 Front Street, Belleville.

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N. B.—We have just placed in stock of our own special make 150 suits, for men and young men's wear, in twelve different patterns. These goods are a square cut sack, are all tailor made with raised seams and would cost you from $18.00 to $20 if you left your measure for them. Our price is $10 and $12

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Brand of PASTRY FLOUR is unexcelled a
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ASK YOUR GROCER FOR IT.
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Equal to the very best imported,
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Importer of Dry Goods,
OPPOSITE HOTEL STREET.

See our all-wool Blanket at	$2.25
See our Tie downs at	75
See our Grey lannel at	15
See our Navy Blue Flannel at	35
See our Linen Towels at	15c per pr.
See our Table Linen at	25
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Now for a bargain !
IN STOVES
Big Cheap Sale of Stoves at
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We must dispose of our Immense Stock of Stoves, and for the next 30 days will offer low bargains,
The John Bull Range,
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Are having a large sale. Call and examine our stock and prices.
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A FINE LOT JUST RECEIVED, Also Florida Oranges, Jamaica Oranges, Lemons, Bananas, etc.
Our oysters are received daily and cannot excelled in the city.
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Fresh Confectionery every day.

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Prepared Mince Meat
READY FOR PIES
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THIS MATTER CHANGED DAILY
Thursday Dec. 15th.
SUITABLE.
We have suitable Xmas presents for all.

Men	Women
Silk Ties	Fancy Baskets
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All at low prices.
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—FOR—
XMAS - TRADE
—AT—
BRASIER'S
We are showing for the Holiday Trade our usual fine stock of Furs in Ladies'
CAPES, COLLARS, MUFFS, CAPS, — In all the leading styles and in every kind of Fur.
Gent's Fine Collars and Cuffs, Caps, Gauntlets and Coat Linings.
Ladies' Fine Jackets made to order in Seal, Persian and Grey Lamb in the latest style.
Our stock of Robes and Coats is very large and pric ery low.
Musk Ox Robes Extra Fine Quality.
Gent's Gloves and Mitts—a large assortment
For a nice Christmas Present call and see my stock.
J. Brasier,
The Leading Hatter and Furrier,
Front Street Belleville.

ONLY 2 MONTHS
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CHEAP STOVE SALE
5 Ranges by the best makers, at cost.
A few of A. K. Chowns late stock 30 10 per cent. below cost.
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I have a few Ladies' Russian Circulars in full length and 3-4 lengths that I will sell very cheap.
Musk Ox Robes, the finest quality and darkest colors ever shown in the city.
Girls Grey Lamb Shoulder Capes, Storm Collars and Gauntlets.
Furs of all kinds Made to Order.
Old Furs Cleaned, Dyed and made over.
S. A. HYMAN
MANUFACTURING FURRIER
Highest price paid for Raw Furs.

Notice.

All accounts due the late John R. Brown, must be paid to Geo. R. Brown, merchant tailor, before 1st January to save costs.

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Deposit received, subject to withdrawal without notice. Interest allowed at the rate of 4 per cen. per annum. American Currency Drafts, etc bought and sold.

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Finest Table Raisins
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Fres Citron Peel
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NERVE BEANS
NERVE BEANS are a new discovery that cure the worst cases of Nervous Debility, Lost Vigor and Failing Manhood; restores the weakness of body or mind caused by over-work, or the errors or excesses of youth. This Remedy absolutely cures the most obstinate cases when all other TREATMENTS have failed even to relieve. Sold by druggists at $1 per package, or six for $5, or sent by mail on receipt of price by addressing THE JAMES MEDICINE CO., Toronto, Ont. Write for pamphlet Sold in—

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You to come and take a look through our store, during the next 2 weeks. What would Christmas be without some of Dickens' choice candies? We have a selection to choose from this year that surpasses anything ever attempted by us heretofore.
Cadbury's Chocolate English,
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OLD DR. GORDON'S REMEDY FOR MEN.
FOR GENTLEMEN!
All those suffering from Nervous Debility and Weakness and having been unsuccessfully treated, will find this famous remedy a certain and speedy cure for Lost Manhood, Premature Decay, Inability, Lack of Confidence, Mental Depression, Palpitation of the Heart, Weak Memory, Exhausted Vitality, Errors of Youth, Secret Diseases, Evil Dreams, etc. Price $1 per box, or six boxes, which will cure most cases, for $5, postpaid. All correspondence confidential. Write for circular. Address QUEEN MEDICINE CO'Y Montreal.

JUST A
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ABOUT
STYLE
AND
QUALITY
A Worthy gift should have in it the substantial elemnts of quality, that it need not see its day of usefulness limited to the holiday season. We do not offer inferior articles but relative to the price everything is the best in its line
We have endeavored in all departments to show the latest styles, patterns and designs the market affords, and we are confident that after you make us a visit and inspect our goods you will come to conclusion that we have succeeded in every respect. Our stock is stylish and beautiful.
J. C. OVERELL,
Leader of the trade in new and popular goods.

DALTON'S FAIR.
SANTA CLAUS HEADQUARTERS.
Our endeavors to make the Fair headquarters for Christmas supplies is more marked this fall than at any other previous time. Our store though large, is not sufficient to accommodate the great crowds at Christmas times. We would therefore urge you to make your selections now while the stock is complete and avoid the crush at Christmas time. We have just received 180 cases of foreign goods, such as albums, dolls, tooth brushes, hair brushes, purses fancy china cups and saucers, vases, jewelery, handsome lemonade sets, glass tea sets beautifully engraved, our assortment of American glassware must be seen to be appreciated. Never have we been able to offer such bargains in albums, ladies workboxes, jewel cases, perfume cases shaving cases, brush and comb cases. Game from 5c up, playing cards from 5c up, beautiful whisk holders, all the latest styles from 49c up. We have something new in dolls, cradles childrens extension tables, sets of furniture, toy picture books, pansy books, magic lanterns 49c up steam engine, skates, doll carriages, childrens sleds and cutters, strong and durable at lowest prices, novels by the best authors 10c worth 35c pocket knives and table cutlery an endless variety to choose from. But perhaps one of the greatest drives is a special line of extra quality writing paper 5 quires (120 sheets) for 17c. We will not attempt to enumerate further, but would invite you to call at Dalton's Fair before purchasing where you can buy good goods at less than bankrupt prices.

ARRESTED !
Now I Have your Attention.
SONNY !
HOW OLD ARE YOU ?
Are you 5 years old? If so, I have 26 patterns in Suits,

6	Years Old	27 Patterns
7	"	20 "
8	"	24 "
9	"	7 "
10	"	2 "

In two-piece Suits which must be turned into Money !
SO DOWN THEY GO !
GEO. P. MINAKERS
Opposite the Bank of Commerce
NEXT ANGLO HOTEL.

SEALED TENDERS.

Are asked for by the Belleville Natural Gass and Oil Co. for their flowing Mineral Well on the Ponton Property, West Belleville. This Well has valuable Medicinal qualities with a flow of thousands of gallons daily and is admirably situated for the purposes of a Sanatarium. Tenders will be received up to 2nd January, inclusive, addressed to the Secretary, by whom full information will be given.

GEO. H. POPE, Secretary. tutstjl — H. CORBY, President.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

MAYORALTY.

On account of the pressure of my professional engagement, recently arisen, I feel it will be impossible for me to make a personal canvas in the city, which is necessary, and believing it would be unfair to my friends to enter in a contest for the mayoralty under those circumstances I have decided not to do so.

I wish to thank my friends who so kindly requested me to become a candidate and also these who have worked on committees and otherwise.

W. C. MIKEL.

Dated Dec. 15th. 1892.

WANTED.

General servant at once. Highest wages paid. Apply to MRS. GOUGH, cor. Bridge and Charles Streets.

Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Sidney Town Hall Cheese Manufacturing Company will take place in the Sidney Town Hall on Friday, the 23rd day of December, 1892, at the hour of ten o'clock a. m., for the election of Directors, the payment of dividends and the transactions of all necessary business relating to the affairs of the Company. By Order of Board,

E. KETCHESON, Secretary. — SAM'L L. WILMOT, President.

Wallbridge, Dec 12th, 1892.

AS A SPECIAL
Line for Christmas trade, we offer Mrs. Potts ad Irons, each set containing 3 Irons, Hundle, (Wooden) and 1 Stand, at the ry low price of 85c. See our window. ey are full weight and fine finished.
JOHN LEWIS, HARDWARE
Opposite Anglo American Hotel.

Dancing and Deportment
New class for beginners commence Monday the 19th and January 3rd. at p.m. sharp. I will also form an advanc ed class on Thursday evenings giving those that can dance an opportunity of learning all the latest society dances. Parties wishing to form a private class can have Monday or Tuesday afternoons. Juveniles and young ladies at 4.30 p.m. Private lessons at hours to suit.
BELLEVILLE DANCING ACADEMY
ASHLEY'S BLOCK.
M. J. SAGE.

MAYORALTY

To the Electors of the City of Belleville :

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN :

I respectfully solicit your votes and influence for Mayor of the City of Belleville for 1893, I was born in Belleville have lived among you all my life, and am personally known to most of you.

I have been an alderman in the City Council for four years and during that time have endeavored to represent you straightforwardly and faithfully. My platform is "Economy" in city affairs. If elected I will exert myself to further the best interests o the city.

Yours respectfully,

Francis S. Wallbridge.

GIVING UP BUSINESS !
E. HARRISON
Intends giving up Business on account of failing health, and will on
Thursday, Friday and Saturday next
Offer his whole stock of Christmas Goods, Books, Stationery and Music etc., at a
SPECIAL - REDUCTION
OF 33 1-3 PER CENT
NOTHING RESERVED

MAYORALTY.

Ladies and Gentlemen.

Having been requested by a large number of influential electors of the City of Belleville, to offer myself for Mayor for 1893, I have consented to do so and now respectfully solicit your votes and influence.

HARRY FOWELL.

THOS. STEWART
Agent for the sale f the celebrated
SCRANTON COAL
Mined and shipped by Delaware, Lackawanna and Western R. R. Co
This coal is free fr m slate and sulphur and every load is we screened from dirt, consequently will not clinker.
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A HOT FIRE IN TORONTO

IT DESTROYED A FIVE-STORY BRICK BUILDING.

The Conflagration Was of Short Duration But it Occasioned Nearly $40,000 Damages—A Number of Firms Lose Their Machinery and Stock.

TORONTO, Dec. 15.—Ruin never rode on swifter wings than in the fire which startled the business portion of the community at lunch hour yesterday. At 12.45 the first fierce swoop of flame was seen; at 1.15 the roof had tumbled in, and at 1.30 the fire was under bit and rein, but within the 45 minutes nearly $40,000 worth of property had been destroyed.

The scene of the fire was a five-story brick warehouse in Pearl immediately in rear of Bay and King-streets, owned by Mr. George Proctor of the Bay Tree Hotel, and occupied by these firms: Aylesbury Dairy Co., basement; John M. French, wholesale oil and paint factory, first floor; Schaefer's cigar factory, second flat, and the American Watch Case Co., third floor.

It is supposed that either a can of naphtha exploded or a barrel of methylated spirits in the J. M. French premises overflowed and the liquid ran down into the furnace of the Dairy Company below. Almost instantaneously the two lower flats were aflame like a lady's gossamer dress caught on an August candle. The fire swept up the elevator shaft and wrapped the entire building in a red winding-sheet, which emitted a dense volume of thick black smoke that curtained the centre of the city as with a pall.

The combustible nature of the building caused it to burn with astonishing rapidity. A prompt alarm had been turned in to the Bay-street Firehall, and hardly had this been received than it was followed by another from box 12, and this in turn by a third or general alarm, which summoned every division.

Within two minutes after the alarm had been sounded from the box several streams of water were playing on the flames. But even before the firemen arrived the fierceness with which the oil-impregnated interior burned created a hurricane which drew the fiery billows up the elevator shaft, as if it were sucking them through a tube. Every window hung out a red festoon, while great coils of black smoke hovered around the eaves and met above the roof with the flames already bursting through.

Hampered by the mud, which was ankle deep the firemen made a plucky fight. The wind had piled up a pyramid of rustling flame and smoke into the mid-air, and there was every indication that many buildings would be burned. The firemen, convinced of the impossibility of saving the factory attacked, confined their efforts to checking the progress of the fire. They were valiantly aided by anxious workers, who crowded the roofs of contiguous buildings and buckets were in constant use to subdue the flying bits of fire that were constantly clinging to shingles and cornices.

The spectators had grown from two or three to a squad, and then from a company to many thousand people, who stood eagerly watching the fascinating revel of the flames, or gazed at the firemen, soaked to the skin and smoke-begrimed, emptying their watery ammunition on the flame-swept building, melting away as if Old Boreas were at the bellows. Now and then a section of the loosened bricks would come toppling down with a crash, and several of the firemen had narrow escapes. Finally the interior collapsed like a tar barrel which had burned itself out, and all danger of the fire spreading was obviated, although the bricks and charred timbers hissed and sputtered like Medusa's snakes and the steam and vapor rose above the ruins for an hour or two.

In the brief hour that the fire had raged as much damage had been occasioned as in any fire that has visited Toronto in years. The building, which was built five years ago at a cost of $10,000, was completely gutted. The tenants lost their entire stocks and machinery. There were about 75 men at work in the building, but all escaped with their lives. Many lost their personal effects, with the exception of the clothing they had on.

The American Watch Case Company is the heaviest loser. Besides valuable machinery destroyed, in the neighborhood of 400 gold and gold-filled cases were melted.

	Loss.	Insurance.
George Proctor, owner of building	$ 8,000	$ 4,000
F. Schaefer, cigar factory	4,000	5,000
American Watch Co.	20,000	10,000
J. M. French & Co.	2,500	1,850
Aylesbury Dairy Co.	1,000	800
Other losses	500	500
	$36,000	$21,150

North British Mercantile	$4000
Western	2500
Etna	2500
Northern	1500
Connecticut	1500
Manchester	1500
Caledonian	1000
Gore	1000
Guardian	1000
Phœnix of Hartford	1000
Lancashire	1000
Scottish Union	1000
Other companies	1650
	$21,150

W. D. Grand & Co.'s stables flanked the burning building on two sides. It was at one time feared that the fire would spread to it, and 25 horses in the rear stable were removed. The only damage done was by water and $100 will cover it.

Across the lane and immediately south of the burned building is the woodenware factory of Taylor, Scott & Co. The flames, fanned by a northwest wind, reached across as if to devour it, but the firemen, aided by the employes of the firm, who had been placed on the roof with pails of water, prevented the roof being ignited. Several panes of glass were broken and the stock was damaged by water, but a hundred or so dollars will repair the loss.

MURDERER SLAVIN.

Prayers Offered Up for Him in the Cornwall Churches.

CORNWALL, Dec. 15.—Prayers were offered up in all the Roman Catholic and Protestant churches here yesterday for Slavin, the unfortunate who is to be executed between 7 and 8 o'clock Friday morning. During the 40 hours' devotion, which began here Sunday, all the Roman Catholics who received were requested to also receive for the doomed man.

The Rev. Mr. Hastie, pastor of Knox church, who had an interview with Slavin, some days ago, during his sermon on Sunday, referred in feeling terms to him. Slavin had informed him that had he remained in Cornwall and abondoned the use of liquor, he might now, instead of wearing the convict's clothes, have occupied a prominent position among the people of his native town. He would not relate the conversation that took place between the condemned man and himself further than one point, which professing Christians should take to mind. Slavin said he first lost faith in professing Christians from observation of their outward life, and having thus lost faith in them he lost faith in the Bible, and, as a natural result, lost faith in a personal God. He urged upon all Christians to live a life pleasing to God and by their conduct bear out the divine teachings.

Radclive, the hangman, arrived here this morning and is creating more excitement than did Barnum's show, which visited Cornwall some ten years ago.

A Strike Off.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 15.—The strike which was inaugurated among the moulders at Morris' foundry a week ago has been unsuccessful and declared off. The men struck because one of their number was discharged for neglecting his work.

A Bomb Exploded.

VIENNA, Dec. 10.—The Tageblatt says that a large bomb exploded near the dwellings of the workmen in the great iron works of Krupp's nephew at Bernsdorf. Much damage was caused to property.

WAITING IN TERROR.

The Latin-Americans Continue to Rage Around for Blood.

VALPARAISO, Dec. 15.—A correspondent at Santa Anna telegraphs that the residents there are in terror, expecting an invasion of the province by federals. Barricades have been erected to assist in the defence. The garrison stationed there hope that aid will be sent by Col. Portugal of the republican forces.

Several high military chiefs among the republicans, who had been imprisoned in San Borba preparatory to their removal to Porto Alegre, were killed by the guards escorting them to the capital of the provinces. It is also reported many barbarities were practised on the women and children in San Borba by the soldiers.

Frequent skirmishes between federal and republican forces have occurred in Rio Grande do Sul. It is believed a serious battle is imminent. Both sides are accused of cruelties. The federals are indignant at the Government of Uruguay for permitting alleged violations of neutrality in allowing purchases of arms and ammunition in their territory.

Secret meetings have been held in Montevideo with a view of initiating a revolution against Herrera. It is proposed to force him to resign his position. The financial outlook, as made public, is brighter.

A correspondent in Buenos Ayres writes that a private navigation company has ordered five steamers of 10,000 tons measurement each. They will receive subsidies from the government, and be made so as to be used as armed cruisers in time of trouble.

Troops have been despatched to the frontier to enforce the neutrality of the territory, and prevent refugees from Rio Grande entering.

DR. BRIGGS' DEFENCE.

He Believes the Doctrine of Presbyterianism Much Too Illiberal.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—Rev. Dr. Briggs resumed the reading of his defence in his trial for heresy yesterday afternoon. He declared that he was a rationalist.

He recognized that the Scriptures are really the greatest authority of the Christian religion. He thought, however, that the authors of the Westminster Confession had not sufficiently recognized that the logos was the light of the world, as taught in the prolog of John's gospel.

If the Presbyterian doctrines, as taught by the Westminster divines, were alone accepted and the better beliefs of the more liberal modern Presbyterian Church rejected, then must the soldiers of the Salvation Army, the members of the Society of Friends, the unnumbered heathen, and the unbaptized children be considered eternally lost.

The heathen could be saved by the shining of the logos in their minds and not by belief in a Bible they know not of.

As the Pharisees of old were rebuked by Christ for maintaining that they alone possessed all goodness, so now should these modern pharisees of the Presbyterian Church be rebuked for denying salvation to the millions who do not subscribe to their narrow belief.

Permission was given Dr. Briggs to print his reply to charges four and five and submit it to the members.

THE NEW CHIEF JUSTICE.

It Is Probable That He Will Have the Further Honor of Knighthood.

OTTAWA, Dec. 15.—His Honor Judge Strong will probably be sworn in as Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Canada this afternoon by His Excellency the Governor-General in Council. It is rumored that following the custom adopted of late years with respect to the Chief Justices of important colonies the new Chief Justice will shortly have the honor of Knighthood conferred upon him.

That the financial position of this city is well thought of is evidenced by the excellent offers for the civic debentures advertised for sale within the last couple of weeks. The debentures were for local improvements. There were $40,000 worth of 20 years', and bearing interest at the rate of 4½ per cent. and $33,000 worth of 10 years' at the same rate. The offer of J. C. Browne was accepted. He offered 103 cents for the 20 years' debentures and 101½ cents for the 10-year debentures.

The Canadian Pacific Railway has completed the selection of its land grant, with the exception of 1,600,000 acres.

ROAD AGENT CONFESSES.

Tom Collins Tells of the Plan to Hold Up a Vestibuled Train.

HUNTINGTON, W. Va., Dec. 15.—Tom Collins, arrested yesterday morning, charged with being the other train robber, made a complete confession this evening of the entire affair to Chief of Police Turner and Detective Fitzgerald at the jail.

He said that the plan to hold up the vestibule was planned by Forgey two weeks ago and that he was induced to go into it by promise of a full share of the spoils.

He was drilled by Forgey at his house a number of times for the attack. Mrs. Forgey had full knowledge of the details.

Collins and Forgey are both wounded. Forgey's wound is in the right arm, near the shoulder, while Collins has a bad wound in the fleshy part of the right leg above the knee.

The prisoners waived examination and were bound over to court without bond.

A Sudden Death.

KINGSTON, Dec. 15.—That dreaded malady heart disease has claimed an old resident in the person of Martin Staley, proprietor of the Jubilee Hotel, Wellington-street. Mr. Staley left his hotel to go to the Court House, but had only proceeded a short distance when he felt a weakness at the heart and stepped into W. Harkness' butcher shop.

Leaning against one of the counters Mr. Staley became worse. Finally he asked for a glass of water. The water was procured, and Mr. Harkness sent for Dr. Bell. As the doctor entered Mr. Staley threw up his hands, gasped and would have fallen over had not the doctor caught him in his arms. Everything possible was done to restore the man, but he was beyond medical aid and expired shortly after.

Would Close Their Schools.

MONTREAL, Que., Dec. 15.—A fight is at present going on between the Order of the Sacred Heart nuns and St. Patrick's congregation over the proposed erection of a Sacred Heart convent within a few doors of St. Patrick's Church.

The St. Patrick's Church people claim that they will be forced to close their school should the Sacred Heart nuns come near them, and have petitioned the archbishop to move the Sacred Heart nuns to another portion of the city. Great antagonism has existed between the two bodies for many years.

Blown to Atoms.

NEWPORT, Ky., Dec. 15.—A huge boiler in Swift's rolling mill exploded last night with terrific force. Two tramps were blown to atoms and Herman Weisling and George Read were mortally wounded. Loss $15,000.

The Guinness Trust.

LONDON, Dec. 10.—The Goldsmiths' Company has devoted £2500 to the Guinness Trust for the building of industrial dwellings.

MURDER AT PORT ARTHUR

AN AUTOPSY OF THE BODY SHOWS INTENTION OF CRIME.

His Brother-in-Law, the Suspect, Has Surrendered Himself—The Young Son's Evidence Contradicted That of His Mother's.

PORT ARTHUR, Ont., Dec. 15.—The inquest on the body of Archie Cammill, who was shot Monday night, was opened yesterday before Coroner Beck.

Dr. Macdonald performed the autopsy which revealed the fact that deceased was shot in the right side just above the nipple. The wound was an awful one, being 3 1-2 inches in diameter, descending nine inches from the right nipple to the spinal column and the second and third ribs shot away.

The evidence taken proves a straight case of murder, and James Rowe, a brother-in-law of the murdered Cammill, is generally looked upon as the guilty party. He was in company with the deceased on the fatal night, and they had quarreled.

Mrs. Prynn, the first witness called, swore that Cammill and his wife lived on unfriendly terms.

Other witnesses swore that they saw a man, whom they believed to be James Rowe, run from the house.

Charlie Williams, a 10-year-old son of the deceased, was examined at some length. The boy had evidently been carefully schooled, as it took some time to get full particulars from him. His evidence contradicted that of his mother's. Mrs. Cammill, who is the principal witness, was examined at length. Her evidence was very unsatisfactory. Judging by appearance she is a woman whose moral responsibility is not great.

The inquest was postponed till Friday. James Rowe, who is believed to have fired the fatal shot, and who disappeared immediately after the murder, returned to town this evening and surrendered himself to the authorities.

NOT TO KILL.

Merely to Cause a Stampede Among the Non-Union Men.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Dec. 15.—The story of the selection of the poison alleged to have been used in the execution of the Homestead plot was learned yesterday from an authoritative source.

As has been stated, the design was not to cause the death of any of the non-union men, but to produce such an epidemic of sickness as to create a panic among them and thus effect a stampede from the works.

A prolonged discussion ensued among the conspirators as to the kind of poison to be used, and it was finally decided to consult a druggist. The conspirators reported that they wanted to disable a pugilist so that he could not win a fight in which he was engaged.

They were asked if they wanted the drug to act quickly or otherwise. It was stated that they preferred something that would affect gradually so as not to arouse suspicion.

The conspirators were told that a certain preparation could be made that would gradually undermine the strength, and if persisted in would knock the victim out in three or four days. The formula of the preparation was obtained and it is said the ingredients were found in the samples of coffee and soup which were analyzed by the chemists of the company at Braddock, Homestead and Duquesne.

NOT IN THE PLAY.

The Engineer of the "Blue Jeans" Buzz-Saw Severely Cut by It.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—There was excitement on the stage of Col. Sinn's Park Theatre in Brooklyn yesterday afternoon during the dress rehearsal of the "Blue Jeans" company. This organization opened a week's engagement at that playhouse last night.

Trouble began during the buzz-saw act. Everything went along all right until Edward Wagner, who lives in Fifteenth-street, near Fifth-avenue, New York, and is the engineer of the company, began to oil the machinery which runs the big saw.

The saw was revolving at the usual speed when Mr. Wagner thought he detected a grating sound at one end of the shaft, and went to give the point of friction a few drops of oil.

While doing this Wagner's clothing was caught somehow in the belting and the next moment his body was moving towards the saw.

He gave a shriek for help, but before any one could reach him or appreciate his position he had passed the saw, and then the blood was oozing in a steady stream from a nasty zigzag gash on the left side, the saw having cut his clothing into threads.

Mr. Wagner shrieked with pain and became unconscious. The stage floor was dyed with his blood.

ON HIS DEATHBED.

James G. Blaine's Disease Is Now a Strength-Sapping Malady.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—The following despatch from Washington has been received: James G. Blaine is now on his deathbed. The strength-sapping malady from which he has suffered for so long a time has assumed a form which warns his family and friends of a speedy termination.

The disease attacked his lungs a short time ago and its course has baffled the skill of his physicians.

The visit of Dr. Janeway of New York to Mr. Blaine is indicative of the extreme anxiety of the family.

"Very much better," was the reply given this evening at the family residence to the inquiry about the health of Mr. Blaine.

COMING FROM SCHOOL.

Run Over by a Rig—He Dies Two Hours After Being Taken Home.

TORONTO, Dec 15.—A 6-year-old schoolboy named Henry Russell was run over and fatally injured at noon yesterday in Sumach-street by the delivery cart of Morgan J. Kelly, wine merchant, Gerrard and Sackville-streets.

The little fellow was on his way home from school and was chasing a companion across the street, when the accident occurred. He died at 2 o'clock.

A reporter saw Mr. Kelly. He said: "I was driving south on the right-hand side of the street. In front of me and near the middle of the road was a coal cart going at a walk in the same direction. When a little below St. David-street two boys ran across the street in front of the vehicles. One boy got across all right, but young Russell stood still as if paralyzed right before my cart. My horse was only jogging along, but before I could pull up one of the wheels r er the boy. If he had been one of my own I could not have done more to save him. The little fellow jumped up and he did not seem to be much hurt. He told us where he lived and we took him home. When a couple of hours afterwards Dr. Cleland told me the boy was dead I was dumfounded. I immediately notified Coroner Duncan and he referred me to Coroner Aikins."

Mr. Kelly keenly feels the sad event and has notified the parents that he will bear all expenses.

Dr. Cleland is of opinion that internal injuries were the cause of death, there being no external marks or bruises.

The boy's father is James C. Russell and he lives at No. 8 Roslin-avenue.

Coroner Aikins has decided that an inquest is unnecessary.

Bringing the Spree Crowd Over.

LONDON, Dec. 9.—The steamer Havel sailed from Queenstown for New York yesterday with the passengers and cargo of the disabled steamer Spree.

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AN IMPOSITION

Cannot something be done to relieve newspapers in Ontarto, supporting liberal principles, of the offensive partisan bias that colors all articles of a political character emenating from the Toronto World's monopoly? At present, if these journals use what is furnished them at Ottawa and generally political news, they must publish daily the most fulsome praise of the new premier and his associates, and also furnish their readers with glowing reports of Tory principles generally. This is more than they bargained for and altogether more than they should be the medium of circulating. We do not think that the contract with the World's monopoly imposes any such work upon liberal journals. Unless matter politically offensive to many is not obliterated before being sent out for a more extensive circulation it may be necessary for the publishers of such papers to reject the matter entirely. It is quite impossible for the World to give an unprejudiced verdict on questions involving party principles. It is equal to the Empire in its slavish support of Toryism, and seldom publishes a fair statement of liberal events, or credits liberal speakers with what is their just due.

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ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 15.—The midwife Bodwarska in Lodz, tried for having murdered more than 100 babies, has been sentenced to one year's imprisonment.

Great indignation has been caused in Lodz by the lightness of the sentence. The woman was shown to be guilty of suffocating 111 children, whose bodies were found buried in her cellar.

As she had been at work at this kind of thing for nearly 20 years there is little doubt that her victims number in the hundreds.

She was saved from the full penalty of her crime by the powerful influence of some of her former patrons.

COLLIERY DISASTER.

It is Expected that Over Fifty Lives Have Been Sacrificed.

LONDON, Dec. 15.—An explosion occurred yesteday at the Ramfurlong Colliery, Wigan, and not less than 56 lives have been lost.

Despite the efforts to extinguish the flames, the fire spread to the engine house at the head of the air tunnel. This stopped the pumping of air into the mine and added greatly to the peril of the men in the pit. The fire was not subdued until 5 o'clock this afternoon.

Some time after the bodies of 20 of the miners, who had been suffocated by the noxious gases generated in the mine after the explosion, were brought to the surface by the rescuing parties.

Though the work is extremely dangerous, the exploration of the workings is continued in the hope that some of the miners in the pit at the time of the explosion have reached places of safety where they are awaiting the approach of the rescuers.

Manager Hutchinson of the Bamfurlong Mine went down into the pit with one of the last rescue parties. In his anxiety to make a thorough search for the men he remained below too long and was overcome by smoke. He was brought up apparently lifeless and was revived with difficulty.

In the main roads the bodies lie in twos and threes as the men fell. Large sections of roof galleries have collapsed. Amid the ruins were found mangled bodies and half-burned limbs. The ruins have blocked many parts of the mine, and therefore the men searching for bodies are unable to give any definite idea of the number lost.

Several miners who were just alive when found died on their way to the surface or shortly after being taken from the car. One rescue party reached the surface half suffocated by the heat and smoke caused by the fresh outbreaks of the fire.

The rescued miners believe that the explosion was caused by sparks from the engine house, which is said to have caught fire a few minutes before the explosion. Men were sent through the mines warning the laborers, and many of those nearest the shaft escaped.

The miners who worked further from the shaft tried to rush through fire and smoke and were suffocated in the effort. The work of rescue will be continued through the night, although there is little hope that more men will be taken out alive.

THE SILVER QUESTION.

British Delegates Blamed for Its Not Being Settled Long Ago.

BRUSSELS, Dec. 15.—At the International Monetary Conference Sir Guilford D. Houldsworth protested against the obstructions offered by the British delegates at this and previous conferences. But for the action of the representatives of Great Britain this currency question would have been settled long ago.

Sir Guilford declared that the situation in Great Britain had greatly changed since Nov. 22, the date of the first meeting of the conference, and suggested that the conference adjourn for a few weeks to enable the British Government to reconsider the whole question.

He gave as the reasons for the change in the situation in Great Britain the statement in favor of bi-metallism made by Archbishop Walsh of Dublin, the resolutions adopted by the agricultural conference held a few days ago in London and the petitions forwarded to the Government by various chambers of commerce.

WHAT BALFOUR SAYS.

The Conservatives Will Support Any Firm and Energetic Foreign Minister.

LONDON, Dec. 15.—The National Union of Conservative Associations reaffirmed by a large majority at the meeting yesterday the motion of Col. Howard Vincent in favor of a preferential tariff within the Empire.

Mr. Balfour's speech avoided all reference to the question.

The Times says that the resolution will prove as futile as the similar motion five years ago.

Before the adjournment of the Conservative Conference at Sheffield to-day the Right Hon. J. Balfour, Conservative leader in the House of Commons, said that the Conservatives would support any firm and energetic foreign minister, no matter what his politics.

The condition of international strain in Europe was at present so great that it would be folly to anticipate confidently an indefinite future of European peace. Unless the Imperial force should be kept at the highest possible efficiency, the time might come when a British foreign minister would be powerless to forcibly support the national honor. Mr. Balfour was greeted with great and cordial applause.

The Conservative Conference at Sheffield has adjourned. A resolution was adopted in favor of measures to remedy the depression in the agricultural industry in Great Britain, provided such measures should involve no increase in general taxation.

The conference exhibited great enthusiasm, especially in denouncing Irish Home Rule.

To See About It.

LONDON, Dec. 15.—The Chronicle's Vienna correspondent says that according to information from a semi-official source the United States immigration regulations will form the subject of an international exchange of ideas, and the European powers will probably make representations on the subject to the government at Washington.

Davitt to Retire.

LONDON, Dec. 15.—The Daily Chronicle says: Michael Davitt's intimate friends state that he will not re-enter Parliament.

A Statesman Dead.

PARIS, Dec. 15.—John Emile Lemoinne, the statesman, is dead.

Sir A. G. Archibald Dead.

HALIFAX, Dec. 15.—Sir Adams George Archibald, K.C.M.G., died at Truro this afternoon.

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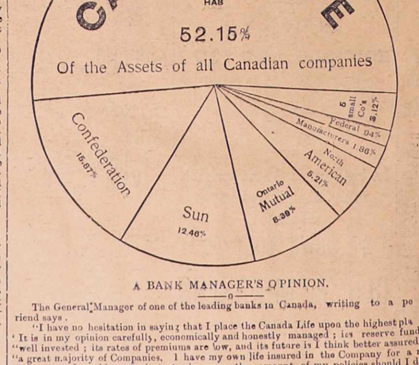

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A GOVERNMENT INSURANCE ACTUARY'S OPINION

ON THE RELATION BETWEEN ORDINARY AND TONTINE SURPLUS.

It is frequently asserted by Companies whose business is nearly all Tontined, that though the Canada Life may and does pay large ordinary profits, yet it cannot compare favorably on a long term distribution or tontine period, and that in the end better results can be obtained on a Tontine policy in the Canada Life. To prove the absurdity of such statements, the following piece of common sense is quoted from Mervin Tabor, late Actuary of the Illinois Government Insurance Department. In his well known book "The Three Systems of Life Insurance." he says: "A company that gives large dividends on the ordinary kinds of policies, can give much larger on the same kinds when Tontined, and a company that pays but meagre dividends on the usual forms, adopting perhaps the Tontine system to "cover up" its small surpluses, cannot be relied on for large returns of surplus under the Tontine Forms of Insurance."

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This to Compensate for the Non-Carrying of Steerage Passengers.

LONDON, Dec. 15.—Mr. Peters, secretary of the North Atlantic Steamship Association, states that in view of the American regulations in regard to immigrants, the association, at an extraordinary meeting, decided to carry on its vessels only saloon and second-class passengers from Jan. 1 next.

It was also decided to materially reduce the number of sailings during 1893, and to raise the saloon and second cabin rates in order to make up the loss that will be incurred through abandoning the steerage traffic.

All special excursion rates for the Chicago Columbian Exhibition have been withdrawn by the association, and there is no doubt that this action will result in a large falling off in the number of foreign visitors to the World's Fair.

PRESIDENT CARNOT.

Rumor That He Has Resigned the French Cabinet Confirmed.

LONDON, Dec. 13.—A despatch from Paris to The Central News says: The rumors that President Carnot will resign shortly are confirmed this evening. At Tuesday's Cabinet meeting, during the heated discussion between Mr. Ribot and M. Rouvier, the President interposed the remark:

"Actions of certain ministers render my retention of office at most impossible."

M. Rouvier thereupon left the meeting, declaring that he would resign. President Carnot's difficulty is increased by the reports that his father and his brothers are involved in the Panama Canal scandal.

President Carnot himself, and not M. Ribot, was the one who sent to M. Tirard the despatch: "I call upon you as a friend of my family not to refuse office. If you do I will resign to-morrow."

FRENCH RIFLES.

Their Defections Discovered During the Campaign in Dahomey.

BERLIN, Dec. 15.—The Paris correspondent of The Tageblatt says that there is doubt that the French Department of War is convinced of the inadequacy of the present Lebel rifle to the requirements of modern warfare. A new model has been prepared to substitute for the gain of the obsolete pattern, but during the existing critical condition of politics the Government fears to propose the re-arming of the army.

The defections of the present pattern were revealed, it is said, during the present Dahomey campaign, despite the flattering report made public on the subject.

SMOTHERED IN GRAIN.

A Longshoreman Missed at New York and Found Dead in a Ship's Hold.

LONDON, Dec. 15.—The body of Patrick Macadury of Brooklyn, N.Y., was found yesterday in the hold of the steamship Bolivia at Glasgow, from New York, embedded in the grain.

Macadury was smothered in grain when the steamship was being loaded.

Before the Bolivia left New York the mother of Macadury begged and prayed of the captain to search the hold for her son. Captain said he was buried in the grain. She was refused.

Indian Corn Mills.

HAMBURG, Dec. 15.—Another mill has been started in this city for the purpose of grinding Indian corn exclusively. This is the third mill now running here which grinds nothing but Indian corn from America.

The new mill is owned by Carl Engel & Co. The establishing of these mills is due to the efforts of Mr. Charles J. Murphy, the special agent of the United States Agricultural Department, who was sent to Europe to introduce Indian corn and to point out the various methods of preparing it.

A Large Increase.

LONDON, Dec. 15.—British imports from Canada reached an aggregate of quarter million pounds sterling for the 11 months ending last November. This is an increase of one and three-quarter millions, despite the fact that live stock importations from Canada decreased.

The British importations of Canadian cheese, butter and lumber largely increased.

The Vatican and Russia.

ROME, Dec. 15.—Within the last few weeks the relations between the Vatican and Russia, though not grown so close as to warrant the belief in a near reunion of the Greek and Latin churches, have become extremely cordial.

Murdered by Tramps.

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 15.—A despatch from Vilna says that a Jewish innkeeper in the outskirts of the city, his wife and four young children have been murdered by tramps.

Will Not Be Arrested.

BERLIN, Dec. 15.—The Reichstag yesterday adopted a motion declaring that Rector Ahlwardt, sentenced to five months' imprisonment for libel committed in his notorious pamphlet entitled "Jewish Guns," was entitled to immunity from arrest.

Tranquility at Samoa.

SYDNEY, N.S.W., Dec. 15.—The latest mail advices from Apia show that tranquility prevails in the Samoan Islands.

Rouvier's Downfall.

PARIS, Dec. 14.—The Monarchist papers are jubilant over the fall of M. Rouvier, and hail his resignation as a triumph of the Monarchical cause. A movement looking to the holding of another congress at Versailles is talked of.

A Trembler at Athens.

ATHENS, Dec. 15.—A sharp earthquake shock was felt here yesterday. Damage slight.

Killed by Dynamite.

HAZELTON, Pa., Dec. 15.—By an explosion of dynamite at Milnesville last evening Thomas Walter and Michael Parrish were killed and Dominick Walter and Mike Marine were fatally injured. Walter and Parrish were blown to atoms and the others so horribly mangled that they cannot recover.

"No Personalities."

CINCINNATI, Ohio, Dec. 15.—The last scene in the trial of Prof. Smith was enacted yesterday. Rev. Dr. A. Ritchie, acting moderator, read the sentence of the court.

Prof. Smith broke the silence by saying he was gratified that the trial had been conducted without disagreeable personalities.

Brave at Fort Sumter.

BROOKLYN, Dec. 15.—Peter Hart, a veteran of the late war, who distinguished himself by nailing the flag to the staff at Fort Sumter, died last night.

Satisfied With Him.

MONTREAL, Dec. 15.—It has been definitely decided that there will be no opposition to Hon. J. J. Curran, Solicitor-General, in Montreal Centre.

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All Around the Provinces the rapid increase of La Grippe, is causing great alarm. A report was received here to-day, of a new development of the disease, which is worse, perhaps than any other. Wm. Hanley of N. Y. City, died in terrible agony after sickness of only four days. His tongue swelled to such an extent as to make it impossible for him to close his jaws or swallow any food. The report is causing the people in this district to inquire into the noted Grip-cure, recently received by us from Father Kemp's Care Breton the disease has spread very rapidly and with fatal results. D. J. Killop of I. Archeveque writes Feb. 11th that the cure has been tried in his neighborhood and with such success that all those residing there are obtaining a supply believing it to be the only remedy affording relief and effecting a certain cure. He finished his letter by asking for a large quantity of the Medicine (Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills) to supply the demands of the community for the relief of LaGrippe.

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AN OPEN LETTER

Continued from Saturday)

OUR EXPENDITURE.

An equally startling object lesson is found in the comparison of the annual expenditures of the two countries. When Confederation was formed, the affairs of the country were being conducted in a comparatively economical manner. Canadians had not degenerated into what so many of them now appear to be—an aggregation of office holders and office seekers trying to eke out a precarious existence by living on the fruits of their neighbor's labors. A comparison of the expenditure of the two countries shows as:

U.S EXPENDITURE			CAN. EXPENDITURE		
Y'R	AMOUNT.	PER HE'D	Y'R	AMOUNT.	PER HE'D
1871	$ 157 583 827	$3 90	1871	$ 15 612 081	$4 00
1881	257 142 822	3 00	1881	34 502 572	5 00
1891	317 895 549	4 10	1891	42 984 564	5 00

This comparison is distinctly to our disadvantage. The position of the Canadian is growing worse every year, while that of our neighbors is improving. It is safe to assert that the combined National, provincial, county and municipal indebtness of Canada does not fall much, if at all below $200 per head of the population. In the United States these combined debts, as well as school debts, are but $28.13 per head. What does this excess mean to the head of a large family of young Canadians?

THE FINANCIAL OUTLOOK.

It is perhaps unnecessary to pursue further a consideration of the financial side of this great question of Canada's Future. But it is worth while to enquire whether there is any good reason to expect that we can never under our colonial status recover the ground we have undoubtedly lost since the Confederation of the provinces and the abolition of slavery in the States and the preservation of their political union, which many of us out of sheer and wanton malice hoped had been shattered by the war beyond the hope of repair. Our national expenditure today is about double that per head of our population; theirs about half that sum. There is little reason to believe Canadian expenditure will ever be reduced to any great extent, no matter what party may hold the reins of power. Glance over the different branches of expenditure and select the items that can be lopped off. Our interest is a fixture, as also is the amount we pay to the several provinces to assist them in maintaining their local governments, and be it remarked, en passant, that the interest of Quebec's debt, as rolled up by Count Mercier, is a great deal more than ever up the Quebec subsidy. Together federal interest and subsidies, with charges incident thereto, amount to about sixteen million dollars, this leaving barely sufficient to provide for the ordinary expenses of the government. The probability is that the expenditure will increase. The best of governments are continually incurring obligations which must be honored and which render curtailment of expenditure per head impossible in countries where the population is increasing, as in the States, so rapidly that the new comers help to bear the burden of the older citizens. The very conditions which make imperative the raising of a large revenue effectually destroy all chances of entering on Imperial Federation, Canadian Independence, Unrestricted Reciprocity or any other mode of national existence which will not render unnecessary at least two-thirds of the present Dominion expenditure.

WHAT OF THE FUTURE?

The belief is becoming general that Canada cannot continue to continue in her present anomalous, unique and humiliating position. There are people who believe in a laissez faire policy, but they are mostly those who, either living on the expense of the general taxpayer or growing wealthy out of the necessities of their poorer neighbors, have no idea of sympathy with their fellow-citizens, who, be they ever so industrious, find few opportunities on this, our northern and retrogressive state, to better their condition in life and to ensure the future of their families. It behooves those of us who think a change in the near future, not only desirable but imperative, to consider how such a change as will be to the advantage of all concerned can be brought about. It is with a view of bringing the future of Canada before one of the most intelligent and patriotic sons that this letter has been addressed to you.

For months past—in fact, it may be said for years—an agitation has been on foot among your supporters and admirers to induce you to accept a portfolio in the Dominion Cabinet. The writer, for one, would have been more than pleased at any time, up to within a few months past, to see an announcement that the services of Wm. Ralph Meredith had been fittingly recognized by his admission to the Privy Council of Canada, with the prospect of soon becoming Prime Minister. But sir, it is much better now to know that you have steadily declined to advance at the call of your leaders to a place in the cabinet of the nation, but have remained in the less pretentious, though perhaps more honorable, arena of provincial politics. Shakespeare tells us that the man whose purse is stolen loses trash, but that he who is robbed of his good name has filched from him that which can never be replaced and leaves him poor indeed! What, Mr. Meredith, would be your position before the world to-day had you yielded to the solicitations of your friends and gone to Ottawa and accept a share of the responsibility of governing this country? It is not flattery—it would be unbecoming to stoop to an act so ignoble—to assure you that of the few men holding leading positions in the Conservative party who can look his neighbor squarely in the face, place his hand upon his heart, say truthfully, "I have done no wrong to my country," you are one. This implies a sweeping indictment, it is admitted, of the leading Conservatives of Canada; but is such indictment not sustained by the facts and the evidence of guilt accumulating from day to day, and which must, in the end, cover with everlasting shame and infamy the names of not only those who conceived and executed these unspeakably odious deeds, but those who, as you fortunately have not done, have, for the sake of party, taken upon themselves responsibility for such transactions but little short of that attaching to the criminals themselves, and have lost their good reputations and dragged their honor in the dust in the attempt to shield the guilty from the deserved condemnation of an outraged and deceived community! The Toronto Mail, in a recent issue, commented upon the Tweed like political villainies which are now being practised and those which have been consummated by the upholders and aimers in the name of British connection, made use of the following language:

"A very unpleasant and discouraging feature of this affair, and not of this affair alone, is the apparent collapse of political honour in the person of Sir John Thompson, which seems to show that no character is proof against the influence of faction. When the late Premier died the Mail supported the claim of Sir John Thompson to the succession. He was a Roman Catholic, animated perhaps by the enthusiasm of a convert; and this undoubtedly was a drawback in a country already too much under the influence of the Catholic vote. But his conversion, at all events, proved him to be in earnest about religion and likely, in questions of public morality, to be under the restraint of religious principle. His character, formed partly on the bench of justice, appeared to rise above that of his fellows, and notably above that of Mr. Abbott, who had not only been somewhat tainted by the Pacific Scandal, but had committed

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THE DAILY ONTARIO

BELLEVILLE, THURSDAY,

PROBABILITIES.

Lakes and Upper St. Lawrence.—Westerly winds; fair weather; not much change in temperature.

TOLD IN A LINE OR TWO

Chief Solomon Loft's wife is dangerously ill at the Mohawk Reserve.

The remains of A. G. Whittier will be burried in Trenton to-morrow at 2.30 p.m.

King Curlett's "Three Students," was put on at the Kingston Opera House last night.

Evangelist Vermilyea, of Belleville, is conducting evangeliatic services in the Norham Methodist church.

A tramp by the name of McGregor, appeared before Messrs. Humphries and Gallagher J.P's, on the charge of stealing a gold watch from Mr. Joseph Alder of Norham. He pleaded not guilty and as no witnesses appeared against him the case was dismissed.

Alexander Brant, of the Tyendinaga Reserve, reported drowned in Georgian Bay returned last week

At the annual meeting of the patrons of the Black River cheese factory, held recently, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, J C Hobbs; salesman, sec-treas., Wm Call; auditors, T McMahon, E Gimmon. The patrons realized a profit of 74c per cwt. for their milk during the past season.

A meeting of the stockholders and patrons of Sillsville cheese factory met recently to wind up the business for the year 1892. The meeting was harmonious throughout. The returns are as follows: Amount of milk received, 1,202,748 lbs. amount of cheese 117,128 lbs, cash received for cheese$11,075,60, amount paid for milk $9,025,94, amount of expenses $2,094,66, amount of cheese from 100 lbs of milk 19½ lbs.

Mark M. Sexsmith of 2nd con. Sidney, on Tuesday morning got up apparently as well as usual, and while in the act of putting on his coat fell dead. He leaves a wife and three grown up daughters.

Mrs. Mostyn leaves this week for Chicago where she will enter on a course of study in painting. She wishes to visit the World's Fair and the art galleries of the western metropolis. Mrs. Mostyn is an artist of rare skill.

A circular has been issued to high school masters and school inspectors, at the instance of the Hon. Mr. Harcourt, acting Minister of Education, asking for specimens of writing (copybooks, etc.,) drawing maps and books, book-keeping, photographs of schoolhouses, natural history, (collections of insects and leaves) from which the department will make selections to send to the Chicago Exposition. The Specimens must be sent to the county inspectors or the Department of Education before the end of February.

It is reported that a young lady a few miles from Belleville, who has many acquaintances in town, is to be married next Tuesday.—Napanee Express.

Mr. and Mrs. Ichabod Bowerman, of Wellington, purpose leaving on Wednesday for Los Angeles and San Pedro, Cal., where they will pass the winter, hoping to improve in health.

Ald. Wallbridge desires as many of his friends and supporters as possible to meet at his office on Friday evening at 7.30 for the purpose of organizing committees to assist him in his canvas for the mayoralty.

Mrs. Hanna Jones, relict of the late Henry Jones, Front of Sidney, is lying at the point of death. She is past eighty years of age.

Mrs. Peter Quinn, an old resident of Belleville, died suddenly of heart failure on Sunday night at the age of sixty-two. Although she complained of a slight illness a few days before her death, it was not considered serious by the family. The deceased, whose maiden name was Ellen Hart was born in Ireland and came to Belleville with her husband in 1846. The remains were buried at 10 A.M., on Tuesday in the R.C. cemetery.

I shall for 3 days, Thrsday Friday and Saturday, December 15th, 16th, and 17th, offer my whole stock of Books and Stationery, Fancy Goods, Musical Instruments, at a reduction of 33 1-3 per cent. No Reserve.

E. Harrison.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

W. W. Power, proprietor of the Queen's Hotel was in Kingston yesterday.

L. I. Frechette, M.P., for St. Ferdinand de Halifax, Que., is in the city.

THE LIST CONTINUED.

UNCLAIMED SUMS IN BRANCHES OF THE MONTREAL BANK.

Many Belleville People Interested in the Bank of Montreal's List.

The following list contains the names of persons in Belleville who have amounts to their credit in the branches of the Montreal Bank:

Andrews, D, $51.69, May 6, 1878.
Benjamin, E R, collection account, $2.36, May 7, 1875.
Benjamin, B. R, private account, 87 cents, May 8, 1875.
Benjamin, E R, contgt. account, $2.56, April 23, 1875.
Blair, J, $1.02, Oct. 30, 1877.
Baker, S, $4.65, April,21, 1874.
Brownson, D, $4.88, Feb. 3, 1879.
Back, Thos. 25 cents, April 7, 1881.
Back & Stewart, Estate, creditors of, $69.47, Jan. 17, 1879.
Bunt, P, $2. Oct. 12, 1883.
Cooper, J. $1.95, Jan. 14, 1860.
Coe & Macpherson, $1, March 23, 1868.
Chase, E S, $1.71. Oct. 8, 1875.
Cole, S. 39 cents. May 31, 1879.
Cross, M H, 8 cents, March 24, 1883.
Dunham, E, $100, Jan 1, 1858.
Downey & Pope, 4 cents, Oct 10, 1877.
Davenport, N, 55 cents, Jan 17, 1878.
Davis, S M, 21 cents, Oct 1, 1880.
Deavins & Roblin, 94 cents, June 26, 1880.
Elmore, A B, $4.77, May 15, 1861.
Evans & Bolger. 4 cents, Dec 21, 1881.
Fanning & Hogle, 26 cents, Nov. 18, 1874.
Fidler, Mrs C B, 20 cents, May 28, 1880.
Huffman, P., $50, Oct. 16, 1871.
Fauquier, E. F., 8 cents, Sept. 8, 1881.
Horne, Mrs. D. M., 26 cents, Aug 11, 1880.
Hart, M. S, 15 cents, Dec. 19, 1879.
Howard, F. T., 68 cents, May 31, 1883.
Jacobs, A., $13.50, April 16, 1886.
Johnson, R. A., 3 cents, April, 13, 1886.
Lyon, J., $2.48, Nov. 10, 1886.
London and Lancashire Life Ass. Co., 18 cents, Feb. 22, 1880
Kelso, T., President Ontario Navigation Co., $1, Feb. 6, 1880.
Marmora Foundry Co., $479.54, Oct. 1, 1862.
Mott, A. P., 12 cents, Oct, 3, 1878.
Meacham, J. H., advance account, $20.35 Aug. 9, 1877.
McCrea, J. J., 1889, Oct. 6, 1873.
McMahon, B., $1.37, Oct. 3, 1884.
Mayne, F. J. $23.08, June 6, 1883.
Nulty, M., 38 cents, March 3, 1879.
McFarlane, D., $18.25, Oct. 22, 1878.
Palmer, M. J, $5 56, May 13, 1873.
Pearce, T. R., 59 cents, Jan. 22, 1878.
Pusey, C. J., $2.18, June 15, 1882,
Ross, James, $1, April 4, 1873.
Ross & Co., S., 35 cents, Aug. 3, 1876.
Starr, J., $4.72, Jan. 15, 1873.
Smith, W. R, 37 cents, May 15, 1872.
Smith, G. A., Estate of, $84.55, June 6, 1870.
Sullivan, M, 12 cents, Dec 6, 1879.
Shaw, Ida F, $1, Feb 6, 1879.
Usborne, G W, 36 cents, May 7, 1879.
Wallace, J, $90.41, May, 17, 1870.
Whitford, M. 89 cents, April 26, 1875.
Basset, F M, 12 cents, Oct 19, 1886.
Fraser, Hugh, $300, Nov 18, 1874.
Mumby, Mrs Jas, $100, Oct 17, 1879.
Declaire, Mrs M, $480, April 19, 1882.
Gauthier, Mrs F, $125, Aug 18, 1883.
Rath, Chas. $500, Jan 19, 1885.
Daley, Jos, $500, March 2, 1885.
Cole, E, $32 00, June 11, 1885.
Foley, Mrs E, $440, Aug 1, 1885.

DIED IN JAIL

A Lone Man's Wanderings put to an end by Death

On Wednesday night about 9 o'clock a man giving his name as L. Almer applied for admission to the Napanee jail. He stated to the magistrate that he had come down from Toronto. Yesterday morning about half-past six o'clock he died. Jailer Vanluven notified coroner Huffman, who impanelled a jury and an inquest was held. After all the evidence had been recorded, the jury gave a verdict "that the deceased came to his death from natural causes, brought about by exposure." Before his death he said he had a daughter living in Kingston, but was unable to give her name.

Nature's Choice.

This is the name of a handsomely illustrated pamphlet just gotten out by the North Galveston Association. It tells about the remarkable advantages of their property, either to the settler or investor. John Forin, Belleville, is the local agent of this company and would be pleased to call upon any person who wishes full information about this property.

TEACHERS EXAMINATIONS

Those Who Have Been Granted Certificates by the Board of Examiners

The following students-in-training at the Model School were granted certificates as follows, by the Board of examiners last week:—Provincial Third Class Certificates valid for three years:—B. E. Cummings, Louis Fleming, J. W. Thompson, Annie Bosely, Mary Elliott, Mary Frost, Emma Kells, Hettie McCoy, Lucy McRae, Ella Marsh, Rebecca Mumby, Lena Sine, Helen Yarwood. Third Class for two years:—Olive Jones. Third Class District Certificates, valid for three years in any school north of the townships north of Elzevir, Madoc, and in the following Sections, viz:—8, 10, Marmora, 2, 6, 7, Elzevir, 17, Madoc, 23, 24, 30 Tyendinaga, 4, 7, 10, 14, 19, 20, 21, 22, Hungerford:—W. A. Young, Georgie Eldridge, Mary Egan, Bertha Holbert, Effie Meiklejohn, Anna Madigan. Third Class District Certificates, valid for three years in the townships north of Elzevir, Madoc and Marmora:—Matilda Danford, Annie Doughan, Ada Sager. Third Class District Certificates, valid for three years in the schools north of Elzevir, Madoc, and Marmora, excepting sections 1, 2, 8, Tudor, 7 Cashel, 3 and 4 Limerick. 1, 6, 8, Wollaston, 3, 4, 7, Dungannon, 2 Faraday:—M. O. Stephens.

Sunshine in the House!

"I'm weary with work!" the good wife sighed;
"But after all," she said.
"It's sweet to labor for those we love—
No wonder that maids will wed."

A wise housewife lightens her toil and gladdens the home circle by her cheerfulness. But health is the first requisite, and her just prerogative. Health follows the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, which afflict womankind. It enriches the blood, cures the cough, increases the flesh, prevents hysteria, nervousness and low spirits, and is a veritable fountain of health to women, young and old. Satisfaction, or the price (1.00) refunded. Of druggists.

SPORTING WORLD

Following are the officers of the Lakefield hockey club:—Hon. President, Mr. J. L. Madill; President, P. McCargar; Vice President, J S Madill; Captain, D. G. Clarke; Vice Captain. T. Ridpath; Sec-Tres, J. W. Ridpath; Committee of Management, D. G. Clarke, T. Ridpath, F. Morrin and H. Frise.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

THAT ABDUCTION CASE.

IT IS SATISFACTORILY CLEARED UP AT LAST

Minnie Rockey Takes Kindly to Her New Surroundings—Her Mother Said to be a Respectable Woman

The mystery surrounding the sudden and strange disappearance of Minnie May Rockey from Belleville a few days ago is at last satisfactorily cleared up and completely exhonerates Sergt. Downs from any complicity in the charge of assisting in the girl's abduction. The letter reads:

DEAR SIR—Your letter to Chief of Police Walker, of this city, in relation to the young girl taken from your place a short time since, was shown to me by the chief with the request that I assist him in the matter as I am to some extent acquainted with the parties through business transactions with them. From our investigation of the matter I am convinced that the girl in question is the child of Mrs. Erenhart. Mrs. Erenhart says she is the mother of the child by a former husband, who is now dead and and that the child has been kept from her, which story she related to me, and is too long to recite here. Mr. Erenhart, the husband of the woman when called upon did not hesitate in the least to have the whole matter thoroughly investigated and was anxious that all should be known. Mr. Erenhart is well to do and is in business here. They have ben here since early last spring and have in all respects deported themselves as decent respectable people, and I assure you I have every reason to believe they are. The girl is with them and is well cared for. The chief will write you more fully. I hope for the sake of all concerned that this will end all sensation about the matter.

A letter has also been received by Mr. Flint from chief C. W. Walker of Anderson in which he states that in accordance with Mr. Flint's request he made a thorough investigation of the case. He had called on Mrs. Erenhart and found both her and her husband very respectable people, that they had lived in Anderson since May last and that the girl, over whom there has been so much talk, was being well taken care of. The writer mentions the fact that the girl bears a strong resemblence to her mother and that he believes everything was all right.

Gratifying to All

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ALBURY NOTES.

Mr. James Alexander and family, who went to the States about two years ago, returned home here week before last. Mr. Alexander broke his knee cap in July over there and at present is unable to work.—Mr. Daniel Mastress and family have moved to West lake when they intend to remain.—Mr. Thomas Arthur's little girl Laona fell off a box a few days ago and broke her arm.—Mr. Ceymore Tripp who underwent an operation a few days ago is getting along finely—The church of England intend holding their Xmas tree about the 28th.—Rev. Mr Wilkins, of Trenton, preached here Sunday before last.—Mr. James Alexander is busily drawing stone and intends to raise his barn in the spring.—Mr. Wallace Massey and wife of Consecon was visiting at Sir Allen Peterson's to-day.—Mr. Arthur Osborn, the village school teacher has taken the brick school near the Carrying Place and Miss Mallery of Bloomfield takes charge of the village school.—Mr and Mrs. Robert Pye who have charge of Scotch Bonnett lighthouse returned home yesterday and their happy faces are seen among us once more—Miss Winnie Stapleton has taken the Lake Shore school for next year and her many friends wish her success it being her first attempt at teaching.—Rev. W. T. King, of Quebec province, preached here in Christ church on Sunday. Report has it he is after a wife.—Mrs. John McFaul who has been confined to his room for the past six weeks is slowly improving under the care of Dr. Ruttan, of Wellington.—The cold snap caught many of the farmers with their work that ought to have been done long ago, undone, while many have their ploughing done nearly as many have not yet finished, but since it has thawed out several are improving the time plowing.—Mr. William Davidson, who is attending college at Toronto broke his leg while playing foot-ball, and has been in the hospital for several weeks. He is expected home this week.—Mr. Albert Babbit and daughter, of Brighton was visiting at Mrs. Benj. Palmers on Sunday.—Mr. Geo. Buchanan had a break down while returning from Consecon the front axle of his buggy broke and nearly caused a runaway.—Mr. Peter Crandall and wife, who have been living near Picton for a time, intend moving in the village in a few days,

Hawkers and Pedlers

What ear-splitting cries we hear daily in the streets of every large city! But these itinerant dealers who hawk their wares about are, when under proper restrictions, a useful portion of the community, and not such nuisance as the catarrh hawkers. This is a stubborn disease to conquer, but Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy does it. It is mild, soothing and antiseptic, unlike snuffs that irritate, or solutions that burn. It corrects offensive breath, and restores taste, smell and hearing. Nasal catarrh often ends in consumption. Apply the only cure in time. Price 50 cents, by all druggists.

THE CAUSE OF THE VETERANS.

Geo. Merrill Says That the Battle i Virtually Won

SIR.—I am still receiving letters from old veterans of '37 and their decendants and sympathizers all over Canada and the United States, asking why their long neglected claims of over 55 years are not yet settled, although I have had their cause in hand for over two years. In reply to the old veterans and their sympathizers who are more numerous than the sands in Redpath's sugar, I will say that the five petitions from St. Catharins, London, Lucan, Belleville and Midland District have been received by her Majesty Queen Victoria, and with about 40 letter from the surviving old veterans residing in Canada and the United States have been placed in the hands of her responsible advisers. Right Hon. W. E. Gladstone has also communicated with me re the cause of the vets. of '37 and is now corresponding with the Colonial secretary. I can assure the old veterans that the battle is won. Yours truly.

GEO. MERRILL.

Large or Small

Women who have money to spend for boys clothing, whether the amount be large or small, cannot do better than inspect our stock of boys suits and overcoats Stocktaking time will soon be here. Many lines have to go before then, and the advantage is on the side of the purchaser.

THE MAYORALTY CONTEST.

Ald. Mikel Withdraws—His Name—Only Two Contestants

From present indications there will be only two contestants for the mayoralty. Ald. W. C. Mikel was seen by a reporter of the ONTARIO to-day in reference to a rumor that he would retire from the contest. Mr. Mikel stated that owing to the pressure of business he did not feel that he could spare the necessary time to go into a fight. "I expect to be called to Toronto this week on a matter of business," said Mr. Mikel, "which cannot be transacted in less than a week. This fact would make it impossible for me to make a personal canvas, without which a man would be seriously handicapped."

Alds. Wallbridge and Fowell have buckled on their armor and entered the fight in real earnest. Mayor Bogart does not say whether he will run or not but it is not likely that he will make a fight.

LITERARY GOSSIP

A semi-centenarian: America's venerable and only weekly eclectric, Littell's Living Age.

This standard weekly is the oldest, as it is the best, concentration of choice periodical literature printed in this country. It holds a unique position in the magazine world—a monthly that comes every week—a single magazine that contains the cream of all. Those who desire a thorough compendium of all that is admirable and noteworthy in the literary world will be spared the trouble of wading through the sea of reviews and magazines published abroad; for they find the essence of all compacted concentrated here.

Littell's Living Age is, for this reason particularly well adapted to the needs of the busy American whose leisure for extended reading is greatly restricted. To those whose means are limited, it must meet with especial favor, for it offers them what could not otherwise be obtained except by a large outlay. Intelligent readers who want to save time and money, will find it invaluable.

Its prospectus for 1893 presents some special attractions and is well worth attention in selecting ones reading matter for the new year. Reduced clubbing rates with other periodicals are given, and to new subscribers for the year 1893 will be sent gratis the two October issues, containing a powerful story by Frank Harris editor of the Fortnightly Review, and also the numbers of 1892 published after the receipt of the subscriptions.

Travel and adventure is ever interesting when told with grace and spirit and this H. Spencer Howell, of Galt, Ont., has done in his book, "An Island Paradise," published in the very neatest style by Hart & Riddell, Toronto. The typography is highly presentable. The author devotes one hundred pages to a description of the Hawaiian islands, their history, customs and institutions. The islanders are an interesting if not captivating people and Mr. Howell having studied them intently has presented a graphic pen picture of the nation and its territory. Then visiting San Francisco he describes this ambitious city; travelling on to Australia, the East Indies, Malta, Gibraltar, Antwerp, Brussels and Edinburg he carries the reader along in delightful companionship. A brief dainty touch is given to the attractions in each of these centres of a world's interest, and Canadians may feel a pride in having a countryman so pleasant a cicerone in their literary excursions. The author cannot err in extending his travels for he will be followed with pleasure.

Special

We have had sent to us about two dozen dressing gowns and smoking jackets on approval. We shall have them on sale until to morrow night only. They are nice goods and would make a fine Christmas present. A. FISH & CO.

TOWN TALK

New goods just arrived at Goldsmith's fish store, Bridge street—groceries, fish, fruits, cigars, oysters, cider, candies. Refreshments and lunches at all hours.

You will save money by getting your stoves and ranges from Deacon & Doyle

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For catarrh or cold in head use nittis catarrh cure, A L Geen agent

For hanging and standlamps try Geen' Drug Store.

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Deacon & Doyle carry a full line of gas fixtures, also Bray's patent burner the great saver of gas.

If you want a Cough-mixture that your wife can take without making a face at you, and your children will cry for, and that will cure their coughs and colds quicker than anything you ever brought home to them, then get Magnus Expectorant.

Rev. E. N. Baker, M.A B.D., will give his popular lecture "Rambles in Rome," in Holloway St. Methodist church on Friday evening next Dec. 16th. at 8 P.M. Admission only 10 cents, easily worth 25 cents. w&f

For Bargains on Christmas goods, go to E. Harrison.

Don't miss Harrison's discount sale. Everything reduced one-third.

It will be worth your while to call and see the grand stock of stoves and ranges Deacon & Doyle have on hand.

D. M. Waters, Chemist and druggist Belleville,has a supply of Membray's Kidney and Liver Cure in stock. Ask about it.

Christmas Books, Prayer-books Albums, reduced thirty-three one third per cent. at Harrison's.

It is only a couple of years since Salvater Magnus was first offered to the public and it has already affected more cures of lung diseases than all other remedies combined have done in twenty years.

More Valuable Than Diamonds.

Cod liver oil from the cod fish when combined with hypophosphites of lime and soda, as in "Miller's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil," will build up the cellular tissues and create new blood. This is just what consumptive patients need. It has cured thousands of people who would otherwise have been at this time occupying narrow spaces in the graveyards of our country. Miller's Emulsion is worth a trial. In big bottles, 50c and $1.00 at Drug Stores.

Christmas Entertainment.

The Tabernacle Sunday School is preparing a grand entertainment of songs chouruses, recitations, dialogues, etc., to be given on Monday evening, Dec. 26th. Two Christmas Trees will be erected and they will be free for all to put presents on for their friends. Ample accomomdations in the S. S. Rooms for 600 people. Old Santa Claus has been engaged for the occasion. Admission 15 cts. Children 10 cts.

Clear Havana Cigars

"La Cadena" and "La Flora." Insist on having these brands.

An Eastern Beauty.

When on a sudden, came a maid,
With tambourine, to dance for us—
Allah il' Allah! it was she,
The slave-girl from the Bosporus
That Yussuf purchased recently.

Long narrow eyes, as black as black!
And melting, like the stars in June;
Tresses of night drawn smoothly back.
From eyebrows like the crescent moon,
She paused an instant with bowed head,
Then, at a motion of her wrist
A veil of gossamer outspread
And wrapt her in a silver mist.
Her tunic was of Tiflis green
Shot through with many a starry speck;
The zone that claspt it might have been
A collar for a cygnet's neck.
None of the twenty charms she lacked
Demanded for perfection's grace;
Charm upon charm in her was packed
Like rose leaves in a costly vase.
Full in the lantern's colored light
She seemed a thing of Paradise.
I knew not if I saw aright,
Or if my vision told me lies.
Those lanterns spread a cheating glare:
Such stains they threw from bough and vine
As if the slave-boys, here and there,
Had split a jar of brilliant wine.
And then the fountain's drowsy fall,
The burning aloes' heavy scent,
The night, the place, the hour—they all
Where full of subtle blandishment.

—Harper's Magazine.

Young Girls and Jewels.

It is not in America alone that the matter of jewels would be likely to come up for consideration in a young girl's toilet. Excepting a string of small pearls or some dainty brooch miniature affixed to a band of velvet around the throat, ornament of the kind is almost unseen in full dress among the really well bred people heretofore alluded to. Indeed, it has been recently a fashion amounting to a fad among girls fortunate in round, white, well-covered necks and throats, to omit every vestige of jewelry on the person (and to have no ornament in the hair, if a tiny band or bow of ribbon be not suffered to nestle in those silken solitudes). Cheap jewelry, masquerading in the guise of real; the thousand and one bow knots and Rhinestone pins, and false enamel trinklets that now glitter in the shop windows—and their adoption among maid servants and shop girls—are no doubt responsible for the forsaking of much that is fascinating and appropriate for wear in the goldsmith's art.—Ladies' Home Journal.

Heredity.

It is a fact well established by students of heredity that children are apt to inherit not only the physical, mental, and moral traits of their parents, but to be influenced by their age as well. Children born of very young fathers and mothers never attain so vigorous a growth of mind or body as those of older men and women, while children of old people are born old. One of the most surprising cases in medical history is that of Marguerite Cribsowna, who died in 1763, aged 108 years. When 94 she was married to a man aged 105. Three children came of this union, but they had grey hair, no teeth, were stooped, yellow, and wrinkled, decrepit in movement, and could eat only bread and vegetables.—Charleston News and Courier.

An Old Lady's Way.

A happy and vigorous old lady in New Hampshire gives these rules for the secret of success of 80 years' living on this planet, which brings so much care and worry to many of her sisters: "I never allow myself to fret over things I cannot help. I take a nap, and sometimes two, every day of my life, I never take my washing, ironing, or baking to bed with me, and I try to oil all the various wheels of a busy life with an implicit belief that there are a brain and a heart to this great universe, and that I can trust them both."

In a Police Court.

Justice — You have been proved a tramp and a beggar. Haven't you any trade?

Tramp—Yes, your honor; I shovel snow.

"In winter, but that's past; but what do you do in the summer?"

"I wait for the winter, your honor."

Happy

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Rejoice Because

Hood's Sarsaparilla Rescued Their Child from Scrofula.

For Scrofula, Salt Rheum, and all other foul humors in the blood of children or adults, Hood's Sarsaparilla is an unequalled remedy. Read this:

"We are so thankful to Hood's Sarsaparilla for what it did for our little girl that we make this statement for the benefit of other anxious parents and

Suffering Children

Our girl was a beautiful baby, fair and plump and healthy. But when she was two years old, sores broke out behind her ears and spread rapidly over her head and forehead down to her eyes, and into her neck. We consulted one of the best physicians in Brooklyn, but nothing did her any good. The doctors said it was caused by a scrofula humor in the blood. Her head became

One Complete Sore

offensive to the smell and dreadful to look at. Her general health waned and she would lay in a large chair all day without any life or energy. The sores caused **great itching** and burning, so that at times we had to restrain her hands to prevent scratching. For 3 years

She Suffered Fearfully

with this terrible humor. Being urged to try Hood's Sarsaparilla we did so. We soon noticed that she had more life and appetite. The medicine seemed to drive out more of the humor for a short time, but it soon began to subside, the **itching and burning ceased**, and in a few months her head became entirely clear of the sore. She is now **perfectly well**, has no evidence of the humor, and her skin is clear and healthy. She seems like an entirely different child, in health and general appearance, from what she was before taking

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This Testimonial

Is an illustration of what Hood's Sarsaparilla is doing for the sick and suffering every day, from Maine to California. In the light of these facts who can say that the work of an immense concern like ours is not beneficent?

HOOD'S PILLS cure liver ills, constipation, biliousness, [illegible] headache, indigestion.

What She Said

Mrs. R. Peck, 15th street, New York City, visited Canada year, and had the good fortune to pick up something which not only suited her, but her neighbors also. Writing the manufacture of Nerviline she says:—"I bought three bottles of Nerviline while in Canada and treated my neighbors to some of it, and all think it the best medicine for internal or external pain they have ever used." Nerviline deserves such commendation, for it is a most powerful, penetrating, and certain remedy for pain of all kinds. Take no substitute.

How to save money is a problem that interests everybody. One way to do it is to invigorate the system with Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Being a highly concentrated blood medicine, it is the most powerful and economical. It is sold for a dollar a bottle, but worth five.

JAS. A. CONGER

There will be a MERRY CHRISTMAS at your House if you buy your GIFTS at

JAS. A. CONGER.

In Lamps we lead, both in Price, Assortment and Design.

XMAS PRESENTS

Ought to interest you. Can't we help you to select one? Our preparations are such that we can most certainly interest you. We have all the novelties that experience and money can select for the holiday season. We are showing a toute ensemble of all the very latest novelties. In Ties, Initial Handkerchiefs Braces, Umbrellas, Coat Scarfs, Wool and Silk Cuffs, Shirts, Collars and Cuffs, Linen Handkerchies, Hem-stitch Handkerchiefs and all goods warranted first-class and at the lowest prices. Come and see us.

A. E. FISH & CO.

IN LEATHER!

Goods suited for Xmas Gifts in Russia Leather Dressed Seal, Dressed and Ooze Calf and Morocco, we have:

Card Cases and Pocket Books from.. 25c to $6.00.
Wallets and Chatalaines from ..... 25c to 5.00.
Novelties in Music Cases from...... 1 00 to 5 00.
The New Boston Shopping Bag from. 2.50 to 6 50.
Ladies' Companions, Glove and Handkerchief Cases, all prices, Albums, Poets, Church Services and Gift Books, etc., etc.
The above is a list comprising the Handsomest lines of Leather Goods ever brought into Belleville.

C. B. SCANTLEBURY,

OUR SALES

Of lamps and silver on Saturday was the largest in our experience. We'll keep it up until spring. FROM THIS ON we'll add to them at slaughter prices Dinner Sets, Tea and Bedroom Sets. They must go and its as well to understand first as last that we are determined to get right under all others in prices, quality and style, and that's all the buying public want. FROM TO-DAY forward see us about your dishes, lamps and silver before you buy.

W. J. REID & CO,

Crystal Hall - - - Rous' Old Stand

Smashed Into Smithereens

And bursted are the Bubbles Thrown out to Gull the Public.

GOUGH, the Terror to High Priced Clothiers on the Trail

Of tottering houses that require money. We captured a wholesale stock of clothing at 65c on the dollar, and now the prices of six weeks ago are all split to splinters.

MEASURES FOR THE MEN.

READ our Champion Offer and don't try to Duplicate it for it can't be done.

We offer a Man's Overcoat for $3.90 that cost $4.78 wholesale. We offer splendid fitting Suits and in 150 different patterns at $6.00 usually worth $8.75 wholesale. This suit if sold in the regular way would bring $11.00 and $12. Our great big Xmas box for the buyer consists of 900 overcoats, ranging in price $17, $16 and $14. Your choice for $10. The cloth alone is worth more than we ask for the whole overcoat complete.

Look them all through, and then come to us and if we fail to convince the most sceptical that our stock is not at least 5 times larger, and our prices are 50 per cent. lower than those of other dealers, we will give a whole outfit free.

BOUNCING BARGAINS FOR THE BOY

Childs Suits for $1.50 all wool
" Overcoats with capeau $3.75 worth $6.
Youths suits $3.75 all wool worth $7.
" " $5.00 " " worth $9.
" Overcoats from $3 up.

Don't buy until you see our stock. Polite attention whether you buy or not,

SLEDS FREE!

Remember boys, with every suit or overcoat you buy from us, no matter what the price, we give you a beautiful sled free. We can be imitated but never approached. Again we say look them all through and then come to us and be convinced.

GOUGH THE BIG CLOTHIER

354 Front Street, Belleville.

Associated Stores: Toronto, Brantford, Peterboro, Orillia, Lindsay and Kingston

N. B.—We have just placed in stock of our own special make 150 suits, for men and young men's wear, in twelve different patterns. These goods ar a square cut sack, are all tailor made with raised seams and would cost you from $18.00 to $26 if you left your measure for them. Our price is $10 and $12

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Brand of PASTRY FLOUR is unexcelled a the Price.
ASK YOUR GROCER FOR IT.
THE RATHBUN CO'Y

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PORTLAND - CEMENT
—OUR OWN MANUFACTURE—
Equal to the very best imported,
THE RATHBUN CO'Y

SATURDAY NIGHT SALE OF HAND'K'FS

Hemstitched bordered hdkfs, 5 and 7c
Hemstitched white hdkfs, 5 and 7c
Embroidered hdkfs, 10c
Hemstitched Linen hdkfs, 15, 20 and 25c
Gent's Linen hdkfs, 10, 15 and 20c
Silk hdkfs, Embroidered, 15, 20 and 25c
White China Silk hdfs, 50, 75 and $1.00
Colored Silk Hdkfs in all Styles. Mourning Hdkfs at Popular Prices.

NATHAN JONES

OPPOSITE HOTEL STREET

Now for a bargain !

IN STOVES

Big Cheap Sale of Stoves at

FOSTERS

We must dispose of our Immense Stock of Stoves, and for the next 30 days will offer low bargains.

The John Bull Range,
Regal Peninsular and
Art Countess Base Burners

Are having a large sale. Call and examine our stock and prices.

FOSTER & FOSTER

CRANBERRIES

A FINE LOT JUST RECEIVED, Also Florida Oranges, Jamaica Oranges, Lemons, Bananas, etc.

Our oysters are received daily and cannot be excelled in the city.

FLEMING'S

Fresh Confectionery every day.

NEW FIGS.
CRANBERRIES
SWEET POTATOES

Just Received.

WALLBRIDGE & CLARKE

Messina Lemons only 25c per doz.
Florida Oranges only 25 and 30c doz,
Valencia Oranges only 15c per doz,
Fine Cream Candies, 25c per lb,
Mixed Candies, 8 and 10c per lb,
Very Fine Chocolates 20c per lb

Special Bargains in Teas and Coffees during Xmas Week.

ALEX. HARRIS.

Grocer, Belleville.

FEARMAN'S

Prepared Mince Meat

READY FOR PIES

YOUNG

THE GROCER.

THIS MATTER CHANGED DAILY
Friday Dec. 16th.

SEALETTE.

A word about sealette jackets which make a sensible present. We will make up our sealettes for the following prices:—
$4.60 Sealette Alt made for $17.00
$6.00 " " " " $21.50
$8.50 " " " " $29.50
$10.00 " " " " $31.75
Perfect fit guaranteed.

W. FLINT JONES

Corner Front and Bridge streets

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—FOR—

XMAS - TRADE

—AT—

BRASIER'S

We are showing for the Holiday Trade our usual fine stock of Furs in Ladies'

CAPES, COLLARS, MUFFS, CAPS, — In all the leading styles and in every kind of Fur.

Gent's Fine Collars and Cuffs, Caps, Gauntlets and Coat Linings.

Ladies' Fine Jackets made to order in Seal, Persian and Grey Lamb in the latest style.

Our stock of Robes and Coats is very large and prices very low.

Musk Ox Robes Extra Fine Quality.

Gent's Gloves and Mitts—a large assortment.

For a nice Christmas Present call and see my stock.

J. Brasier,

The Leading Hatter and Furrier, Front Street Belleville.

ONLY 2 MONTHS

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CHEAP STOVE SALE

5 Ranges by the best makers, at cost. Also w of A. h. Chowns late stock 30 per cent. below cost. Bucks Radiant Home Heaters and Happy Thought Ranges—The best in Canada. Sole agents in Belleville for the Famous ellipse Door Spring and Check.

W.W. CHOWN & C

NOVELTIES

FOR

XMAS !

PIC NIC SETS
TRAVELLING SETS,
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BON-BON BOXES,
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Perfume in Cut Glass and Fancy Bottles.

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CHRISTMAS
GOODS

Ladies' & Gents' Furs.

I have a few Ladies' Russian Circulars in full length and 3-4 lengths that I will sell very cheap.

Musk Ox Robes, the finest quality and darkest colors ever shown in the city.

Girls Grey Lamb Shoulder Capes, Storm Collars and Gauntlets.

Furs of all kinds Made to Order.

Old Furs Cleaned, Dyed and made over.

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MANUFACTURING FURRIER

Highest price paid for Raw Furs.

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All accounts due the late John R. Brown, must be paid to Geo. R. Brown, merchant tailor, before 1st January to save costs.

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Ladies and young men to take our work at their own homes; constant employment; work forwarded by mail and we pay good prices; experience not necessary; no canvassing. Address for particulars, Standard Manufacturing Co., Lock Box 107, South Framingham, Mass. Inclose stamps,

DALTON'S FAIR.

SANTA CLAUS HEADQUARTERS.

Our endeavors to make the Fair headquarters for Christmas supplies is more marked this fall than at any other previous time. Our store though large, is not sufficient to accommodate the great crowds at Christmas times. We would therefore urge you to make your selections now while the stock is complete and avoid the crush at Christmas time. We have just received 100 cases of foreign goods, such as albums, dolls, tooth brushes, hair brushes, purses fancy china cups and saucers, vases, jewelery, handsome lemonade sets, glass tea sets beautifully engraved, our assortment of American glassware must be seen to be appreciated. Never have we peen able to offer such bargains in albums, ladies workboxes, jewel cases, perfume cases shaving cases, brush and comb cases. Games from 5c up, playing cards from 5c up, beautifull whisk holders, all the latest styles from 49c up. We have something new in dolls, cradles childrens extension tables, sets of furniture, toy picture books, pansy books, magic lanterns 49c up steam engine, skates, doll carriages, childrens sleds and cutters, strong and durable at lowest prices, novels by the best authors 10c worth 35c pocket knives and table cutlery an endless variety to choose from. But perhaps one of the greatest drives is a special line of extra quality writing paper 5 quires (120 sheets) for 17c. We will not attempt to enumerate further, but would invite you to call at Dalton's Fair before purchasing where you can buy good goods at less than bankrupt prices.

NERVE BEANS

NERVE BEANS are a new discovery that cure the worst cases of Nervous Debility, Lost Vigor and Falling Manhood; restores the weakness of body or mind caused by overwork, or the errors or excesses of youth. This Remedy absolutely cures the most obstinate cases when all other TREATMENTS have failed even to relieve. Sold by druggists at $1 per package, or six for $5, or sent by mail on receipt of price by addressing THE JAMES MEDICINE CO., Toronto, Ont. Write for pamphlet. Sold in—

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You to come and take a look through our store, during the next 2 weeks. What would Christmas be without some of Dickens' choice candies? We have a selection to choose from this year that surpasses anything ever attempted by us heretofore.
Cadbury's Chocolate Eng'h,
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Buttercups, Chocolate ——
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Burnt Almonds, Chocolate Almonds, Walnut Gems, Bumby. Choice Bon Bons
Our own Make. Cofee Almonds.

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OLD DR. GORDON'S REMEDY FOR MEN.

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All those suffering from Nervous Debility and Weakness and having been unsuccessfully treated, will find this famous remedy a certain and speedy cure for Lost Manhood, Premature Decay, Inability, Lack of Confidence, Mental Depression, Palpitation of the Heart, Weak Memory, Exhausted Vitality, Errors of Youth, Secret Diseases, Evil Dreams, etc. Price $1 per box, or six boxes, which will cure most cases, for $5, postpaid. All correspondence confidential. Write for circular. Address QUEEN MEDICINE CO'Y Montreal.

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TABLE DELICACIES

FINEST TABLE RAISINS
FINEST TABLE FIGS
FINEST MALAGA GRAPES
FINEST FLORIDA ORANGES
FINE TABLE PRUNES
FINE TURKISH DATES

New Grenoble Walnuts
New Soft-shell Almonds,
New Sicily Filberts,
New Pecan Nuts,

BISCUITS.

VANILLA SUGAR WAFERS
CHOCOLATE SUGAR WAFERS
LEMON SUGAR WAFERS
RASPBERRY SUGAR WAFERS
SALTED SEAFOAM WAFERS
SALTED SNOWFLAKE WAFERS

CHEESE.

Genuine Roquefort Cheese,
MacLaren's Imperial Cheese [in small crocks]
Canadian Stilton Cheese
Prime old CheddarCheese, 1st prize

CROSSE & BLACKWELL'S JAMS AND JELLIES !

CANNED FRUITS & VEGETABLES

Canned Pineapples, Canned Peaches,
British Columbia Egg Plums,
French Mushrooms, [In glass bottles] French Mushrooms, [In tins]
French Peas, [In tins]
Canned String Beans, Canned Green Peas,
Canned Sugar Corn, Canned Tomatoes.

CROSSE & BLACKWELL'S PICKLES

Pickled Walnuts, Pickled White Onions, Pickled Girkins, Pickled Chow Chow
Mixed Pickles, Olives

Christmas Confectionery.

A FINE ASSORTMENT.

FINE BREAKFAST TEAS,
COFFEES, COCOAS,
AND CHOCOLATES

Fearman's and Lowry's Celebrated Christmas Hams and Bacon.

BALTIMORE OYSTERS
[Direct from the Packers]

Christmas Wines.

POMMERY SEC CHAMPAGNE
MUMM'S CHAMPAGNE
SPARKLING SAUMUR

FINEST OLD PORTS AND SHERRIES.
California Angelica, California Port, Native Wines, St, Augustine, White Catawaba.

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ALES AND PORTER.
Bass' English Ale. Guiness' Dublin Stout, Dow's India Pale Ale, Dows Sand Porter, Labatts Pale Ale, Carlings Ale, Davies Ale, etc.

IMPORTED GERMAN LAGER BIER.

IRISH AND SCOTCH WHISKIES.
Burke's Old Irish, J. Jamieson's Old Irish, W. Jamiesons Dublin Whiskey, Highland Blend, Bullock Lade & Co's Loch Katrine Camlachie Malt, Sheriff's Old Islay, Old Gaelic Whiskey, Andrew Usher & Cos Old Vatted Glenlivat Whiskey.

BRANDIES !
Hennessy's V. O. Brandy,
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Jules Robin & Co's Brandy

LIQUORS, Etc.
Booth's Old Tom Gin, Plymouth Gin,
Fine Old Jamaica Rum Angostura Bitters,
Ginger Wine, Ginger Ale,
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Vermouth Bitters.

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STYLE

AND

QUALITY

A Worthy gift should have in it the substantial elements of quality, that it need not see its day of usefulness limited to the holiday season. We do not offer inferior articles but relative to the price everything is the best in its line.

We have endeavored in all departments to show the latest styles, patterns and designs the market affords, and we are confident that after you make us a visit and inspect our goods you will come to conclusion that we have succeeded in every respect. Our stock is stylish and beautiful.

J. C. OVERELL,

The Leader of the trade in new and popular goods.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WANTED.

General servant at once. Highest wages paid. Apply to MRS. GOUGH, cor. Bridge and Charles Streets.

Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Sidney Town Hall Cheese Manufacturing Company will take place in the Sidney Town Hall on Friday, the 23rd day of December, 1892, at the hour of ten o'clock a. m., for the election of Directors, the payment of dividends and the transactions of all necessary business relating to the affairs of the Company. By Order of Board.
E. KETCHESON, Secretary. SAM'L L. WILMOT, President.
Wallbridge, Dec 12th, 1892.

AS A SPECIAL

Line for Christmas trade, we offer Mrs. Potts ad Irons, each set containing 3 Irons, Handle, (Wooden) and 1 Stand, at the ry low price of 85c. See our window. ey are full weight and fine finished.

JOHN LEWIS, HARDWARE

Opposite Anglo American Hotel.

Dancing and Deportment

New class for beginners commence Monday the 19th and January 3rd. at p.m., sharp. I will also form an advanced class on Thursday evenings giving those that can dance an opportunity of learning all the latest society dances. Parties wishing to form a private class can have Monday or Tuesday afternoons. Juveniles and young ladies at 4.30 p.m. Private lessons at hours to suit.

BELLEVILLE DANCING ACADEMY
ASHLEY'S BLOCK.
M. J. SAGE.

MAYORALTY

To the Electors of the City of Belleville :

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN :
I respectfully solicit your votes and influence for Mayor of the City of Belleville for 1893. I was born in Belleville have lived among you all my life, and am personally known to most of you.

I have been an alderman in the City Council for four years and during that time have endeavored to represent you straightforwardly and faithfully. My platform is "Economy" in city affairs. If elected I will exert myself to further the best interests of the city.
Yours respectfully,

Francis S. Wallbridge.

GIVING UP BUSINESS !

E. HARRISON

Intends giving up Business on account of failing health, and will on

Thursday, Friday and Saturday next

Offer his whole stock of Christmas Goods, Books, Stationery and Music etc., at a

SPECIAL - REDUCTION

OF 33 1-3 PER CENT

NOTHING RESERVED

MAYORALTY.

Ladies and Gentlemen.

Having been requested by a large number of influential electors of the City of Belleville, to offer myself for Mayor for 1893, I have consented to do so and now respectfully solicit your votes and influence.

HARRY FOWELL

U. E. THOMPSON

BANKER.

BRIDGE ST — — — BELLEVILLE

Deposits received, subject to withdrawal without notice. Interest allowed at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum. American Currency Drafts, etc. bought and sold.

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Have out a Choice Line of

FMILY - GROCERES

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NOTICE.

Doctors, nurses and mothers, if you knew what Dr Kirkwood has invented for your special benefit you would send stamp with address for full information of Dr Kirkwood's scientific and Force and Suction Syringe; a necessary article to every lady. Mention this paper. Address Canadian Agency, Kirkwood Rubber Co, 6 Lombard St, Toronto.

All Stock Raisers use Dick's Universal Medicines

BARON REINICH'S DEA

EWSPAPER ATTACKS DROVE HIM DESPERATION.

His Son-in-Law Said He Did Not Com Suicide—The Documents of the Baron Now in Charge of the Go ment.

PARIS, Dec. 16.—The principal witr examined by the Panama Committee ye day were M. Rouvier, who resigned finance portfolio; M. Constans, former ister of the Interior, and Georges Cle ceau, Radical deputy.

M. Rouvier was the first to be exan He declared he had nothing to add to he had said on Tuesday. On being tioned in regard to his relations with De Reinich, he replied that when he v the Reinich residence the Baron ap to be greatly agitated; that he ask baron if he had committed any cr offences or bribed any senators or de and that the Baron replied: "No, I realized some profits, which I have with certain friends."

Rouvier, continuing, said he co explain why Baron De Reinich had that M. Herz would have the paper attacks upon him stopped (Rouvier) had not been aware th Reinich was to be prosecuted; his imp had been that the baron was to b moned only as a witness. Rouvier that he had been assured by the son in-law that the baron had not com suicide.

Baron Reinich Was Driven Desp

M. Clemenceau testified that had asked him to see Herz on acc the desperate state of mind to Baron De Reinich had been driven charges brought against him by newspapers. Witness did not kno the baron had applied to Herz to h press attacks stopped. When wit the baron left the house of M. Ce the last named gentleman having that he had instigated the newspap tion, the baron said, "I am lost."

M. Clemenceau added that Herz shareholder in the newspaper La Ju 1884-85 to the amount of 700,00 and that he himself had had frequ tions with Baron De Reinich, whom lieved to be connected with the Canal Company only in the ca banker.

When M. Constans was called to ness stand he declined to be sworn gave his word of honor that he wo the truth. He testified that he Baron De Reinich that he had had to do with the newspaper agitat had never seen Herz.

Georges Duval, the acting edi Libre Parol, who had been sum testify before the committee, has disrespectful letter, in which he appear before the committee.

The seals were removed from the the late baron yesterday, and all ments belonging to the baron were charge by the Government officials to the committee investigating the scandal.

At a Cabinet meeting, held at Elysee today, M. Bourgeois, Minister of Justice, announced that he would oppose in the Chamber of Deputies the proposal of M. Pourquery, the Boisserin, to invest the Panama Investigation Commission with judicial powers.

When the question came up in the Chamber of Deputies to-day M. Hubbard, member for Seine et Oise, opened the discussion by calling for the immediate discussion of the Boisserin proposals, and M. Ribot, Premier, supported the motion.

M. Brisson, President of the Investigating Committee, moved that the chamber adjourn. The committee, he said, would have no difficulty in fulfilling its task under existing circumstances. If, however, the Boisserin proposals were brought to discussion with the approval of the chamber the committee would support them.

In the name of the committee, M. Brisson then made an attack upon M. Ribot and M. Bourgeois. He accused them of not showing proper zeal in pressing forward the investigation and of giving but half-hearted support to the Investigation Committee. M. Brisson's language was severe and at times intemperate.

M. Bourgeois answered for the government. The ministry, he said, was determined to bring the matter to a settlement, and he stated briefly the reasons of the government for opposing the Boisserin bill.

The question was put to a vote amid some confusion and the decision in favor of proceeding with the discussion of the bill in accordance with the government's desire was carried by 424 against 122.

Immediately after the vote it was reported that in consequence of this reverse M. Brisson would retire from the presidency of the committee.

The way to the consideration of the Boisserin bill was clear, and M. Bourgeois proceeded to state forcibly the objections of the ministry to it. M. Brisson spoke at some length in favor of the bill.

The committee's authority would be weakened if the measure were not rejected.

M. Ribot expressed surprise that M. Brisson supported a measure directed against the Government. If the Cabinet did not command a majority it would then retire, and it would then fall to M. Brisson's lot to discover another one.

The vote at the end of the discussion was 271 to 265 against the Boisserin proposal. It is regarded as tantamount to an expression of confidence in the Government.

Immediately after the vote the chamber adjourned.

ROUVIER'S DOWNFALL.

Regarded as the Result of a Carefully-Concocted Plan.

LONDON, Dec. 16.—The Paris correspondent of The Times regards Rouvier's fall as one result of a carefully-concocted plan, which is advancing steadily with complete precision.

While it cannot be said that the leaders and the fighters in this campaign against the Republic have already caparisoned in their stables the black horse pawing with impatience to get out, he continues, it cannot be doubted that they are aiming at the destruction of the Republic by rendering it a suspect in the eyes of the country.

This they will doubtless accomplish, for however complete the Panama exposure may be they will always affirm that more was concealed than revealed. Indeed, should elections occur in the midst of the present excitement, the Conservatives, by showing their presumable honesty in contrast to the torrent of Republican corruption, would be almost certain of success.

The Radicals, with characteristic shortsightedness, may play into their hands. Should a Radical and Royalist coalition accept the Boisserin bill, the overthrow of the Cabinet would precipitate a Cabinet crisis."

Denouncing Freemasonry.

ROME, Dec. 16.—The Pope will shortly send to the Italian bishops and the Italian people a circular letter denouncing Freemasonry. His Holiness will declare that the Freemasons are pursuing the Satanic aim of replacing Christianity by naturalism.

A Bomb Exploded.

VIENNA, Dec. 10.—The Tageblatt says that a large bomb exploded near the dwellings of the workmen in the great iron works of Krupp's nephew at Bernsdorf. Much damage was caused to property.

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A Long Sheep Drive.

BOISE CITY, Idaho, Dec. 16.—Early in May Frank Fordyce, a young stock baron of Idaho, will attempt to drive from the centre of state to Ogallalla, Neb., a band of 45,000 sheep. The distance to be traveled by the animals is more than 1000 miles, and Fordyce hopes to accomplish the trip in six months.

International Curling Match.

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—The Grand National Curling Association met last night at Caledonia Hall, and it was decided to play the Gordon International match at Albany City rink between Feb. 5 and 15. Edwin L. Thomas was elected vice-president of the association, vice James Kelly, resigned.

Results of Cholera.

PANAMA, Dec. 16.—In consequence of official news that cholera has broken out again in Hamburg, the Colombian Government has closed this country's ports against all vessels having left Hamburg after Dec. 10.

Want $15,000 as Ransom.

MADRID, Dec. 16.—The Moorish pirates who recently captured the Spanish schooner Icod and carried her crew into the mountains near Cape Juby refuse to surrender the prisoners until the ransom money to the amount of $15,000 shall have been paid.

They threaten that if any attempt be made to release the prisoners by force they will kill them. It is highly probable the Government will grant the money requested.

The Reichstag Adjourned.

BERLIN, Dec. 16.—The bill providing for the repression of immorality in Berlin, one of the pet measures of the Emperor, is now before the Reichstag, and His Majesty is hopeful that it will become a law.

Yesterday the House referred the bill to a committee, which will probably devote considerable time to its consideration. After the transaction of some routine business the Reichstag adjourned until Jan. 10.

French Revenues.

PARIS, Dec. 16.—The returns of the French Board of Trade show that during November the imports decreased 5,065,000 francs and the exports increased 10,024,000 francs as compared with the corresponding month last year.

A Short Sentence.

LONDON, Dec. 16.—Gwyneth Maude, who pleaded guilty to swindling Spink & Son, silversmiths, was sentenced to three months' imprisonment at hard labor.

A Cholera Survey.

LONDON, Dec. 16.—The Government will appoint a cholera survey similar to those of 1884 and 1886 with a view to preparing for an epidemic next spring and summer.

Pledged to Oppose.

LONDON, Dec. 16.—The Post's Berlin correspondent says that the majority of the Army Bill Committee are pledged to oppose an increase of the peace-footing.

Davitt's Indifference.

LONDON, Dec. 16.—There is reason to believe Michael Davitt will not oppose the petition to quash his election.

Rothschild's Mother-in-Law Dead.

LONDON, Dec. 16.—The death of Madame Perugia, mother-in-law of Leopold de Rothschild, is announced.

Dynamite Scare.

LONDON, Dec. 16.—A despatch from Cadiz, Spain, says that a dynamite scare has been caused in that city by the finding of eight bombs in a sewer.

Historian And Scholar.

PARIS, Dec. 16.—August Simeon Luce, historian and scholar, is dead.

Switzerland's Leaders.

BERNE, Dec. 16.—Dr. Charles Schenck has been elected president of the Swiss Confederation and A. Frey vice-president.

Satisfied With Him.

MONTREAL, Dec. 15.—It has been definitely decided that there will be no opposition to Hon. J. J. Curran, Solicitor-General, in Montreal Centre.

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AN IMPORTANT JUDGEMENT

Belleville property holders will be interested in the following Hamilton correspondence to the Toronto Globe of Nov. 30th last :—"Judge Muir held special court to-day to hear appeals against the decisions of the court of revision. The principal case was that in which W. E. Sanford, through his solicitor, J. W. Nesbitt, Q. C., appealed against his Jackson street residence, Wesanford, being assessed at $50,000. A large number of witnesses were called for the appellant. B. E. Carlton, A. G. Ramsay, John Stuart and one or two others valued the property at $20,000 as it would bring if put on the market for the payment of a just debt. Other witnesses valued the handsome residence at $35,000. Architect Stewart stated that the senator had expended $75,000 on recent improvements, and altogether the cost amounted to about $100,000. This the appelant's lawyer admitted but held that the property should be assessed only for its saleable value. City Solicitor Mackelcan contended that the assessors estimate of the value, $50,000 should be adhered to, as there was value for every cent spent on the residence. Judge Muir held, however, that he must follow the statue as to the property's saleable value, although he felt the sum of $30,000 too low. He decided in favor of the appellant, but reserved his decision as to the amount he would fix. The cases decided up n by his honor knocked $4,500 off the list."

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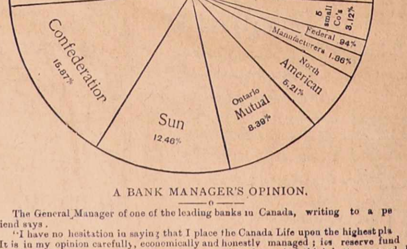

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INSOLVENCY LAW.

A Delegation from Ontario and Quebec at Ottawa.

OTTAWA, Dec. 16.—A delegation representing the Boards of Trade of Ontario and Quebec arrived in the city yesterday and had an interview with the Government at 2 o'clock on the advisability of passing an insolvency law for the Dominion.

The delegates from the west were Paul Campbell, E. R. C. Clarkson, S. Caldecott, W. F. Wyld, Hugh Blain, Edgar A. Wills, D. E. Thompson, Toronto; M. Masuret and T. S. Hobbs, London. There was a big delegation from the Montreal Board of Trade, representing the Province of Quebec.

The delegation presented the draft of a bill to the Ministers, which has been laid before all the boards already. It may be said that there is at present no insolvency law in the Dominion.

The act of 1875 was amended from time to time, and finally abolished in 1879. In 1880 Sir John Abbott, then a member of the Commons, introduced a bill, but it did not become law. While the local Legislatures can deal with many of the questions included in the proposed bill, still to the Dominion Parliament belongs the jurisdiction of dealing with the matter of insolvency.

The local laws are not very satisfactory now, and a general Dominion Act applicable to all the provinces is required. The Draft Bill, which was presented to the Government to-day, is framed on the basis of the act of 1875 and the Abbott Bill of 1880. Composition settlements will be done away with by the new bill, and the debtor must get his discharge from the Superior Court instead of the County Court.

Took the Oath.

This afternoon at a meeting of the Cabinet, Justice Strong was sworn in Chief Justice of the Supreme Court.

To Remove the Embargo.

It is learned here upon good authority that the Ottawa Government has invited the Imperial Government to send commissioners to Canada to inquire into the sanitary condition of Canadian cattle. The expenses are to be borne by Canada. The ministers feel that this step will result in the absolute removal of the embargo upon Canadian cattle.

EAST SIMCOE.

Dr. Spohn Stated He Had No Evidence to Offer Against W. H. Bennett, M.P.

ORILLIA, Ont., Dec. 16.—The election court, composed of the Chancellor and Mr. Justice Meredith, sat yesterday for trial of the petition against William H. Bennett. Mr. R. A. Grant appeared for the petitioner, Samuel Warner, and stated that as the petitioner decided some days ago not to file any particulars of the charges in the petition he had no evidence to offer.

The respondent appeared in person and consented to the petition being dismissed without costs.

The Chancellor, after satisfying himself that there was no cross-petition, dismissed the petition without costs.

AN UNSOUND MIND.

And Hung Himself From a Beam in His Barn.

CHESLEY, Ont., Dec. 16.—Yesterday morning Mr. Henry Neilly, a farmer residing on lot 14, con. 1, Elderslie, committed suicide. He went out before daylight as usual to milk the cows and attend to chores, but not coming back when expected his youngest brother, 12 years of age, went to the barn only to find his brother hanging from one of the beams dead.

The lantern had been left on the reaper, and he who contemplated taking his life had fastened a rope securely around a beam and the noose around his neck and then swung himself off into eternity.

Mr. Robert Cannon, who lives opposite the unfortunate man's residence, came into Chesley early yesterday morning to summon Coroner Cooke to the scene.

Deceased formerly lived on the 12th concession of Brant, but bought the property of Richard Kidd of Elderslie in the spring and moved to his new premises. Shortly after buying the property he became anxious to sell it.

He leaves a wife and three children. He has been wrong in his mind for the past three weeks.

SIGNS OF IMPROVEMENT.

Blaine Has a Change for the Better—His Family Not Apprehensive.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Mr. James G. Blaine, jr., said last night that his father was resting comfortably, and if there was any change it was for the better. He said there was no foundation for the rumor that the family was apprehensive. He said his father was a sick man, and while he kept his bed his friends were naturally anxious, but there was no cause for alarm. Mr. Blaine said that as soon as his father's condition permits, the family will leave Washington, but it was not yet decided where they would go.

Niagara Falls Reservation.

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—The Niagara Falls Reservation Commissioners met in this city yesterday. Secretary-Treasurer Henry E. Gregory submitted a report showing that since July 15, 1885, the state has advanced to the commission for maintenance $105,000 and for improvements $33,718.67, and that the commission has remitted to the state treasurer $43,546,31, making the total advanced by the state $95,172.36, making the average yearly cost for maintaining the reservation in the past seven years about $13,500.

Charged With Forgery.

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—Guillaume Vervliet, a Belgian, was taken before Commissioner Shields yesterday on a complaint of Charles Mali, the Consul-General of Belgium. The charge against him is forgery and the misappropriation of $20,000 belonging to people in Belgium.

Vervliet said he would go back to Belgium and stand trial. He was re-committed in care of Mr. Mali.

Death or Liberty.

WOODBURY, N.J., Dec. 16.—Annie Myers, the notorious woman burglar who was yesterday sentenced to five years' imprisonment in the county jail, made a sensational attempt to end her life by setting fire to the mattress in her cell.

The flames were discovered in time to prevent the destruction of the building. The woman is so horribly burned that her recovery is doubtful.

A Big Load of Emigrants.

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—The biggest load of steerage passengers that ever came into any port in this country in one vessel arrived here to-day on the North German Lloyd steamer Stuttgart from Bremen. She carried 2263. The largest previous number was brought in the Darmstadt of the same line and was 2094.

Settled Out of Court.

MONTREAL, Dec. 16.—The famous case of Abbe Baillarge against Filiatrault, proprietor of The Canada Revue, recently banned by Archbishop Fabre, has been settled out of court.

Hello!—You fellow there.— Don't go humping about as if your back was broken. Go off at once and get a bottle of Magic Pile Lotion—use it according to directions and you will walk as straight as any body in 24 hours.

Get along with you!
To McKeown & Co's or D. M. Waters.

Every testimonial regarding Hood's Sarsaparilla is an honest, unpurchased statement of what this medicine actually done.

"Save who can!" was the frantic cry of Napoleon to his army at Waterloo Save health and strength while you can by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, is advice that applies to all, both young and old. Don't wait until disease fastens on you; begin at once.

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Of some other Companies which are unintelligible and misleading.

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Of the Security of a Company is its PROPORTION of Assets to Liabilities.

The following are the ratio of Assets to Liabilities of the different Canadian Companies as given in the Government Report for 1891:

EXCELSIOR LIFE....	415 per cent.	Dominion Life....	301 per cent.
Canada Life........	112 "	Confederation Life	113 "
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Manufacturers Life.....	144 "	North American .	125 "
Sun Life.............	114 "	Ontario Mutual ..	108 "

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The EXCELSIOR LIFE CHALLENGES ANY OTHER COMPANY to show in the same period of its history—

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Our Life Rate Endowment is the cheapest Endowment in the market. See it before insuring elsewhere.

Policies taken out NOW will participate in the full profits of the year 1892.

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I have recently secured the use of the Union Elevator, Belleville and am now prepared to pay the highest prices for all kinds of grain. Will contract for large quantities. Call and see me before you sell.

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Sick Headache and relieve all the troubles incident to a bilious state of the system, such as Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Distress after eating, Pain in the Side, &c. While their remarkable success has been shown in curing

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Headache, yet CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS are equally valuable in Constipation, curing and preventing this annoying complaint, while they also correct all disorders of the stomach, stimulate the liver and regulate the bowels. Even if they only cured

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Ache they would be almost priceless to those who suffer from this distressing complaint; but fortunately their goodness does not end here, and those who once try them will find these little pills valuable in so many ways that they will not be willing to do without them. But after all sick head

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CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS are very small and very easy to take. One or two pills make a dose. They are strictly vegetable and do not gripe or purge, but by their gentle action please all who use them. In vials at 25 cents five for $1. Sold everywhere, or sent by mail.

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THE WORLD WANTS MONEY

AND INTENDS TO HAVE PLENTY OF SILVER COINED.

Senator Jones says That Mono-Metalism Is Driving English Farms Out of Cultivation and Into the Hands of Loan Companies.

BRUSSELS, Dec. 16.—Senator Jones of the American delegation made a strong speech at the Monetary Conference in favor of bi-metalism. He said that the enemies of silver and of every measure of currency reform were the very men who directed attention to the appreciation of gold.

In nature money was a function rather than a material. That function created by law was vastly more important than the material upon which the money function was conferred.

The fact that during the period when science was busiest railways and other works were constructed and wages and prices were advanced disproved the contention that a fall in prices was due to scientific development reducing the cost of production.

Evidence taken before the British Royal Commission in regard to India showed that the rupee to-day purchased as much in India as it ever did. The Indian farmer gets more rupees for the 30 shillings gold which his wheat realizes in London to-day than he did for 40 shillings 10 years ago.

How could Europe and America market their crops in the face of such competition? The fall of prices in England was driving farms out of cultivation and putting the landed interest into the hands of mortgage companies.

The Imperial Will.

Whatever might be the result of the conference, if some measure of relief was not willingly adopted in the near future they might rest assured that ultimately, in spite of the craft, cunning and wiles of the wicked, the great producing nations of the civilized world would crystallize into law their imperial will.

Senator Jones spoke for two hours.

M. Allard of the Belgian delegation then spoke in support of his own plan, which proposes an international agreement for the purchase under a common account of stocks of silver, against which treasury notes shall be issued by the contracting states, none of which will be obliged to coin the silver thus purchased or to modify its existing currency legislation, the treasury notes to have international circulation. In the course of his speech M. Allard complained of the obstructive tactics of the British delegates.

Senor Osma of the Spanish delegation and M. Raffalovitch of the Russian delegation urged the American delegates not to press a vote on the main question at the present stage.

Short speeches were made by Prof. Andrews and Senator Allison of the American delegation. Senator Allison spoke with some warmth. He said that he and his colleagues did not ask for a vote on the main question. They fully appreciated the cordiality with which the question had been approached by all members of the conference. The proposals already presented to the conference were of such a character that they would, if adopted, impose a heavy burden upon America. The American delegates could not make concessions without compensating amendments. He promised that the United States would accept any scheme that met with general approval.

The next and probably the last session for the present will be held on Tuesday. A proposal will then be made that the conference adjourn to June 6 without dissolving.

The delegates will be photographed in a body to-morrow before attending the fete, to be given in their honor at the town hall.

VERY LITTLE TRADE.

Ports in India Are Blocked With Unemployed Shipping.

LONDON, Dec. 16.—A Calcutta special states that Mr. Mackay, President of the Indian Currency Association, has returned to Calcutta, after giving evidence in London before the Herschell currency commission.

Mr. Mackay says that if the committee reports against a gold standard the commercial men of India must accept the situation. India, he added, would go on with silver as best she could for a few years longer, when further experience with that metal would lead to a change.

In the meantime business is at a low ebb, and the ports are blocked with unemployed shipping. In reply to the question of the banks as to what notice would be given if the mints are closed the Government states that it can say nothing at present.

IRELAND'S PRIESTS.

Said to Have Intimidated Voters Generally at the Last Elections.

DUBLIN, Dec. 16.—At a meeting of the Parnellite party held yesterday, Dr. Joseph E. Kenny declared that the priestly intimidation disclosed at the hearing of the election petition against the return of Mr. Patrick Fullam, anti-Parnellite, for South Meath, who was unseated for his election, prevailed throughout Ireland at the last general election.

Mr. Timothy Harrington, M.P., said it was the solemn duty of the hierarchy of Ireland to alter the conduct of the priests. It was a pitiable spectacle, he added, to see holy religion dragged in the mud to upheld the biggest set of political and moral scoundrels the country had ever seen.

Divorce Petition Dismissed.

LONDON, Dec. 16.—Lady Abdy recently petitioned the Divorce Court to grant her a separation from her husband on the ground of his adultery with Madame Benitz. The evidence was heard yesterday, and it was of such a character as proved that Lady Abdy was laboring under delusions regarding Sir William's conduct. Madame Benitz swore that not only had she never maintained immoral relations with Sir William, but that she had never seen him. Other evidence was given, proving beyond a doubt that Lady Abdy was mentally irresponsible. The judge dismissed the petition. Lady Abdy was formerly Marie Therese Petersche, and prior to her marriage to Sir William in 1883 she resided at Prague.

A Diplomatic Difficulty.

LONDON, Dec. 16.—A despatch from Tientsin states that Mr. O'Connor, the newly appointed British Minister to China, has delivered his credentials to the Emperor. Mr. O'Connor declined to present His Majesty giving him an audience in the inner palace, and this action has settled the diplomatic difficulty arising from the Emperor's refusal to hold such ceremonies within the sacred precincts of his palace.

Cotton Duty Increased.

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 16.—The Minister of Finance announces that the duty on cotton imported into Russia has been raised to 20 kopecks per load.

Mrs. Parnell's Affairs.

LONDON, Dec. 16.—The court decided yesterday that a public examination into the affairs of Mrs. Parnell was unnecessary.

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This GREAT COUGH CURE, this successful CONSUMPTION CURE, is without a parallel in the history of medicine. All druggists are authorized to sell it on a positive guarantee, a test that no other cure can successfully stand. If you have a Cough, Sore Throat, or Bronchitis, use it, for it will cure you. If your child has the Croup, or Whooping Cough, use it promptly, and relief is sure. If you dread that insidious disease CONSUMPTION, *don't fail* to use it, it will cure you or cost nothing. Ask your Druggist for SHILOH'S CURE. Price 10 cts., 50 cts., and $1.

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When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

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All throughout the Provinces the rapid increase of La Grippe, is causing great alarm. A report received here from Quebec, of a new development of the disease, which is worse, perhaps than any other. Wm. Hanley of N. Y. City, died in terrible agony after sickness of only four days. His tongue swelled to such an extent as to make it impossible for him to close his jaws or swallow any food. The report is causing the people in this district to inquire into the noted Grip-cure, recently referred to in so many papers. In Cape Breton the disease has spread very rapidly and with fatal results. D. J. Killop of Lake Aveneque writes Feb. 11th that this cure has been tried in his neighborhood and with such success that all those residing there are obtaining a supply believing it to be the only remedy affording relief and effecting a certain cure. He finished his letter by asking for a large quantity of the Medicine (Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills) to supply the demands of the many who find relief in Lidrippe.

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Advice to Mothers

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used by millions of mothers for children teething for over fifty years, with perfect success. It relieves the little sufferer at once, produces natural quiet sleep, and waking the child from pain, and the young cherub wakes as bright as a button. It is pleasant to taste, soothes the child, softens the gums, allays pain, relieves wind, regulates the bowels, and is the best known remedy for diarrhœa whether arising from teething or other causes. 25cts

Diseases of The Liver

Parmelee's Pills possess the power of acting specifically upon the deceased organs, stimulating to action the dormant energies of the system, thereby removing disease. In fact, so great is the power of this medicine to cleanse and purify that disease of almost every name and nature are driven from the body. Mr. D. Carswell, Carswell, P. O., writes I have tried Parmelee's Pills and find them an excellent medicine.

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AN OPEN LETTER

(Continued from Saturday)

himself to very sinister sentiments about the legitimacy of such transactions. Faction has, however, once more displayed its ascendancy over principle. Sir John Thompson has descended to the common level, and as the vast things when corrupted proverbially become the worst, he seems inclined to sink to a lower depth than his associates.

This language is bold, but it is more severe than Sir John Thompson deserves? And, Sir, had you take a portfolio in the Ottawa Cabinet, and become, as your abilities would have entitled you to become, one of the leaders of the party, and, on that position, had assisted in burking inquiries into the most shady transactions in the political history of the new world, as Sir John Thompson has done, similar remarks would have been made by the independent press of the country about you; and the most painful feature about such utterances would be that the condemnation, continuely and and constant would have been deserved. You have had a narrow escape from being placed in the embarrassing position occupied by Sir John Thompson and colleagues. The hold that party appears to have upon Canadians is so powerful that the most courageous natures and the most determined will-power, appear unable to successfully battle against the mighty force that appear in every instance to sweep men into the capsing and over the cataract to personal dishonor and political extinction. It is to be trusted, Sir, that you will have sufficient strength of exception and would have reached the shore of truth and honor.

WHAT YOU HAVE ESCAPED.

Let us briefly glance over the different acts and transactions which, as a good party man, you would have been expected to approve, defend and condone had you exchanged the diadem of integrity for the more than dubious honor of taking a seat at the Cabinet Council and advising the representative of Her Majesty Queen Victoria at Ottawa.

—The National Policy is a failure and ruinous to the country. You would have have been obliged to say otherwise and do violence to what must be your judgment. But the most serious feature of the N. P. is the part it plays in sapping the foundations of national and individual honor. The power to regulate the tariff as it may suit them is placed undoubtedly placed in the hands of the Manufacturers' Association et hoc genus. They are permitted to extort what they please from the consumers in Canada. They are licensed to rob and swindle Canadians upon common by common consent. Standing the hand over a percentage of their extortions to the Dominion Government who give them their license, and the Government through their professional hoodle carriers and bribers, spend this money in purchasing a sufficient number of Canadian votes to enable them to elect a majority supporters and thus control what should be a free and unfettered Parliament representing the free sentiments of a free people. We thus have the sad and pitiful spectacle of Canadians being robbed and then bribed to submit to still greater robberies in the future. The system, for which Sir John Macdonald is responsible, is the most degrading that ever prevailed in any country professing civilization—YET IN SPITE OF ITS INJUSTICE IT HAS WON THE APPROVAL OF MEN WHO IN THEIR TRANSACTIONS OF EVERY DAY LIFE, ARE THE SOUL OF HONOR. To such a pass have we come in our deification of a party leader.

—Next, in order that their terms of office may be made more certain, and the collar of servitude more securely riveted on the necks of free-born people, the Government conceive the idea that a railway or some other public work is necessary for the benefit of the country through the form of calling for tenders, but they have decided in advance who shall receive the contract. The work is commenced and then extensions and additions are made so that before it is completed the contractor has been paid probably millions more than his work is worth—the excessive payments being as clearly stolen from the taxpayers as if the members of the Government put their hands into the taxpayers' pockets and abstracted their pocket-books. But the contractor is not allowed to keep all this money. He is permitted to take it only on a different understanding. He is allowed to share his stolen wealth with the other thieves who assisted him in the theft. His compliance entitles him to look for fresh favors when the Government boodle drawer needs replenishing. A portion of the money thus obtained by skilful frauds is kindly returned to the needy among the people by way of bribery at an election in which the interest of the Government who are fighting for the maintenance of British connection and the apotheosis of Sir John Macdonald, the champion and perpetuitist of the age, the Prince of Machiavellian politicians!

—But, as if the destruction of public and personal consequence private morality were not sufficient to place beyond the pradventure of accidentperpetual power in the hands of the Administration, they strike a deadly blow at the very liberty of the subject, and even magna charta itself, wrung hundreds of years at the point of the sword by our brave and liberty-loving ancestors from the unwilling hands of a tyrant king, is put in jeopardy. Under the provisions of the British North America Act, which provides for a redistribution of seats after each decennial census, the Government with consummate skill and cunning, so arrange the new boundaries of the different political divisions of the country that there is absolutely no possibility of rule by the majority of the people, unless that majority be favorable to the Government. The same means apply to the equally scandalous gerrymander of Ontario in the interests of the Mowat Government. What the Gerrymander does is this: it binds hand and foot one-half the people of Canada and makes their servitude complete for ten years, when new gyves are to be put upon them. Yet so docile have the Canadians become; so dead to any sense of degradation under the influence of the poison bribes which have contaminated the blood, that we are so inured to the stripes laid upon them by their taskmasters at Ottawa—that even scorpion stings cannot arouse men in whose veins courses the blood of free-born Britons that spirit of resistance to oppression which wrung from their ancestors in Britain their liberties from despot kings, and gained for themselves in Canada the blessings of responsible government, now, alas, known again in Canada no more.

These detestable robberies, and this invasion of the sacred liberties of the subject, Mr. Meredith, you would have been called upon to defend and continue as a member of that organization known as the Dominion Cabinet.

RETROSPECTIVE.

It is remembered with what you were made leader of the Opposition. Your selection was at once a tribute to worth and a concession to the young men of that day. A retrospective glance over the few brief years that have since elasped may not be without its value. Although you have fought several campaigns in an honorable way, you have lost them all, showing either that the majority of the people of this province are in sympathy with the Administration you oppose or that your party have not given you their undivided support. The latter suggestion does not appear at all unlikely when we see that while the Dominion Conservatives hold by large majorities such cities as Toronto, Kingston, Ottawa, and Hamilton, these all excepting Toronto, which now sends you, but one supporter out of three representatives, elect supporters of your opponent; and if they be a Con-

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THE DAILY ONTARIO

BELLEVILLE, FRIDAY, DEC. 16TH

TOLD IN A LINE OR TWO

The city teachers will receive their pay on Dec. 23rd.

The attention of Judge Lazier was taken up at the County Court to-day with the case of Queen against Stephen Warner Simmons and his wife Elizabeth Simmons charged with arson and aiding and abetting in the same. The premises burned belonged to their son John. Geo. E Henderson, Q.C., county Crown Attorney, conducted the case for the crown.

Lovely fresh Haddock received by express at Goldsmith's Fish Store, Market Square—Ciscoes, Finnan Haddie, Yarmouth Bloats, etc. 6td

Harry Walton, the talented young actor, who for some years past, has spent the summer with his family in Belleville, will be tendered a benefit in the Queen's Opera House, New Year's week.

Sunday Jan. 22nd., is the date finally announced for commemorating the Sabbath birthday of Bridge St. Methodist Sunday School. The preacher on that date is to be the Rev. S. J. Bland, B.D., of Cornwall, a son of ex-pastor Rev. H. F. Bland. Young Mr. Bland is said to be one of the best of the younger generation of Methodist preachers.

Mr. R. J. Colville, secretary of the Toronto West End Y.M.C.A., will address the Belleville Young People's Christian Union in the Baptist church on Thursday December 22nd at 8 p.m. All are cordially invited. Mr. Colville is an enthusiastic and popular speaker. A collection will be taken up to defray expenses.

Fred Adams, stage manager of the Queen's Opera House, returned from Kingston to-day. He had charge of the scenic effects in the production of "The Three Students." by the Harry Lindley Co. last night.

Ald. Wallbridge desires as many of his friends and supporters as possible to meet at his office this evening at 7.30 for the purpose of organizing committees to assist him in his canvas for the mayoralty.

I shall for 3 days, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, December 15th, 16th, and 17th, offer my whole stock of Books and Stationery, Fancy Goods, Musical Instruments, at a reduction of 33 1-3 per cent. No Reserve.

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PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

T. H. Phair, of the Toronto Gutta Percha & Rubber Co., is at the Queen's.

G. Young, Editor of the Trenton Courier, is at the Queen's.

John McLean, editor Picton "Times" and J W Congar, editor Picton "Gazette" are registered at the Queen's Hotel.

W Turner, C B Stephens, 'Empire,' R Mathews, Harry Kilson, W N Dilmic, J A Jordan, O E Collins Frank Medcroft, T H Mason, M Mackenzie, J B Eassor, Thos H Phiar, W Terry, W H Pewan, Toronto; J J V O'Connor, E P Southern, Montreal; H Griffith, Quebec; A S Foster, Guelph; Geo. Vamcamp, Belgrave, Ont.; J P Douglas, Boston; Col Van Strawbenzie, J P Oram, Kingston; S R Cleveland, Cardinal; J B Watson, Detroit; Alex Cambell, [illegible]rrison, New York; [illegible]ster; Joseph James, Vanalstine, Picton; [illegible], are at the Queen's.

LOCAL HISTORIC EVENTS.

JAMES NOSWORTHY RECALLS THE SCENES OF FIFTY YEARS AGO

The Governor General's Visit to Belleville—Division Court was Held in William McCarty's Bar Room on Pinnacle St

James Nosworthy, one of the oldest residents in Belleville, has agreed to furnish the ONTARIO with a series of articles touching on local historic events which cannot fail to be of deep interest to every reader. Mr. Nosworthy in introducing his subject writes:

In these dark, dull days when the political atmosphere seems to have ooled down since the exciting time of our neighbors across the line in their Presidential election and the changes made nearer home in our own Dominion ministry, perhaps some of your old readers would not object to having their memories sharpened of past events which will be remembered by many as having taken place in village or town, with the old familiar names of our then most prominent citizens. 1st our magistrates, 2nd our then professional, 3rd our leading merchants and business men, and our leading mechanics, of the youthful days of our then thriving village from 1832 to 1836, when it set up an independent municipality and organized the first Board of Police, but not incorporated as a town till 1850. During the interval between that and the first meeting of the new Board of Police in 1836, the court house and jail had been built. The architect was Edward Hoosey, The builders were David Duff and Robt. Mathews, from Kingston. We may here say our new county town, comprising the townships of East, West and North Hastings, were taking from what was formerly part of the old Midland District, for which S. H. Samson, as member, sat for this part of the then Midland District, in the legislative assembly of Upper Canada.

The first Quarter Sessions were held at the court house in 1839. J. W. D. Moody, a half-pay retired army officer, and who acted as pay master to the militia of this district during the rebellion of 1837-8, was appointed the first sheriff, Edmund Murney, Clerk of the Peace, and Benjamin Dougall, presided as the first County Judge. Our municipal district was for the first time divided into two wards. First Ward elected Wm. McCarty and Asa Yeomans. The Second Ward elected Lenas Daloe and William Connor, and these men selected for the fifth man Mr. B., now the Hon. Billa Flint, as President. George Benjamin was chosen clerk.

Our leading magistrates were Capt Henry Baldwin, a rough and-ready old sea captain, but withal, a kind hearted man. George Bleecker, Billa Flint, jr., Benjamin Ketcheson, George Benjamin and Anthony Marshall, also acted as magistrates. In those days we had no court for the collection of small debts and presided over by a county judge, as now. Division courts were presided over by a board of local commissioners appointed by the government. They met and decided cases, under their jurisdiction, once in two months and were called the Court of Requests. This court was generally presided over by a chairman and two other magistrates. Capt Baldwin generally acted as chairman, Anthony Marshall acted as clerk of the court, and Jas. McDonald was bailiff. At that time there was no regular place to hold this court and it went begging about the village from one vacant room to another. I remember once when court was held in the bar room of the old "Masonic Hall" public house, on the west side of Pinnacle St. on the south-east corner of the present market square, near Mr. Greatrix's bakery. The bar, as many will yet remember, was one of those old-fashioned country bars—very similar to a farmer's hen-coop, divided off across the room, in width a few feet, by slats or pickets, from the so-called counter to the ceiling, fitted with sort of a swing gate about 4 feet in the centre of the counter, and hung on hinges overhead, lifted and fastened by a hook. This was drawn up or let down to suit the convenience of the landlord—or the judge when holding court. Being a stranger here in those days it was amusing to me to see the court officials caged up behind those pickets, while the litigants were sitting around the bar-room, upon a long plank, or seat, waiting for their case to be called. This was during the winter of 1833 4, but to the credit of this court be it said, there was no liquor of any kind shown, or drinks allowed. This public house was kept by William McCarty one of the first men elected as a village councilman, in 1836. In speaking of Mr. McCarty some of our inhabitants will no doubt remember that late in Oct., 1833, during a very muddy season, he expected as guests His Excellency Sir John Colborne and his aid de camp. They left Toronto by boat for Cobourg; from there they came on horseback to Belleville, intending to rest here over night, and proceed on to Kingston next day. Mr McCarty had made preparation to give Sir John and his party a comfortable reception. As the gentlemen arrived in the village after dark and enquired of some one for the "best hotel," instead of enquiring for the "Masonic Hall," they were directed to Roya Munroe's tavern. They rode up to the side door of the bar room and dismounted. Their horses were given to the stable boy and they walked into the bar room. The landlord stepping out from the bar, assisted the strangers in taking off their muddy overalls and overcoats. At this time Munro did not know who his guests were. They drew out and lit their cigars, and were smoking in the bar room. After a time, the (aide de camp) although unknown as such, enquired about supper, and drew out of a portmanteau, a package of tea, with the remark that His Excellency had made it a point of always carrying with him such tea as he had been accustomed to drinking. He handed over a drawing of this for their supper. The landlord at once smelt the rat and quickly went in about the supper. No doubt the Governor General and his aide de camp enjoyed their supper of ham and eggs as well as they would have McCarty's turkey and other dainties. However, Munro slipped out quietly and informed the M. P. P. for Hastings, Mr. Sampson, of his unexpected and distinguished guests. The latter with his friends, however, had expected to find the Governor at McCarty's and were greatly disappointed next morning when they heard he had left early in the morning after staying all night at another holstery. But it was a bitter disappointment to Mr. McCarty as might well be imagined. Shortly after this McCarty gave up this business and entered into some other line of business.

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NORTH HASTINGS NOMINATION

Mr Carscallen Gets the Nomination on the second Vote

The Conservatives of North Hastings met in Madoc to-day to select a candidate to fill the vacancy in the House of Commons caused by the retirement of Hon. M. Bowell to the Senate. E. Halliwell went out from Belleville in order to stir up the Orangemen to the necessity of holding their annual meeting to-day. The Orangemen accordingly held their meeting at Madoc at 10 a. m. to-day although it has been the usual custom of that Society to meet in the spring. H. Corby and W. B. Northrup went to Madoc last night to assist in the preliminary ceremonies which no doubt put the convention in a most congenial mood.

MADOC, ONT., Dec. 16—(Special)—First vote:—Carscallen 43, Duncan 12, Haggerty 15, Caskey 21, Boulter 11. Second vote:—Carscallen 56, Haggerty 14, Caskey 32.

A PLEASING ENTERTAINMENT.

The University Sunday School Children Have a Night.

The University Church Sunday School held its annual Christmas entertainment last evening, which was a decided success both in the way the children rendered their parts and financially, which was gratifying to those who had in hand the training of the children. At 7.30 the church was well filled. At eight the program began which was the cantata, "Santa Claus & Co," consisting of choruses by snow fairies, evergreen fairies, and holly fairies which were all well rendered, the hollies doing especially well. Their little voices were very sweet and clear. The solists were Miss Alice Maybee, snowfairy; Miss Ada Greenleaf who was Mildred, Miss Bessie Lingham, who took the part of Patty, the poor little girl; Miss Helen Dyer, a holly fairy and Master Sam Turner who took the part of Jack Frost and who did his part to perfection. His singing was clear and the words were distinctly heard. Little Helen Dyer in her solo to Santa Claus needs special mention. The chorus See Saw by the boys was a special feature of the entertainment. The way they kept time to the music, with their see saws, and their singing was a credit to them. The motion song by the infant class was enjoyed as usual by everybody. The part of Santa Claus which was taken by Mr. Harry Greenleaf was well done and especially enjoyed by the children. His long, flowing hair and beard and smiling face and kind nature made him seem to be the very Santa Claus himself, Miss Ella Hugins was Sparkle and Miss Annie Hearkens was Cedar and did the parts very nicely and spoke distinctly. Mr. Neal, of Albert College, contributed two songs to the entertainment which were very much enjoyed. The receipts of the evening amount to $25 which goes to pay the interest on on the debt for which the school is responsible. The debt is $500. The school is in a prosperous condition. It supplies all the lesson helps and S. S. literature and has an average attendance of from eighty to one hundred. It has no congregation at its back to ask aid from. It has a good staff of teachers under the superintendency of Prof. Doxee of Albert College.

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"I'm weary with work!" the good wife sighed;
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"It's sweet to labor for those we love—
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DIED ON THE GALLOWS.

SLAVIN, THE CORNWALL MURDERER TAKES AN AWFUL LEAP

He Refused to Believe in a God and Would not Listen to Spiritual Advice—He Maintains a Remarkable Coolness Until the Last

CORNWALL, Ont. Dec. 16.—(Special)—James Slavin, alias McMahon, was executed here this morning at 7.45 for the murder of Capt. J. R. Davey. The execution was witnessed only by the press medical profession and a few private citizens, about fifty persons in all. The doomed man's father paid him his last visit on Wednesday. The unfortunate son bore up wonderfully well during the conversation, maintaining the same marked indifference that he has shown since his incarceration. The conversation between the two was very brief.

Slavin sent for several of his old friends to bid them a last good-bye. During his conversation with one he very frequently referred to the shooting of Davey saying: "I am sorry I shot poor Jack, but had I shot Lefavre and Labass I would have died with a good heart."

However, I was worked up to such a pitch that had it been my best friend that tried to effect my arrest the consequence would have been the same.

Slavin talked very freely during the night to the guards and carried on in a loud manner. He arose about 5.30 and partook of a light breakfast.

At 7.35 hangman Radcliffe entered the cell, Slavin made no resistance as it was at first expected. His hands were pinioned at 7.40 and the march to the scaffold was begun at 7.42.

Slavin was very weak when the noose was placed over his head, he said "Well, good bye, gentlemen." The signal was then given and the unfortunate man's body bounded from the earth at exactly 7.45. Death was instantaneous. The body was cut down about ten minutes after and interred in the court house yard in a rough box.

Slavin maintained his wonderful nerve to the last and refused admission to any spiritual advisers.

A Charming Winter Climate

"One of the chief delights of America," a famous foreigner recently said, "is the remarkable diversity of climate and altitude. Every taste can be suited there." Rigor of our Northern winter tells on a great many constitutions and such people are obliged to "winter south" or to move there altogether. To this large and increasing class North Galveston offers peculiar advantages at prices within the reach of the most modest purse. This new and coming commercial point offers business openings for the merchant; work for the laboring man; homes for the delicate; rich harvest to the fruit grower profit and pleasure for all. In no place in America is there better opportunity for safer investment. All classes of persons, therefore, are interested in the development of North Galveston and any enquiry will be promptly answered and full information furnished by John Forin, Belleville, the local agent of the North Galveston Association.

Prepare For Cholera

Cleanliness, care and courage are the resources of civilization against cholera. Keep the blood scrupulously clean. Eat hot food. Take Burdock Blood Bitters to maintain regular digestion and ensure pure blood which is the very best safeguard against cholera or any other epidemic.

Four Doses Cure a Cough

GENTLEMEN,—My little boy was troubled with a very bad cough, and a lady friend advised me to try Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam. I got it at once and can truly say I did not give more than three doses until his cough was gone. I have never been without it since, as I find it is the best for troublsome coughs

MRS. J. S RUDDY
Glen Williams, Ont.

About Annexation

When dyspepsia invades your system and bad blood occupies a stronghold in your body the way out of trouble is to annex a bottle of Burdock Blood Bitters, the best remedy for dyspepsia and bad blood, and the only one that cures to stay cured.

TOWN TALK

New goods just arrived at Goldsmith's fish store, Bridge street—groceries, fish, fruits, cigars, oysters, cider, candies. Refreshments and lunches at all hours.

Pain in back is cured by Membray's Kidney and Liver cure. Ask D. M Waters, chemist and druggist, about it

You will save money by getting your stoves and ranges from Deacon & Doyle

Geen is showing a very nice line of perfumes in plain and fancy bottles, also in bulk.

For catarrh or cold in the head use Nitties catarrh cure, A L Geen agent

For hanging and standlamps try Geen' Drug Store.

Milburn's Cod Liver Oil Emulsion with Wild Cherry and Hypophosphites builds up and strengthens the entire system

F. A. Abraham, issuer of marriage licenses at the ONTARIO Office.

Deacon & Doyle carry a full line of gas fixtures, also Bray's patent burner the great saver of gas.

If you want a Cough-mixture that your wife can take without making a face at you, and your children will cry for, and that will cure their coughs and colds quicker than anything you ever brought home to them, then get Magnus Expectorant.

Rev. E. N. Baker, M.A B.D., will give his popular lecture "Rambles in Rome," in Holloway St. Methodist church on Friday evening next Dec. 16th. at 8 P.M. Admission only 10 cents, easily worth 25 cents. w&f

For Bargains on Christmas goods, go to E. Harrison.

Don't miss Harrison's discount sale. Everything reduced one-third.

It will be worth your while to call and see the grand stock of stoves and ranges Deacon & Doyle have on hand.

D M. Waters, Chemist and druggist Belleville, has a supply of Membray's Kidney and Liver Cure in stock. Ask about it.

Christmas Books, Prayer-books Albums, reduced thirty-three one third per cent. at Harrison's.

Christmas Entertainment.

The Tabernacle Sunday School is preparing a grand entertainment of songs chouruses, recitations, dialogues, etc., to be given on Monday evening, Dec. 26th. Two Christmas Trees will be erected and they will be free for all to put presents on for their friends. Ample accommodations in the S. S. Rooms for 600 people. Old Santa Claus has been engaged for the occasion. Admission 15 cts. Children 10 cts.

Clear Havana Cigars

"La Cadena" and "La Flora." Insist on having the se brands.

THE KING'S DAUGHTERS.

Their Annual Sale of Fancy Articles Netted Them $40.

The King's Daughters of St. Thomas' church had their annual sale of articles in the church hall last night, and, although the proceeds amounted to $40, the attendance was not as large as it should have been. The society during the year has been a powerful factor in aleviating distress among poor people. Their efforts in this direction have not been confined to one denomination but all, people found in need, of whatever, religion have been administered to by this noble band of Christain workers. Tea was served on the European plan from five until eight p.m., during which time the sale of articles went on. The fancy table was in charge of Mrs. Hamilton, Miss Parker and Miss Jardin. The refreshment table was presided over by Mrs. Bell, Mrs. Walker and Mrs. Dalton, while Mrs. Corby, Miss Stanton and Miss McDonald had charge of the candy table.

PRIZES AWARDED.

The Children who Stood Highest in the Temperance Contest

On next Wednesday afternoon at the Central school the prizes given by the Woman's Christian Temperance Union to the scholars in the third book classes of the public schools who "wrote" on temperance are to be distributed. The maximum number of marks was 113 and the seven who stood highest are Laura Lavoie 103, William Hambly 100, Elsie Price, 98, May Perry 97, Carrie Merrin 96 Ethel Johnson 94, Florence Tammadge 94

A QUIET WEDDING.

A Michigan Man Returns to Belleville for A Bride.

Don't use washing powders as with other soaps. "Sunlight" is better without.

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TO LET

friends of Mrs. Davis will wish her many happy days in her new home.

For Swellings and Felons

GENTLEMEN.—My little girl, aged 3, had a large swelling on her neck. I used Hagyard's Yellow Oil on it and it disappeared in a short time. It also cured a felon I was troubled with.

Mrs. C. E. Wendover, Manda, Man

Hard at it

These are booming days at the Oak Hall. Every day at this season is like a Saturday That we are giving the best value in clothing is shown by the grand business we are doing. In every department our stock is still well assorted, but we would advise our customers not to wait too long, as no matter how good a stock it will be broken more or less after the holidays.

DIED

JONES.—On Front Sidney, Mrs. Hannah Jones relict of the late Henry Jones, aged 88

Funeral from the late residence on Sunday, Dec. 18th. at 11 a.m. Service at White's church.

It is only a couple of years since Salvater Magnus was first offered to the public and it has already affected more cures of lung diseases than all other remedies combined have done in twenty years.

Mrs. M. E. Merrick,
Of Toronto, Ontario, Cured of

Catarrh and Neuralgia

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Cured of Neuralgia

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Hood's Sarsaparilla

for what it has done for me. It is my wish that this my testimonial shall be published in order that others suffering as I was may learn how to be benefited." MRS. M. E. MERRICK, 57 Elm Street, Toronto, Ont.

HOOD'S PILLS cure all Liver Ills, Biliousness, Jaundice, Indigestion, Sick Headache.

What She Said

Mrs. R. Peck, 15th street, New York City, visited Canada year, and had the good fortune to pick up something which not only suited her, but her neighbors also. Writing the manufacture of Nerviline she says:—"I bought three bottles of Nerviline while in Canada and treated my neighbors to some of it, and all think it the best medicine for internal or external pain they have ever used." Nerviline deserves such commendation, for it is a most powerful, penetrating, and certain remedy for pain of all kinds. Take no substitute.

How to save money is a problem that interests everybody. One way to do it is to invigorate the system with Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Being a highly concentrated blood medicine, it is the most powerful and economical. It is sold for a dollar a bottle, but worth five.

JAS. A. CONGER

There will be a MERRY CHRISTMAS at your House if you buy your GIFTS at

JAS. A. CONGER.

In Lamps we lead, both in Price, Assortment and Design.

XMAS PRESENTS

Ought to interest you. Can't we help you to select one? Our preparations are such that we can most certainly interest you. We have all the novelties that experience and money can select for the holiday season. We are showing a route ensemble of all the very latest novelties. In Ties, Initial Handkerchiefs Braces, Umbrellas, Cost Scarfs, Wool and Silk Cuffs, Shirts, Collars and Cuffs, Linen Handkerchiefs, Hem-stitch Handkerchiefs and all goods warranted first-class and at the lowest prices. Come and see us.

A. E. FISH & CO.

IN LEATHER!

Goods suited for Xmas Gifts in Russia Leather Dressed Seal, Dressed and Ooze Calf and Morocco, we have:

Card Cases and Pocket Books from.. 25c to $6.00.
Wallets and Chatalaines from .... 25c to 5.00.
Novelties in Music Cases from...... 1 00 to 5.00.
The New Boston Shopping Bag from. 2.50 to 6 50,
Ladies' Companions, Glove and Handkerchief Cases, all prices. Albums, Poets, Church Services and Gift Books, etc., etc.
The above is a list comprising the Handsomest lines of Leather Goods ever brought into Belleville.

C. B. SCANTLEBURY,

OUR SALES

Of lamps and silver on Saturday was the largest in our experience. We'll keep it up until spring. FROM THIS ON we'll add to them at slaughter prices Dinner Sets, Tea and Bedroom Sets. They must go and its as well to understand first as last that we are determined to get right under all others in prices, quality and style, and that's all the buying public want. FROM TO-DAY forward see us about your dishes, lamps and silver before you buy.

W. J. REID & CO,

Crystal Hall - - - Rous' Old Stand

Smashed Into Smithereens

And bursted are the Bubbles Thrown out to Gull the Public.

GOUGH, the Terror to High Priced Clothiers on the Trail

Of tottering houses that require money. We captured a wholesale stock of clothing at 65c on the dollar, and now the prices of six weeks ago are all split to splinters.

MEASURES FOR THE MEN.

READ our Champion Offer and don't try to Duplicate it for it can't be done.

We offer a Man's Overcoat for $3.90 that cost $4.78 wholesale. We offer splendid fitting Suits and in 150 different patterns at $6.00 usually worth $8.75 wholesale. This suit if sold in the regular way would bring $11.00 and $12. Our great big Xmas box for the buyer consists of 900 overcoats, ranging in price $17, $16 and $14. Your choice for $10. The cloth alone is worth more than we ask for the whole overcoat complete.

Look them all through, and then come to us and if we fail to convince the most sceptical that our stock is not at least 5 times larger, and our prices are 50 per cent. lower than those of other dealers, we will give a whole outfit free.

BOUNCING BARGAINS FOR THE BOY

Childs Suits for $1.50 all wool
" Overcoats with capeau $3.75 worth $6.
Youths suits $3.75 all wool worth $7.
" $5.00 " " worth $9.
" Overcoats from $3 up.

Don't buy until you see our stock. Polite attention whether you buy or not,

SLEDS FREE!

Remember boys, with every suit or overcoat you buy from us, no matter what the price, we give you a beautiful sled free. We can be imitated but never approached. Again we say look them all through and then come to us and be convinced.

GOUGH THE BIG CLOTHIER

354 Front Street, Belleville.

Associated Stores: Toronto, Brantford, Peterboro, Orillia, Lindsay and Kingston

N. B.—We have just placed in stock of our own special make 150 suits, for men and young men's wear, in twelve different patterns. These goods are a square cut sack, are all tailor made with raised seams and would cost you from $18.00 to $26 if you left your measure for them. Our price is $10 and $12

WHITE LILLY
Brand of PASTRY FLOUR is unexcelled at the Price.
ASK YOUR GROCER FOR IT.
THE RATHBUN CO'Y

The Daily Ontario.

23RD YEAR. BELLEVILLE ONT., SATURDAY, DECEMBER 17TH,

PORTLAND - CEMEN
—OUR OWN MANUFACTURE—
Equal to the very best imported,
THE RATHBUN CO'

SATURDAY NIGHT SALE OF HAND'K'FS

Hemstitched bordered hdkfs, 5 and 7c
Hemstitched white hdkfs, 5 and 7c
Embroidered hdkfs, 10c
Hemstitched Linen hdkfs, 15, 20 and 25c
Gent's Linen hdkfs, 10, 15 and 20c
Silk hdkfs, Embroidered, 15, 20 and 25c
White China Silk hdfs, 50, 75 and $1.00
Colored Silk Hdkfs in all Styl s. Mourning Hdkfs at Popular Pric s.

NATHAN JONES
OPPOSITE HOTEL STREET

Now for a bargain !
IN STOVES

Big Cheap Sale of Stoves at
FOSTERS
We must dispose of our Immense Stock of Stoves, and for the next 30 days will offer low bargains,

The John Bull Range,
Regal Peninsular and
Art Countess Base Burners
Are having a large sale. Call and examine our stock and prices.

FOSTER & FOSTER

CRANBERRIES
A FINE LOT JUST RECEIVED, Also Florida Oranges, Jamaica Oranges, Lemons, Bananas, etc.
Our oysters are received daily and cannot excelle' in the city.

FLEMING'S
Fresh Confectionery every day.

NEW FIGS.
CRANBERRIES
SWEET
POTATOES
Just Received.
WALLBRIDGE & CLARKE

Messina Lemons only 25c per doz.
Florida Oranges only 25 and 30c doz,
Valencia Oranges only 15c per doz,
Fine Cream Candies, 20c per lb.
Mixed Candies, 8 and 10c per lb.
Very Fine Chocolates 20c per lb

Special Bargains in Teas and Coffees during Xmas Week.
ALEX. HARRIS.
Grocer, Belleville.

FEARMAN'S
Prepared Mince Meat
READY FOR PIES
YOUNG
THE GROCER.

THIS MATTER CHANGED DAILY
Saturday Dec. 17th.
TO-NIGHT.
Our special prices for to-night's sale are—
$1.00 Comforters for 75c
25c and 30c Dress Goods for 20c
12½c Dress Goods for 10c
15 p c off all Jackets
Felt Hats 20c
Silk H dk'fs 15c
85c Plush Albums 50c
etc etc etc

W. FLINT JONES
Corner Front and Br e streets

FURS
—FOR—
XMAS - TRADE
—AT—
BRASIER'S

We are showing for the Holiday Trade our usual fine stock of Furs in Ladies'
CAPES, COLLARS, MUFFS, CAPS, — In all the leading styles and in every kind of Fur.
—o—o—
Gent's Fine Collars and Cuffs, Caps, Gauntlets and Coat Linings.
Ladies' Fine Jackets made to order in Seal, Persian and Grey Lamb in the latest style.
Our stock of Robes and Coats is very large and pric ery low.
Musk Ox Robes Extra Fine Quality.
Gent's Gloves and Mitts—a large assortment
For a nice Christmas Present call and see my stock.

J. Brasier,
The Leading Hatter and Furrier.
Front Street Belleville.

ONLY 2 MONTHS
LEFT FOR OUR
CHEAP STOVE SALE
5 Ranges by the best makers, at cost.
A few of A. H. Chowns late stock 30 10 per cent. below cost.
Bucks Radiant Home Heaters and Happy Thought Ranges—The best in Ca da.
Sole agents in Belleville for e Famous clipse Door Spring and Check.
W. W. CHOWN & C

NOVELTIES
FOR
XMAS !
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PIC NIC SETS
TRAVELLING SETS,
CURLING SETS,
BRUSH AND COMB SETS
BON-BON BOXES,
JEWEL BOXES
HANDKERCHIEF SATCHETS
Perfume in Cut Gla s and Fancy Bottles.
R. TEMPLETON
Chemist and Druggist,

1870--ESTABLISHED-1870
SEE
HYMAN'S
CHRISTMAS
GOODS

Ladies' & Gents' Furs.
I have a few Ladies' Russian Circulars in full length and 3-4 lengths that I will sell very cheap.
—o—
Musk Ox Robes, the finest quality and darkest colors ever shown in the city.
—o—
Girls Grey Lamb Shoulder Capes, Storm Collars and Gauntlets.
—o—
Furs of all kinds Made to Order.
—o—
Old Furs Cleaned, Dyed and made over.

S. A. HYMAN
MANUFACTURING FURRIER
Highest price paid for Raw Furs.

Notice.
All accounts due the late John R. Brown, must be paid to Geo. R. Brown, merchant tailor, before 1st January to save costs.

WANTED
Ladies and young men to take our work at their own homes; constant employment; work forwarded by mail and we pay good prices; experience not necessary; no canvassing Address for particulars, Standard Manufacturing Co., Lock Box 107, South Framingham, Mass. Inclose stamps,

DALTON'S FAIR.
SANTA CLAUS HEADQUARTERS.
Our endeavors to make the Fair headquarters for Christmas supplies is more marked this fall than at any other previous time. Our store though large, is not sufficient to accommodate the great crowds at Christmas times. We would therefore urge you to make your selections now while the stock is complete and avoid the crush at Christmas time. We have just received 100 cases of foreign goods, such as albums, dolls, tooth brushes, hair brushes, purses fancy china cups and saucers, vases, jewelery, handsome lemonade sets, glass tea sets beautifully engraved, our assortment of American glassware must be seen to be appreciated. Never have we peen able to offer such bargains in albums, ladies workboxes, jewel cases, perfume cases shaving cases, brush an comb cases. Game from 5c up, playing cards from 5c up, beautifull whisk holders, all the latest styles from 49c up. We have something new in dolls, cradles childrens extension tables, sets of furniture, toy picture books, pansy books, magic lanterns 49c up steam engine, skates, doll carriages, childrens sleds and cutters. strong and durable at lowest prices, novels by the best authors 10c worth 35c pocket knives and table cutlery an endless variety to choose from, but perhaps one of the greatest drives is a special line of extra quality writing paper 5 quires (120 sheets) for 17c. We will not attempt to enumerate further, but would invite you to call at Daltons Fair before purchasing where you can buy good goods at less than bankrupt prices.

WE INVITE
You to come and take a look through our store, during the next 2 weeks. What would Christmas be without some of Dickens' choice candies? We have a selection to choose from this year that surpasses anything ever attempted by us heretofore.
Cadbury's Chocolate English,
Rowntrees " "
Buttercups, Chocolate ———
Italian Cream Mixture,
Star " "
Burnt Almonds, Chocolate Almonds, Walnut Gems, Humby, Choice Bon Bons
Our own Make. Coffee Almonds.
H. C. DICKENS & SO

THOS. STEWART
Importer of
Anthrecite and Bituminous Coal and Coke
SCRANTON COAL
in Egg, Stove, Nut and mixed sizes.
Pleasant Valley Smithing Coal unexcelled for Blacksmith work of all kinds, also manufacturer's coal.
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CHRISTMAS CHEER
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TABLE DELICACIES

FINEST TABLE RAISINS
FINEST TABLE FIGS
FINEST MALAGA GRAPES
FINEST FLORIDA ORANGES
FINE TABLE PRUNES
FINE TURKISH DATES

New Grenoble Walnuts
New Soft-shell Almonds,
New Sicily Filberts,
New Pecan Nuts,

BISCUITS.
VANILLA SUGAR WAFERS
CHOCOLATE SUGAR WAFERS
LEMON SUGAR WAFERS
RASPBERRY SUGAR WAFERS
SALTED SEAFOAM WAFERS
SALTED SNOWFLAKE WAFERS

CHEESE.
Genuine Roquefort Cheese,
MacLaren's Imperial Cheese [in small
Canadian Stilton Cheese [crocks]
Prime old Cheddar Cheese, 1st prize

CROSSE & BLACKWELL'S JAMS AND JELLIES !
CANNED FRUITS & VEGETABLES
Canned Pineapples, Canned Peaches,
British Columbia Egg Plums,
French Mushrooms, French Mushrooms,
[In glass bottles] [In tins]
French Peas, [In tins]
Canned String Beans, Canned Green Peas,
Canned Sugar Corn, Canned Tomatoes.

CROSSE & BLACKWELL'S PICKLES
Pickled Walnuts, Pickled White Onions, Pickled Girkins, Pickled Chow Chow
Mixed Pickles, Olives

Christmas Confectionery.
A FINE ASSORTMENT.

FINE BREAKFAST TEAS,
COFFEES, COCOAS,
AND CHOCOLATES

Fearman's and Lowry's Celebrate Christmas Hams and Bacon.

BALTIMORE OYSTERS
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Christmas Wines.
POMMERY SEC CHAMPAGNE
MUMM'S CHAMPAGNE
SPARKLING SAUMUR

FINEST OLD PORTS AND SHERRIES.
California Angelica, California Port, Native Wines, St, Augustine, White Catawaba,

CLARETS, BURGUNDIES AND SAUTERNES

ALES AND PORTER.
Bass' English Ale Guiness' Dublin Stout, Dow's India Pale Ale, Dows Sand Porter, Labatts Pale Ale, Carlings Ale, Davies Ale, etc.
IMPORTED GERMAN LAGER BIER.
IRISH AND SCOTCH WHISKIES.
Burke's Old Irish, J. Jamieson's Old Irish, W. Jamiesons Dublin Whiskey, Highland Blend, Bullock Lade & Co's Loch Katrine Camlachie Malt, Sheriff's Old Islay, Old Gaelic Whiskey, Andrew Usher & Cos Old Vatted Glenlivat Whiskey.
BRANDIES !
Hennessy's V. O. Brandy,
Martell's V. O. Brandy,
Jules Robin & Co's Brandy
LIQUORS, Etc.
Booth's Old Tom Gin, Plymouth Gin,
Fine Old Jamaica Rum Angostura Bitters,
Ginger Wine, Ginger Ale,
Soda Water, Apollinaris Water
Vermouth Bitters.

WALLBRIDGE & CLARKE

JUST A
LITTLE -- WORD
ABOUT
STYLE
AND
QUALITY

A Worthy gift should have in it the substantial elements of quality, that it need not see its day of usefulness limited to the holiday season. We do not offer inferior articles but relative to the price everything is the best in its line

We have endeavored in all departments to show the latest styles, patterns and designs the market affords, and we are confident that after you make us a visit and inspect our goods you will come to conclusion that we have succeeded in every respect. Our stock is stylish and beautiful.

J. C. OVERELL,
Leader of the trade in new and popular goods.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Hastings Loan and Investment Society.
Notice is hereby given that a Dividend at the rate of THREE per cent. for the half year ending 31st instant, upon the Capital Stock of this Society, has been declared, and that the same will be payable at the office of the Society on and after 2nd January next.
The transfer books will be closed from the 17th to 31st inst, both days inclusive. By order of the Board.
J. P. C. PHILLIPS, Manager.
Belleville, 16th Dec'r., 1892. 2t

AS A SPECIAL
Line for Christmas trade, we offer Mrs. Potts ad Irons, each set containing 3 Irons, Handle, (Wooden) and 1 Stand, at the ry low price of 85c. See our window. ey are full weight and fine finished.

JOHN LEWIS, HARDWARE
Opposite Anglo American Hotel.

PERFUMERY
—o—
SEELY'S, LUNDBORGS, COLFATES RICKSECKERS, LUBINS, PINAND'S, and ROGER & GALLETS
In Plain, Fancy and Cut Glass Bottles,
D M WATERS

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FMILY - GROCER ES
in the lately built by Joseph Cald
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OLD DR. GORDON'S REMEDY FOR MEN.
FOR GENTLEMEN !
All those suffering from Nervous Debility and Weakness and having been unsuccessfully treated, will find this famous remedy a certain and speedy cure for Lost Manhood, Premature Decay, Inability, Lack of Confidence, Mental Depression, Palpitation of the Heart, Weak Memory, Exhausted Vitality, Errors of Youth, Secret Diseases, Evil Dreams, etc. Price $1 per box, or six boxes, which will cure most cases, for $5, postpaid. All correspondence confidential. Write for circular. Address QUEEN MEDICINE CO'Y Montreal.

BURDOCK
Regulates the Stomach, Liver and Bowels, unlocks the Secretions, Purifies the Blood and removes all impurities from a Pimple to the worst Scrofulous Sore.
BLOOD
CURES
DYSPEPSIA. BILIOUSNESS. CONSTIPATION. HEADACHE SALT RHEUM. SCROFULA. HEART BURN. SOUR STOMACH DIZZINESS. DROPSY. RHEUMATISM. SKIN DISEASES
BITTERS

MANIA FOR FORGERY.

Peculiarities of a Halton Woman.

USED HER BROTHER'S NAME.

And Then Found Her Husband's Name More Handy.

One of the Most Remarkable Cases Ever Heard in Canada Results in the Acquittal of the Accused—Milton's Cause Celebre Attracts More People to the Town Hall Than the Annual Fair—A Farmer's Wife Admits Forging Her Husband's Name to Notes For $2600.

MILTON, Ont., Dec. 17.—The little court house at Milton was yesterday morning crowded as never before in its history by residents of the town and county, anxious to see what might turn up at the trial of "Davie" Robson, the young broker charged with forgery. Robson is a son of a former landlord, recently deceased, of the Commercial Hotel. Born and brought up in the town, he is known to almost every person in the county. The other parties concerned in the case are also universally well known in the district, and it is safe to say that Halton has never witnessed a trial which created so much interest. It will in future be referred to as the cause celebre of the county.

The charge upon which Robson was placed on his trial was that on Dec. 1 last he uttered a forged note for $300 payable in 12 months to R. J. Campbell purporting to bear the signatures of John Dixon and Matilda Dixon, his wife. This is the note:

$300. MILTON, Dec. 1, 1892.
Twelve months after date I promise to pay to R. J. Campbell or bearer the sum of three hundred dollars, with interest at eight per cent. JOHN DIXON.
MATILDA DIXON.

During the past few years many notes purporting to bear the signature of John Dixon have been discounted through various channels in Milton, principally the Bank of Hamilton. Dixon is a farmer residing on lot 14, con. 4, Trafalgar, and who also owns 200 acres in Nelson township, his rating being placed at $35,000.

Since the arrest of Robson, notes bearing Dixon's signature and aggregating in value $3100 have turned up. Here is the list:

Notes (3) of John Jones	$600
" (2) S Dice	400
" William Sinclair	200
" Hugh Campbell	300
" William McClelland	200
" James Henderson	200
" Dr Stewart	100
" Henry Carrique	400
" John Sproat	300
" R. J. Campbell	300
	$3100

Matilda Dixon, wife of John Dixon, has admitted having forged her husband's name to all of these notes with the exception of those made payable to McClelland and Campbell, and these the prosecution claimed Robson uttered. Within the past ten days all of the notes with the exception of the two named have been taken up and paid by Jacob and Elijah Dixon, brothers of John Dixon, and the evidence against the woman has thus been destroyed. What Mrs. Dixon did with the proceeds of the notes for $2600, which she admits having forged, is as great a mystery as ever, all efforts of counsel and judge to draw the truth from her having proved ineffectual. One theory is that she speculated on realty in Toronto, the fact that she borrowed $40 from Charles Lennox, dentist in the Arcade, on Oct. 9 last, during a visit to the Queen City, being cited in support of this. Another hypothesis is that she used the money to aid her daughters and her "poor relations." Dixon being generally regarded as a "close" man, with all that the term implies. This is all conjecture, however, for all efforts to induce either Mrs. Dixon or her husband to reveal the hole into which the money was dropped have been unsuccessful.

It came out in evidence that the woman first tried her 'prentice hand in forging the name of her brother, George Ford, many years ago, a note purporting to have been signed by him having been discounted by her at the Bank of Hamilton.

No person believes that as the result of her financiering Mrs. Dixon realized much. She was in the hands of sharks and they bled her. All the notes drew 8 to 10 per cent. interest and the commission of the negotiator of the loan, in at least one case aggregating 25 per cent., was taken out of that. Eighteen months ago one or two discounters of the paper were aware that Mrs. Dixon was signing her husband's name without his authority and they made terms accordingly.

It is stated that when Dixon married Miss Ford she was unable to write and he taught her. How she profited by the lesson has been told.

In addition to the immense crowd of farmers in the court room there was a deerhound, two fox terriers and a coolie, and they manifested their disapproval of the proceedings at various stages.

Mr. John Wright, for 25 years representative of the county in the House of Commons, occupied a front seat and watched the case through a pair of bran new spectacles (price $1.50).

Miss May Little, a petite blonde, officiated as court stenographer, and the Judge took the precaution to have her sworn to take the evidence correctly entering upon her duties, knowing the penchant of reporters for drawing upon their imaginations.

It was exactly 10.45 when Judge Kingsmill emerged from the hole in the wall and took his seat on the bench. The prisoner, who had been out on bail, entered the dock, and the case was called. Robson is a heavily-built youth of 23 with short, sandy mustache. He walks with a crutch, one of his legs being much shorter than the other. He appeared totally unconcerned, and as the case progressed posted his counsel, Mr. J.S. Fullerton of Toronto and J. W. Elliott of Milton.

County Crown Attorney T. G. Matheson prosecuted and Mr. Duncan McGibbon looked after the interests of Mrs. Dixon.

Mr. Fullerton took exception to the trial of the case by the judge, claiming that forgery did not come under a county judge's jurisdiction, and quoted the case of Lewis Lavinger, tried in the York County Court for forging a check for $35 on the Quebec Bank, and which had been appealed; judgment on the appeal is still pending. The judge noted the objection, but decided to proceed under the powers conferred by the Ontario Statutes, chapter 18, section 2.

Robert J. Campbell of the sixth line, Trafalgar, the man who laid the information, was the first witness called. He is a hard-headed Scotchman, bearded like the pard, and during his evidence kept his right hand deep in his trousers pocket, while with the left he alternately stroked his whiskers or rubbed his knee-cap. Campbell told of his visit to Robson, and his enquiries as to whether he had any notes to dispose of, of Robson's reply that he had a note made by Matilda Dixon, of his (witness') refusal to accept the note unless it was also signed by Dixon in Robson's presence, and of the production a few days later of the note by Robson, and the latter's statement when witness remarked that the signature "John Dixon" looked like a woman's writing, and if there was a pen and ink in the room he would ask Robson to witness it, that he had observed the parties whose names were attached sign it. He also told how his suspicions of the genuineness of the signature grew by what they fed on, until next day he called on William McClelland, and upon looking at a Dixon note held by him witness' doubts became certainties strong as proofs of Holy Writ. Then he hunted up Robson and told him he believed the note was a forgery. The prisoner replied that he must be crazy—that it wasn't likely that Mrs. Dixon, who gave him the note, would give him a forged document, but to leave matters in abeyance for a few days and he would see Mrs. Dixon. Mr. Campbell suggested that Robson return the $300 and take back the note, but the prisoner replied that he had handed the money over to Mrs. Dixon.

John Dixon, the alleged maker of the note, gave his evidence with the greatest reluctance. His farm is near Omagh postoffice and he was born not very far away therefrom. The entire four-score years that have whitened his hair and stooped his shoulders have been spent in Halton. He enjoys a reputation for honesty and straightforwardness, several of his brothers being thrifty farmers in the county, while one brother, Thomas Dixon, is County Crown Attorney of Bruce. His manner of testifying showed how anxious he naturally was to shield his wife, but he was forced to answer questions which proved that she had been for years guilty of forgery. After he had denied that he had signed the Campbell note or authorized any person to sign it for him, and that the signature "Matilda Dixon" was not in his wife's writing he was handed over to the prisoner's counsel. For fully an hour the old gentleman stood in the box with bowed head toying with his spectacle case, and when unable to parry the questions put to him told the counsel bluntly that he would not answer or "That's my business."

Dixon denied that he heard his wife had an arrangement with the Omagh postmistress whereby she was to receive all her husband's letters.

He also expressed ignorance of the fact that his wife had for years kept back and opened letters addressed to him. He swore positively that he was not aware that his wife was in the habit of signing his name to notes, and was equally emphatic in his statement that he did not furnish the money with which the various forged notes had been bought up during the past fortnight. Asked if his wi[fe had] [illegible] independent means of her own, Dixon replied that she had not.

Witness was subjected to a long cross-examination as to whether [illegible] documents produced were in his handwriting or in those of his wife. The defence put in this undated letter, which they claimed was received by Robson the day before the Campbell note was negotiated, and upon which they further contended their client was acting:

OMAGH.
Mr. Robson:
Dear Sir,—I return you the note, Mr. Dixon is not at home. He is at the Nelson farm I expect him home Friday. I will send you another note if I can. Will be in Milton in a day or two. I would like to have the money as soon as you can. It will be all right.
MRS. JOHN DIXON.

Witness said he did not think the letter was in his wife's handwriting.

In his evidence Campbell, the prosecutor, swore that Robson told him he saw Dixon and his wife sign the note in his office on Nov. 30. Witness swore that he was in Milton on the 29th, but was not there on the 30th, as he was at his Nelson farm all day. He was very pronounced as to these dates. "I'm telling you the truth now," he ejaculated, pointing his finger at the counsel. Asked if he had made a recent conveyance of his farm to his son he replied: "That's my business," and neither the cajolery of the counsel nor the request of the judge could get a different answer. Finally Mr. Fullerton found his witness so clever of fence that he abandoned crossing swords with him.

There was a buzz of excitement in the court room when an elderly matron, attired soberly in black, her features partially concealed by a thick black veil, entered the box. This was Mrs. Dixon, wife of the last witness, and the woman who, according to her own confession, has forged her husband's name to perhaps a dozen notes for large amounts. She is an ordinary-looking woman, the only striking feature about her being the remarkable strength of her chin. Her appearance indicated that whatever she did with the money she raised she certainly did not expend it upon dress for herself. Her examination was continued for a period of two hours, and during the entire interrogation, in which she admitted not only that she opened her husband's letters but forged his name repeatedly, she never showed by the quiver of a muscle or the slightest change in expression of her expressionless face that she was sensible of the disgrace into which she had brought an honored family.

Mrs. Dixon swore that she had a transaction involving a note of $50 with Robson about July 11 or 12, but had no dealings with him subsequently. She denied emphatically that she had signed either her own or her husband's name to the Campbell note or that she had any conversation or correspondence with Robson with regard thereto. She did not know by whom the note was written, neither had she received any money from Robson as the proceeds of the note. The undated Omagh note published above was handed to her, and after having read it by aid of her husband's spectacles, which the old gentleman handed her, she denied that she wrote it. She did not know that her husband had conveyed the Nelson farm to his son within a month.

At this stage Mr. Fullerton proceeded to prove that the witness was not telling the truth when she said she had no dealings with Robson since July. When confronted with William Book, who presumably spoke by the book, she admitted having met him in the town hall about Oct. 7 and asked him where Robson was. Then he thrust before her several letters which she had received from holders of notes subsequent to Oct. 1 and which prisoner had handed to him. At first witness said she had never given these letters to Robson, that she had burned them and that Phoenix-like they must have arisen from the ashes. Subsequently she admitted that she must have given them to Robson. She also admitted writing this note:

OMAGH, Oct. 10, 1892.
Mr. Robson:
Dear Sir.—As I could not get into Milton just now I would like you to attend to the note [a small personal note of her own for $50] for me.
MRS. JOHN DIXON.
P.S.—I want to get to Milton as soon as I can. I send you $10.

The defence claimed that this letter contained the instructions to Robson upon which he acted in regard to the Campbell note. Mrs. Dixon denied that she wrote the undated notes referred to above. In admitting that she opened her husband's letters Mrs. Dixon said that she did not think there was any harm in doing so. She admitted having forged her husband's name to a large number of notes.

What did you do with the money?—A. That's my own business.

Did you give it to Mr. Dixon?—A. No. It makes no difference what I did with it.

Both counsel and judge endeavored to induce Mrs. Dixon to say what she did with the money, but after wasting one-fourth of an hour abandoned the attempt.

Witness admitted that the holders of notes that she had forged were pressing her for payment about Dec. 1. She at first admitted, but then denied, that she wanted to realize on the Campbell note in order to retire other notes which were overdue.

How then did you expect to pay the notes, aggregating $1500, which were due about Dec. 1? asked Mr. Fullerton.—A. I expected to get some money in. Whose money?—A. My own money.

Another attempt was made at this stage to induce witness to tell where the money was to come from, but like all previous efforts it proved abortive, the good offices of the judge, who ruled that she must answer the query, having no effect. Finally the witness stated that she had no particular source of revenue.

Mrs. Dixon admitted that she borrowed $30 from Charles Lennox, dentist, Toronto, but denied that the endorsation "Aney Dixon," upon which the check was cashed, was in her writing. She also denied that she had asked either Annie Kelly, Edward Kelly or Peter McDuffie to sign her name to a note.

After a good deal of quibbling and hesitation Mrs. Dixon admitted that she had forged her husband's name to all the notes with the exception of the McClelland and R. Campbell notes, and also stated that they had all been taken up within a fortnight. She could not say who furnished the money, however. She had never received any of the proceeds of the Campbell note from Robson.

Elijah Dixon, a brother-in-law of the last witness, admitted that he had bought up all the forged notes, giving his check for the respective amounts. He swore that he did not know what had become of the notes and also swore that the money he expended in redeeming them was his own. Elijah swore that the signature, John Dixon, on the Campbell note was not in his brother's handwriting.

This was the case for the Crown.

Mr. Fullerton submitted that the Crown had failed to establish a case. He claimed that as Campbell and the Dixons were all parties to the transaction the corroboration by disinterested witnesses required by the statute had not been brought forward. He cited the Hagerman and Selby cases in support of his contention. He also claimed that in view of Mrs. Dixon's confession to half a score of other forgeries and her repeated iteration that she had no dealings with Robson since July, and her subsequent admission when the proofs in writing were submitted to her that she had one subsequent dealing with him in October, her testimony was totally unworthy of belief.

"The fact of the matter is," continued Mr. Fullerton, "the holders of $1500 worth of overdue notes were pressing her, and she asked Robson to negotiate this Campbell note in order to raise funds to satisfy the other creditors."

His Honor said he was not prepared to say that the signatures acknowledged to be in Mrs. Dixon's writing, including the one she had written in court, were written by the hand which penned the names "John Dixon" and "Matilda Dixon." However, he would adjourn the court for three-quarters of an hour to consider the points raised by Mr. Fullerton.

When the court resumed Judge Kingsmill instructed the defence to proceed. Charles Lennox of Toronto testified to the fact of giving Mrs. Dixon a check for $30, but as he didn't see her endorse the word "Aney" across the note his evidence fell flat.

Thomas McDuffie was called to prove that Mrs. Dixon had asked him some years ago to sign her husband's name to a note, but his testimony was ruled out.

May Earle, the Omagh postmistress, a pleasant-faced matron in a poke bonnet, established the authenticity of the postmark on the letter received by Robson from Mrs. Dixon in October, thus clinching the proof that she had dealings with him after July.

Barrister Chisholm proved that he had negotiated about $1300 worth of notes purporting to bear John Dixon's signature for Mrs. Dixon.

Deputy Registrar Campbell was the only witness called to compare the handwriting. He thought there was a similarity between the signature John Dixon on the Campbell note and on other notes he had purchased. His Honor did not agree with him, but acknowledged that he was not an expert. He expressed regret that some effort had not been made to summon professional testimony to compare the hand-writing, as this was one of the main features of the case.

Mr. Fullerton asked for the discharge of his client, advancing practically the same arguments as he had previously advanced. The admissions of numerous previous forgeries by Mrs. Dixon, the fact that she was being pressed for the payment of overdue notes amounting to $1400 or $1500 and had no other means of raising funds, the straightforward conduct of his client in standing his trial instead of fleeing the country as a guilty man would have done under the circumstances, were all pointed out.

"What did he do with the $300 he received from Campbell?" interpolated the judge. "Why did he not tender the money to the Dixons if he got the note from Mrs. Dixon?"

Mr. Fullerton: He was arrested within 24 hours, and besides he acted under the advice of counsel. Had he paid the money the parties satisfied would then have become disinterested witnesses in the eyes of the law, and could have been used for the purpose of corroboration, and prisoner would thus have been placed at a disadvantage.

Mr. Fullerton intimated that if the finding of the court was likely to hinge on the payment of the $300, that could be arranged in 15 minutes, but [illegible] take the first train out of town.

County Crown Attorney Matheson rep[lied] briefly to Mr. Fullerton. Mr. Matheson said if Mrs. Dixon was in such difficulties and wa[s in] the prisoner's office on the date of the note [and] its sale to Campbell as alleged by the defence [it] was strange that she did not stay and get [the] proceeds. The case for the defence would h[ave] been stronger had the prisoner not kept [the] money. If as alleged Mrs. Dixon had a kno[wl]edge of other notes signed by her for her[self] and husband without the consent of the lat[ter] why did she not acknowledge the Campbell n[ote] if she had signed it?

His Lordship again expressed his regret t[hat] more evidence had not been produced respect[ing the] handwriting, and stated that in view of the [un]satisfactory and contradictory character of [the] evidence he felt that he must give the priso[ner] the benefit of the doubt. He thereupon [dis]charged him.

The announcement was greeted with applau[se] which was promptly suppressed. The friends [of] the prisoner collected around the dock a[nd] warmly congratulated him on the result.

Robson was rearrested on two fresh charges[—] obtaining money under false pretences on [the] note sold to Campbell and the other of utteri[ng] an alleged forged note for $300 purporting [to] be signed by Mr. and Mrs. Dixon dated Oct. [...] last and sold by the prisoner about that time [to] William McClelland, farmer of Trafalgar. T[he] examination before the magistrates will probab[ly] be held on Tuesday next.

AFTER FAME.

Trying to Get Around the World Witho[ut] Money in 18 Months.

NEW YORK, Dec. 17.—Mr. Sven Wire[n,] a Danish newspaper man, who is trying [to] get around the world in 18 months witho[ut] using any money, has reached New Yor[k.] He is a correspondent of The Journa[l] Dannebrog of Copenhagen. He starte[d] from that city on Sept. 16, shippin[g] as an ordinary seaman on a steamer boun[d] for London. From London he secure[d] passage to Liverpool, and from there h[e] shipped Oct. 10 on the Danish bark Jorger[...]sen for Wilmington, Del. By promising t[o] print a notice in his paper about the steam[-]ship company he obtained free passage t[o] New York, where he arrived on Tuesday. He will remain here until Friday, when h[e] will leave for Chicago. He has not yet de[-]termined just what means of transportation he will adopt.

Mr. Wiren is only 19 years old and speaks seven languages. His baggage con[-]sists of an extra suit and a dress suit. H[e] has letters of introduction to the variou[s] Danish consuls throughout the world. From Chicago he will beat his way to California and from there will take a steamer to China. He will proceed overland through India, thence by the Suez Canal to the northern coast of Africa, where he will resume his march, following the coast until he falls in with a Danish vessel bound for Copenhagen.

Mr. Wiren is allowed to accept the hospitality of friends, and he is being entertained in this city by the Danish consul.

SLAVIN EXECUTED.

He Maintained His Wonderful Nerve to the Last.

CORNWALL, Ont., Dec. 17.—James Slavin, alias McMahon was executed yesterday morning at 7.45 for the murder of Capt. J. R. Davey. The execution was witnessed only by the press, medical profession and a few private citizens, about 50 persons in all. The doomed man's father paid him his last visit Wednesday. The unfortunate son bore up wonderfully well during the conversation, maintaining the same marked indifference that he had shown since his incarceration. Slavin sent for several of his old friends to bid them a last good-by.

During his conversation with one he very frequently rerrred to the shooting of Davey, saying, "I am sorry I shot poor Jack, but had I shot Lefavre and Lafess I would have died with a good heart."

"However, I was worked up to such a pitch that had it been my best friend that tried to effect my arrest the consequences would have been the same." Slavin talked very freely during the night with the guards and carried on in a loud manner.

He arose about 5.30 and partook of a light breakfast; at 6.35 Hangman Radclive appeared. Slavin made no resistance, as was at first expected. His hands were pinioned at 7.40 and the march to the scaffold was begun at 7.42. Slavin was very weak.

When the noose was placed over his head he said: "Well, good-bye, gentlemen," the signal was given and the unfortunate man's body bounded from the earth at exactly 7.45. Death was instantaneous.

The body was cut down 10 minutes after, and interred in the Court House yard in a rough box. Slavin maintained his wonderful nerve to the last, and refused admission to any spiritual advisers.

A PLOT THAT FAILED.

Four Officers Burned and Prisoners Are to Be Shot.

VALPARAISO, Dec. 17.—The prisoners taken in connection with the recently discovered revolutionary plot are in prison under a strong military guard, and are denied communication with each other or with outside parties. The examination of the prisoners revealed little of interest. They generally refused to make statements compromising others, though it was found that the wife of Claudio Vicuna had been supplying funds for the plotters. Vicuna is going to Europe from Buenos Ayres, now that the plot has failed. The Conservatives in Congress intend asking for the full data from the Government in relation to the plot.

A correspondent in Rio Grande telegraphs that there is no doubt that the Castilpasta chiefs have given orders that all federal officers taken prisoners shall be shot. On the Uruguayan frontier the troops are preserving a semblance of neutrality. At Cacimbinhas four Federal officers were burned to death. The Government papers are attacking Uruguay for allowing the Federals facilities and the papers of Montevideo are on the warpath and declare the insults to Uruguay by the Government of Rio Grande can only be wiped out by war with Brazil.

Vows in Immigration.

NEW YORK, Dec. 17.—The despatches prints the result of its efforts to ascertain from governors of various states in the Union their views regarding the question of immigration. From the east, west, north and south restriction of immigration is urged, but opinions differ as to the methods to be employed. The governors heard from oppose absolute prohibition except for warding off disease.

The Cammill Case.

PORT ARTHUR, Ont., Dec. 17.—In the Cammill murder case Rowe, the suspect, appeared before the coroner's jury Friday, but his counsel advised him not to give evidence, as it might injure his case if he were to do so.

He was remanded till Monday in order that a witness who is away at the mines might be examined.

Bringing the Spree Crowd Over.

LONDON, Dec. 9.—The steamer Havel sailed from Queenstown for New York yesterday with the passengers and cargo of the disabled steamer Spree.

A Bomb Exploded.

VIENNA, Dec. 10.—The Tageblatt says that a large bomb exploded near the dwellings of the workmen in the great iron works of Krupp's nephew at Bernsdorf. Much damage was caused to property.

Satisfied With Him.

MONTREAL, Dec. 15.—It has been definitely decided that there will be no opposition to Hon. J. J. Curran, Solicitor-General, in Montreal Centre.

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THE DAILY ONTARIO

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IMPORTANT TO ADVERTISERS

The ONTARIO has the Largest bona-fide Circulation of any Paper in the Midland District.

LITERARY GOSSIP

The Chicago Dial says of F. Marion Crawford's new novel, Don Orsino: "Certainly a remarkable book. The discussion is so fascinating that it absorbs the attention quite as fully as do the dramatic features. The author has though long and well upon the deepest subjects. He must have had much practice in the difficult art of elucidating abstruse matters. He commands resources of apposite illustration and metaphor which make his expositions simply brilliant, while at the time they are as far as possible from being stilted and otherwise unnatural. Calmire is distinctly a helpful book. To those who can comprehend it, the work offers a faith as far transcending that of our childhood as the wide world transcends the nursery."—The Copp. Clark Co. of Toronto have secured the agency for this book in Canada. It promises a large sale.

Harpers Weekly comes to hand to-day in a beautiful cover. As a Christmas number it has eclipsed all previous efforts. The reading matter is appropriate at this season, and no family should be without this charming periodical.

What's the use of feeling languid,
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Cleanse the blood and give it vigor;
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THE MOTHER OF US ALL.

GOD COMFORTS HIS PEOPLE AS A MOTHER HER CHILDREN.

A Mother's Simplicity of Instruction—A Mother's Favoritism—A Mother's Capacity for Tending to Little Troubles—A Mother's Way of Putting a Child to Sleep.

BROOKLYN, Dec. 11.—Rev. Dr. Talmage to-day, in selecting a subject for his sermon, chose an aspect of the Divine character which is seldom considered. To an unusually large audience he discoursed on God as "The Mother of All," the text being taken from Isaiah lxvi, 13: "As one whom his mother comforteth, so will I comfort you."

The Bible is a warm letter of affection from a parent to a child, and yet there are many who see chiefly the severer passages. As there may be fifty or sixty nights of gentle dew in one summer, that will not cause as much remark as one hail-storm of half an hour, so there are those who are more struck by those passages of the Bible that announce the indignation of God than by those that announce his affection. There may come to a household twenty or fifty letters of affection during the year, and they will not make as much excitement in that home as one sheriff's writ; and so there are people who are more attentive to those passages which announce the judgments of God, than to those which announce His mercy and His favor. God is a Lion, John says in the Book of Revelation. God is a Breaker, Micah announces in his prophecy. God is a Rock. God is a King. But hear also that God is Love. A father and his child are walking out in the fields on a summer's day, and there comes up a thunder storm, and there is a flash of lightning that startles the child, and the father says, "My dear, that is God's eye." There comes a peal of thunder, and the father says, "My dear, that is God's voice." But the clouds go off the sky, and the storm is gone, and light floods the heavens and floods the landscape, and the father forgets to says, "That is God's smile."

The text of the morning bends with great gentleness and love over all who are prostrate in sin and trouble. It lights up with compassion. It melts with tenderness. It breathes upon us the hush of an eternal lullaby, for it announces that God is our mother. "As one whom his mother comforteth, so will I comfort you."

I remark, in the first place, that God has a mother's simplicity of instruction. A father does not know how to teach a child the A, B, C. Men are not skilful in the primary department; but a mother has so much patience that she will tell a child for the hundredth time the difference between F and G, and between I and J. Though we are told a thing a thousand times, and we do not understand it, our heavenly Mother goes on, line upon line, precept upon precept, here a little and there a little. God has been teaching some of us thirty years, and some of us sixty years, one word of one syllable, and we do not know it yet—faith, faith. When we come to that word we stumble, we halt, we lose our place, we pronounce it wrong. Still, God's patience is not exhausted. God, our Mother, puts us in the school of prosperity, and the letters are in sunshine, and we cannot spell them. God puts us in the school of adversity, and the letters are black, and we cannot spell them. If God were merely a king, he would punish us; if he were simply a father, he would whip us; but God is a mother, and so we are borne with and helped all the way through.

God wishes to set forth the fact that in the judgment and good will be divided from the wicked. How is it done? By a picture; by a parable—a fishing scene. A group of hardy men, long-bearded, geared for standing to the waists in water; sleeves rolled up. Long oar, sungilt; boat battered as though it had been a playmate of the storm. A full net, thumping about with the fish, which have just discovered their captivity, the worthless moss-bunkers and the useful flounders all in the same net. The fisherman puts his hand down amid the squirming fins, takes out the moss-bunkers and throws them into the water, and gathers the good fish into the pail. So, says Christ, it shall be at the end of the world. The bad He will cast away, and the good He will keep. Another picture, God, our Mother, wanted to set forth the duty of neighborly love, and it is done by a picture. A heap of wounds on the road to Jericho. A traveller has been fighting a robber. The robber stabbed him and knocked him down. Two ministers come along. They look at the poor fellow, but do not help him. A traveller comes along — a Samaritan. He says "Whoa!" to the beast he is riding, and dismounts. He examines the wounds; he takes out some wine, and with it washes the wounds, and then he takes some oil, and puts that in to make the wound stop smarting; and then he tears off a piece of his own garment for a bandage. Then he helps the wounded man upon the beast, and walks by the side, holding him on until they come to a tavern. He says to the landlord, "Here is money to pay the man's board for two days; take care of him; if it costs anything more, charge it to me, and I will pay it." Picture—The Good Samaritan, or Who is Your Neighbor.

Does God, our Mother, want to set forth what a foolish thing it is to go away from the right, and how glad divine mercy is to take back the wanderer? How is it done? By a picture. A good father. Large farm with fat sheep and oxen. Fine house, with exquisite wardrobe. Discontented boy. Goes away. Sharpers fleece him. Feeds hogs. Gets homesick. Starts back. Sees an old man running. It is father! The hand, torn of the husks, gets a ring. The foot, inflamed and bleeding, gets a sandal. The bare shoulder, showing through the tatters, gets a robe. The stomach, knawing itself with hunger, gets a full platter smoking with meat. The father cannot eat for looking at the returned adventurer. Tears running down the face until they come to a smile—the night dew melting into the morning. No work on the farm that day; for when a bad boy repents, and comes back again, promising to do better, God knows that is enough for one day. "And they began to be merry." Picture—Prodigal son returned from the wilderness. So God, our Mother, teaches us everything by pictures. The sinner is a lost sheep. Jesus is the bridegroom. The useless man a barren fig tree. The Gospel is a great supper. Satin, a sower of tares. Truth, a mustard seed. That which we could not have understood in the abstract statement, God, our Mother, presents to us in this Bible-album of pictures, God-engraved. Is not the divine Maternity ever thus teaching us?

I remark again, that God has a mother's favoritism. A father sometimes shows a sort of favoritism. Here is a boy—strong, well, of high forehead and quick intellect. The father says, "I will take that boy into my firm yet;" or, "I will give him the very best possible education." There are instances where, for the culture of the one boy, all the others have been robbed. A sad favoritism; but that is not the mother's favorite. I will tell you her favorite. There is a child who at two years of age had a fall. He has never got over it. The scarlet fever muffled his hearing. He is not what he once was. That child has caused the mother more anxious nights than all the other children. If he coughs in the night, she springs out of a sound sleep and goes to him. The last thing she does when going out of the house is to give a charge in regard to him. The first thing on coming in is to ask in regard to him. Why, the children of the family all know that he is the favorite, and say, "Mother, you let him do just as he pleases, and you give him a great many things which you do not give us. He is your favorite." The mother smiles; she knows it is so. So he ought to be; for if there is anyone in the world that needs sympathy more than another, it is an invalid child weary on the first mile of life's journey [illegible] head, a weak side, a irritated thing. So the mother ought to make him a favorite. God, our Mother, has favorites. "Whom the Lord loveth he chasteneth." This is, one whom he especially loves he chasteneth. God loves us all; but is there one weak, and sick, and sore, and wounded, and suffering, and faint? That is the one who lies nearest and more perpetually on the great, loving heart of God. Why it never coughs but our Mother, God, hears it. It never stirs a weary limb in the bed but our Mother, God, knows of it. There is no such a watcher as God. The best nurse may be overborne by fatigue, and fall asleep in the chair, but God, our Mother, after being up a year of nights with a suffering child, never slumbers or sleeps.

When I see God especially busy in troubling and trying a Christian, I know that out of that Christian's character there is to come some especial good. After a while the mantle of affliction will fall off, and his soul will be greeted by the one hundred and forty-four thousand, and the thousands of thousands, as more than conqueror. Oh, my friends, God, our Mother, is just as kind in our afflictions as our prosperities. God never touches us but for our good. If a field clean and cultured is better off than a barren field, and if a stone that has become a statute is better off than the marble in the quarry, then that soul that God chastens may be his favorite. Oh, the rocking of the soul is not the rocking of an earthquake, but the rocking of God's cradle. "As one whom his mother comforteth, so will I comfort you." I have been told that the pearl in an oyster is merely the result of a wound, or a sickness inflicted upon it, and I do not know but that the brightest gems of heaven will be found to have been the wounds of earth kindled into the jeweled brightness of eternal glory.

I remark that God has a mother's capacity for attending to little hurts. The father is shocked at the broken bone of the child, or at the sickness that sets the cradle on fire with fever, but it takes the mother to sympathize with all the little ailments and little bruises of the child. If the child have a splinter in its hand, it wants the mother to take it out, and not the father. The father says, "Oh, that is nothing," but the mother knows it is something, and that a little hurt sometimes is very great. So with God, our Mother; all our annoyances are important enough to look at and sympathize with. Nothing with God is something. There are no ciphers in God's arithmetic. And if we were only good enough of sight, we could see as much through a microscope as through a telescope. Those things that may be impalpable and infinitesimal to us, may be pronounced and infinite to God.

I remark farther that God has a mother's patience for the erring. If one does wrong first his associates in life cast him off; if he goes on in the wrong way, his business partner casts him off; if he goes on, his best friends cast him off——his father casts him off. But after all others have cast him off, where does he go? Who holds no grudge, and forgives the last time as well as the first? Who sits by the murderer's counsel all through the long trial? Who tarries the longest at the windows of a culprit's cell? Who, when all others think ill of a man, keeps on thinking well of him? It is his mother. God bless her grey hairs, if she be still alive, and bless her grave, if she be gone! And bless the rocking-chair in which she used to rock, and bless the Bible she used to read! So God, our Mother, has patience for all the erring. After everybody else has cast a man off, God, our Mother, comes to the rescue. God leaps to take charge of a bad case. After all the other doctors have got through, the heavenly Physician comes in. Human sympathy at such a time does not amount to much. Even the sympathy of the Church, I am sorry to say, often does not amount to much. I have seen the most harsh and bitter treatment on the part of those who professed faith in Christ toward those who were wavering and erring. They tried on the wanderer sarcasm, and Billingsgate, and caricature, and they tried tittle-tattle. There was one thing they did not try, and that was forgiveness. A soldier in England was brought by a sergeant to the Colonel. "What," says the Colonel, "bringing the man here again! We have tried everything with him." "Oh, no," says the sergeant, "there is one thing you have not tried. I would like you to try that." "What is that?" said the Colonel. Said the man, "Forgiveness." The case had not gone so far but that it might take that turn, and so the Colonel said, "Well, young man, you have done so and so. What is your excuse?" "I have no excuse, but I am very sorry," said the man. "We have made up our minds to forgive you," said the colonel. The tears started. He had never been accosted in that way before. His life was reformed, and that was the starting point for a positively Christian life. Oh, church of God, quit your sarcasm when a man falls! Quit your irony, quit your tittle-tattle and try forgiveness. God, your Mother, tries it all the time. A man's sins may be like a continent, but God's forgiveness is like the Atlantic and Pacific oceans, bounding it on both sides.

The Bible often talks about God's hand. God's hand is a mother's hand. What it touches it heals. If it smites you it does not hurt as if it were another hand. Oh, you poor wandering soul in sin, it is not a bailiff's hand that seizes you to-day. It is not a hard hand. It is not an unsympathetic hand. It is not a cold hand. It is not an enemy's hand. No, it is a gentle hand, a loving hand, a sympathetic hand, a soft hand, a mother's hand.

I want to say, finally, that God has a mother's way of putting a child to sleep. You know there is no cradle-song like a mother's. After the excitement of the evening it is almost impossible to get the child to sleep. If the rocking-chair stop a moment, the eyes are wide open; but the mother's patience and the mother's soothing manner keeps on until, after awhile, the angel of slumber puts his wing over the pillow. Well, my dear brothers and sisters in Christ, the time will come when we will be wanting to be put to sleep. The day of our life will be done, and the shadows of the night of death will be gathering around us. Then we want God to soothe us, to hush us to sleep. Let the music at our going not be the dirge of the organ, or the knell of the church tower, or the drumming of a "dead march," but let it be the hush of a mother's lullaby. Oh! the cradle of the grave will be soft with the pillow of all the promises. When we are being rocked into that last slumber, I want this to be the cradle song: "As one whom a mother comforteth, so will I comfort you."

Asleep in Jesus! Far from thee
Thy kindred and their graves may be;
But thine is still a blessed sleep,
From which none ever wake to weep.

A Scotchman was dying. His daughter Nellie sat by the bedside. It was Sunday evening, and the bell of the church was ringing, calling the people to church. The good old man, in his dying dream, thought that he was on the way to church, as he used to be when he went in the sleigh across the river; and as the evening bell struck up, in his dying dream he thought it was the call to church. He said, "Hark, children, the bells are ringing; we shall be late; we must make the mare step out quick!" He shivered, and then said, "Pull the buffalo robe up closer, my lass! It is cold crossing the river; but we will soon be there, Nellie, we will soon be there!" And he smiled and said, "Just there now." No wonder he smiled. The good old man had got to church. Not the old country church, but the temple in the skies. Just across the river. How comfortably did God hush that old man to sleep! As one whom his mother comforteth, so God comforted him.

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GOING THE FULL LENGTH IN THE PANAMA CANAL AFFAIR.

The French Government Is Now Bound to Probe to the Bottom the Charges of Extensive Bribery and Corruption in the Chamber of Deputies.

PARIS, Dec. 17.—Charles de Lesseps, son of Count de Lesseps; Marius Fontaines, director in the Panama Canal Co., and M. Leroy, ex-deputy, have been arrested on a charge of fraud in the management of the Panama Canal Co., and have been committed to prison.

PROBABLE ARRESTS.

Situation of the Panama Canal Affair Grows In Gravity.

NEW YORK, Dec. 17.—The Herald's Paris correspondent says: There is a rumor afloat to the effect that the Government has decided to arrest the managers of the Panama Canal Company, charged with complicity in the alleged frauds. They will be arraigned, it is said, at the Court of Assize. The situation grows in gravity. Either the Ministry or the Investigating Committee will resign. In reality the ministry in the vote in the chamber yesterday was in the minority, since there was only an apparent majority of six votes. The vote of the eight ministers was a vote for themselves, which was contrary to all precedents.

New scandals and more revelations are announced for to-day. Three of those talked about are politicians and one of them is in the Cabinet. It will all end in a presidential crisis and the resignation of the Cabinet.

A New Move.

LONDON, Dec. 17.—A Vienna special says it is expected that the scandalous developments regarding the Panama Canal enterprise will lead to a rapprochement between Russia and Germany, owing to the fact that the fall of M. Rouvier, the French Minister of Finance, will prevent the Russian Government from obtaining loans in France.

DEATH SEEMED HORRIBLE.

A French Criminal Begged Piteously for His Life.

PARIS, Dec. 17.—Eugene Crampon, the murderer of two men, paid the penalty for his crimes, and the canaille that gathered to see his execution greatly enjoyed the spectacle afforded by the minerable, cowardly wretch as he was literally carried to the guillotine. When Crampon saw the guillotine, with a terrible shriek he threw himself backward and fell to the ground. All efforts to induce him to rise were fruitless, and he grovelled on the flagstones begging piteously for his life.

While some of the assistants supported him others quickly bound and threw him against the bascule. Even then he did not cease his struggles. His contortions were terrible. The bascule was dropped into place and the assistants shoved it forward until Crampon's neck rested in the lunette. The blade fell and Crampon's head dropped into the basket.

The execution was the most horrible one that has been witnessed in Paris in many years. The crowd, highly pleased with the entertainment the state had afforded them, dispersed laughing and joking with each other.

Once More in the Fold.

ROME, Dec. 17.—The statement by Archbishop Corrigan, published in a New York paper in September, in regard to a settlement of the differences between the church and Rev. Father McGlynn, has received full confirmation at the Vatican.

The news of the reconciliation has produced the happiest impression at the Vatican, where Father McGlynn had always been a favorite prior to his differences with his religious superiors. It can be stated on the highest authority that the Pope has given special power to Mgr. Satolli, His Holiness' representative in America, to settle the case.

Trouble in Chitral.

SIMLA, Dec. 17.—Advices received here show that the Nizam Ul-Mulk, who recently drove Sher-Afzul-Khan, the usurping ruler of Chitral, from the capital, has now regained all of Chitral, and has requested Dr. Robertson, the British representative at Chitral, to instal him as Mehitar.

Sher-Afzul-Kahn, it is said, has fled the country and taken refuge with the Afghans. It is thought the trouble in Chitral will now end. The Ameer of Afghanistan will probably be called upon to explain the part he took in the affair.

Few Sweets in Office.

SYDNEY, N.S.W., Dec. 17.—For the next three months no official salaries will be paid in Samoa except those of the Chief Justice and the President of the Council. Even the King is not exempt. The prevailing destitution is the cause of this action.

Germany's Army Bill.

LONDON, Dec. 17.—A Berlin correspondent, referring to the German Army bill says he believes a compromise will be arranged during the recess, giving a legal basis for a two years' service with about one half of the proposed increase of the peace footing.

Disasters to Caprivi.

BERLIN, Dec. 17.—The disclosures in regard to Herr Loewe's offer to manufacture rifles for France have greatly weakened Chancellor Caprivi in the estimation of the Reichstag and lessened in proportion the prospects for the passage of the Army bill.

Cholera Statistics.

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 17.—Final official statistics of the cholera epidemic in Russia have just been issued. According to these figures there have been 130,417 deaths from European and 135,343 deaths from Asiatic cholera since the outbreak of the disease in the Empire.

Bradstreet's Report.

NEW YORK, Dec. 17.—General trade throughout the Canadian Dominion is slack, as is customary at this season. At Toronto woolens are firmer. Travelers are sending in orders for spring delivery. Wheat is at the lowest price this year. Stock-taking is quite general.

High prices for hog products at Montreal check sales. There is a fair trade at Halifax and collections are fair. The Nova Scotia fishing season generally has been poor.

Bank clearings at the three cities named, with those at Hamilton, aggregate $21,695,000 this week, a trifling increase as compared with the total a year ago, but 13 per cent. less than the aggregate for last week.

There are 30 failures in Canada this week, against 31 last week and 23 in the week a year ago.

No Benefit of the Doubt.

LINDSAY, Ont., Dec. 17.—Before Judge McSweyne at the session Mark Lockington was sentenced to nine months' imprisonment for uttering a ten dollar Confederate States bill notwithstanding that he had made restitution.

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The contract for the new Yerkes telescope was formally let yesterday to Warner & Swasey, a Cleveland firm. The monster instrument, which will possess the distinction of being the largest telescope in the world, is to be the gift of Mr. Charles T [illegible] to the Chicago University. The gift will also include an observatory, in which the telescope will be placed, the entire amount given to the university for this purpose aggregating half a million dollars. Work on the new instrument will be advanced at once, and it will be pushed to completion as quickly as possible. It is the wish of the company to have the telescope entirely finished in one year.

The Yerkes telescope will have an object glass of forty inches clear aperture, and the total length of the tube, with its accessories, will not be less than seventy-five feet. The instrument complete will have the enormous weight of sixty tons. The tube alone will weigh six tons. The polar axis, which carries the entire weight of the tube and its attachments, will weigh five tons. The driving clock, which is to automatically move this immense tube with a motion corresponding to the exact apparent motion of the star being observed, will weigh one ton. The weight of the column supporting the mechanism of the telescope will not be less than thirty tons. The instrument will be provided with all the complicated motions which are necessary on such a large telescope. The machinery affording this variety of movement can be operated by the hand of the astronomer or by electric motors at the will of the observer. The electric motors are governed by a small switchboard, which can be placed on the operator's table or in any other convenient position. In design and general construction the Yerkes will be very similar to the Lick, although it will be 25 per cent. more powerful than that instrument.

The construction of the instrument will, of necessity, be undertaken in sections. It would require an ordinary six-story building to afford room for its building as a whole. As it is, the second and third floors of the large shops of the company will be partially removed in order to make room for the big visitor.—Cleveland Leader.

AN AID TO MEMORY.

Collecting a Debt by a Very Novel Method.

A story told recently was of a big burly fellow who used to drive a team from the Kennebec Valley into Piscataquis County, selling crackers for a bakery. On one of the outlying farms on his road lived a small man who had won almost a State reputation for beating his creditors. He met the peddler, who did not know him, and bought a barrel of crackers to be paid for when he came back along on his return trip. By that time the peddler was posted on the peculiarities of his customer. He was told at the house he was out in the field and went to seek him. When he asked for his pay the little fellow cocked his head on one side and looked at him with a leer. "Who are you?" he lisped. "I don't know you. I never bought any crackers of you." The peddler grabbed him by the collar and began to swish the air with him. "Don't know me, do you? Ain't acquainted with me, hey? Don't know who I am? Never bought any crackers of me, hey?" "Yes, yes, yes," the victim began to yell, "I know you now. I remember you. I'll pay, I'll pay."

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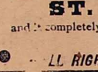

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CONCERTED ACTION TO BE TAKEN BY UNCLE SAM'S CHINAMEN.

The Exclusion Act in the United States To Be Fought Tooth and Nail—No Recourse to Arms, but the Chinese Government Will Retaliate.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 1.—A strong concerted movement has been started by the Chinese of the United States to resist the Chinese Exclusion Act. Hon Yung Wung, formerly Commissioner of Education for the Chinese Government, writes Rev. E. A. Donohue of this city that three different plans of resistance have been decided upon.

The constitutionality of the act will first be tested. Then the Oriental Club of New York will try to arouse public sympathy through mass meetings, and Congress will be flooded with petitions demanding a repeal of the law. A poll tax of $1 a head will be levied on every Chinaman in the United States to defray expenses. This will mean a fund of over $100,000.

Finally the Chinese Government will protest, and failing retaliation will follow. There will be no recourse to arms, but there will be an abrogation of treaty rights. All commercial communication will be shut off and the Government will cease protection to the 1500 American merchants and the several hundred missionaries now in China.

PARLIAMENT OF CANADA.

Will Probably Assemble on Thursday, January the 26th.

OTTAWA, Dec. 17.—To-day's Canada Gazette will not, as was generally expected, contain any notice of the calling of Parliament for the despatch of business, but it is believed that the matter has been practically settled and that Thursday, Jan. 26, has been decided on as the day for the opening of the third session of the seventh Parliament of Canada.

It will be remembered some time ago it was mentioned in this correspondence that a very numerously signed petition had been received by the Governor General, praying for the exercise of executive clemency in the case of Robert McGreevy, who was condemned by Judge Rose on April 22 last to 12 months' imprisonment in consequence of a suit brought against him by his brother, the Hon. Thomas McGreevy. When "Bob" found that he was likely to be convicted he "jumped his bail" and joined his friend, the notorious Owen Murphy, who had preceded him to New York. After a while he grew tired of exile, returned to Canada, delivered himself up, pleaded guilty and was sentenced to one year's imprisonment. In his remarks while passing sentence Judge Rose said that taking into account the prisoner's age and the state of his health he would have been disposed to regard six months as sufficient punishment had it not been for the act of contempt of court by escaping from its jurisdiction, and for this latter offence he increased the term of sentence to one year. The petition for clemency has been some time under the consideration of the Minister of Justice, who finally reported to His Excellency that in view of the fact that the prisoner had voluntarily surrendered himself he thought three months would have been sufficient punishment for the attempted escape from justice, and His Excellency, concurring in this view, has been pleased to order a remission of three months of the term of imprisonment, and McGreevy will consequently be released on Jan. 22.

An order in council has been passed appointing Mr. J. H. Balderson, private secretary to the Hon. Mr. Haggart, secretary of the Department of Railways and Canals in place of Mr. A. P. Bradley. Mr. Balderson was for several years in the office of the auditor-general, and on the entrance of Hon. Mr. Haggart into the Ministry as Postmaster-General he was appointed private secretary, a position he filled most admirably. For some time past he has been combining the duties of acting secretary of the department with his own and has proved himself a most capable and efficient officer. Who will be his successor in the private secretaryship is not known at present, but it is considered most probable that it will be Captain H. H. Gray of the Postoffice Department.

Mr. Collingwood Schreiber, Deputy Minister and Chief Engineer of the Department of Railways and Canals, returned to-day from his inspection of the "Soo" Canal. He reports that he found that the work had progressed very satisfactorily, and very good progress had been made in the construction of the lock. There are no masons at work at present, but there are a number of men still engaged in excavating the approaches to the lock. There is a large quantity of stone on the ground, and there is every indication that the contractor will be ready to commence work vigorously as early as possible in the spring.

The contract for the heating apparatus for the public buildings at Ottawa has been let by the Public Works Department to Messrs. McGuire & Bird of Toronto.

To-morrow's Canada Gazette will contain notice of the calling of the Senate of Hon. Mackenzie Bowell in place of Hon. George Alexander, whose seat was declared vacant; also the following appointments: Hon. Samuel Henry Strong as Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, in place of the late Chief Justice Sir William Johnstone Ritchie; Rowan Robert Fitzgerald, Q.C., of Charlottetown, to be judge of the City Court of Charlottetown; Edward E. Therian of Bellevue's Cove, N.S., and Henry Dennis Chantrell of the District of Surry, British Columbia, sub-collector of Customs.

Frederic Nicholls, managing director of the Canadian General Electric Company (limited), gives notice of the passing of a bylaw increasing the number of directors of the company to 12.

During November the amount deposited in the Government savings banks was $250,264, and amount withdrawn $205,689. The balance at credit of depositors on Nov. 30 was $17,091,458.

Abel Seneca Weeks of Clinton, Ont., having passed the necessary examination, has been granted a commission as Dominion Land Surveyor.

The first three notes signed by Hon. John Costigan as Secretary of State will appear in to-morrow's Canada Gazette. They announce the granting of letters patent increasing the capital of the Canada Switch Manufacturing Co., limited, from $50,000 to $100,000; incorporating the Weather and Waterproof Paint Co. of Canada, with capital $5000, and incorporating the Montreal Silk Mills Co., capital $75,000.

Notice is given of application to Parliament to incorporate a fraternal society called "The Woodmen of the World," with headquarters at London, Ont.

Quite a large number of notices of application to Parliament for incorporation of railway companies and amendments to existing charters will appear in to-morrow's Gazette.

The amount of Inland Revenue accrued during November was $781,253, being an increase of $44,869 over the same month last year.

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No healthy, manly sentiment, no loyalty to England would be violated by a Political Union with the United States on fair and honorable terms. "Loyalty" is an expression which we venture to say is misunderstood and misapplied here. Had we faith even in the semi-Democratic institutions of our country, we must believe that the well-being of the human family should be the chief concern of man, not the stability of a king or an empress on a throne or the success of this or that political faction.

"For forms of Government let fools contest;
Whatever is best administered is best."

True loyalty, therefore, to one's country consists not in bending the knee and swearing fealty to a reigning family or in following the tortuous windings of a Parliamentary faction, fighting to gain or to retain the spoils of office, but in doing that which, according to the light that is given us, we consider best calculated to advance the well-being and enlarge the freedom of the masses who go to make up a nation.

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You are yet in the prime of life, though silver hairs here and there proclaim that youth has passed away and that the inevitable "sere and yellow leaf of old age" is coming all too soon. But let us hope that when your head is completely silvered o'er, and you have retired to a well-earned repose, full of years and honors,

—"An old age, serene and bright,
And lovely as a Lapland night,
Shall lead thee to thy grave."

We stand in the light of a dawning day, with its clear creation flushing;
And the life currents up from the pretending clay through the world's great heart are leaping;
While from peak to peak of the spirit land a voice unto us is calling:
The night is over, the day is at hand, and the fetters of earth are falling.

Yet faces are pale with a mystic fear of the birth and trouble labouring;
And we feel that mighty changes are near, though the Lord delayeth his coming.
For the rent flags hang from each broken mast, and moans in the ocean's surging;
The shattered wreck of a foundering past sinks and the night wind's dirges.

At the world goes thundering on to the light, unbedling our vain presages;
And nations are clearing the path to the right through the mouldering dust of ages.
Are we, then, to rest in a chill despair, unmoved by these new stations;
Nor carry the flag of our country fair in the onward march of nations?

Shall our hands be folded in slumber when the bands and chains are scattered;
As story and still as enchanted men in a cave of darkness fettered?
The eve may be dark, but we'll flash bright gleams of the morning radiance on it;
And thread the New Path, through the morning beams as yet fall faintly upon it.

I have the honor to subscribe myself, Sir,

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LAMPS, JEWEL RANGE, SEIVARD COAL STOVE [Self Feeder] MICAS, STOVES PUTUP, STOVES & FURNACES REPAIRED.

ALL KINDS OF TINWARE.

DEACON & DOYLE

Grain Wanted.

I have recently secured the use of the Union Elevator, Belleville and am now prepared to pay the highest prices for all kinds of grain. Will contract for large quantities. Call and see me before you sell.

J. W. VERMILYEA

Belleville, Ontario, Nov. 21, 1892.

MAS GOODS.

best value in the city,
sell these fancy goods at lower prices
hey are usually sold at.
our window of these goods and note
rices.
Handkerchiefs—Embroidered.
Handkerchiefs—White Hemstitch.
Handkerchiefs—Brocaded.

'ancy Woollen Goods

veral lines of fancy Woollens at about
of the cost price. See them.

Fur Goods

few Fur Capes.
few Muffs.
few Collars and Cuffs.
few Capes.
hese are about half price. We wish to
them out this winter.

DIES' ASTRACHAN JACKETS,
GENTS' FUR COATS.

obes—Black.
obes—White. } Good value.
obes—Grey.

House Furnishings

fine assortment of Curtains,
fine assortment of Blinds,
fine assortment of Oilcloths,
fine assortment of Silentiums,
fine assortment of Rugs,
fine assortment of Mats,

Carpets.

Bargains in carpets for the Xmas trade.
you require a carpet purchase before Xmas
we will give you a bargain.

AS. W. DUNNET

Glasgow Warehouse,
Belleville, Dec. 14th, '92.

THE DAILY ONTARIO

BELLEVILLE, SATURDAY, DEC. 17TH

CHURCH DIRECTORY

TABERNACLE CHURCH—REV. D. O. Crossley, pastor. On Sunday, Dec. 11th the pastor will preach both morning and evening. Morning subject, "At ease in Zion" evening subject, "Righteousness the true means of Exaltation." All who attend these services will be made very welcome by pastor and people.

BRIDGE ST. METHODIST CHURCH pastor—Rev. E. N. Baker, M A, B D. Sunday, Dec. 18. Sermons at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m., by the pastor. Morning subject—"The Leadings of The Spirit." Evening subject—"The duty of the Christian citizen." Strangers in the city, students at Albert College, the business colleges and schools and other visitors welcomed to these services and to Sunday school at 2:30 p.m.

D. Ritchie & Co

MONTREAL TWO

Beautiful fall weather.

Visit Fairyland to-night.

There was a large market to-day which was characterized by a scarcity of turkeys.

Bibles 10 per cent. off at Scantlebury's.

A team of horses belonging to Adam ...ory ran away on Frontstreet this morning. They ran from his store to the market square without doing further damage than the breaking of a whiffletree.

"The Universal Invitation," Matt. xi, will be the subject for addresses by the pastor in West Belleville Methodist church to-morrow evening. Prof. Canfield will have charge of the service of song.

New goods opened daily at Fairyland. Visit us to-night.

The turkey shoot at Iwine Rose's in the second concession of Sidney yesterday was very successful. A large number of local sports went out and were rewarded with several fine turkeys and geese.

The Union Methodist church at Mountain View will be re-opened on Sunday, Jan. 1st. Sermons at 10.30 a.m. and ...p. m. by Rev. Amos Campbell, of Belleville. A grand supper will be given on Monday evening. Prof. Canfield and daughter, of Belleville, will assist in the program. Tickets 75 cents per couple. ... McQuade, pastor.

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PUREST, STRONGEST, BEST.

For art novelties in oxidized silver, Persian silver, aluminum, Japanese oxidized brass and leather, visit Fairyland. C. B. SCANTLEBURY.

A startling sensation has developed itself in the south end of the city which implicates a certain married man in ...ecker ward. If the facts reach the public spicy revelations may be looked for.

Andy Stewart was before Magistrate ...int to day on a charge of non-support of wife. Andy swore that he gave all his earnings to his better half which fact she was not able to deny in the box. The defendant was discharged.

A hard looking specimen of the tramp order struck police headquarters to-day and said that he had been knocked out by an engine. To prove the fact he showed an injured foot which looked as if it had been sprained. He was told to get out of the city.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Mrs. Westfall, of Trenton, has so far recovered from the effects of her suffocation that she is able to walk about but her nerves are so shattered that she is unable to converse.

Wm Bensley, the well-known slack wire walker, left for Quebec city to-day to fill a week's engagement.

Thos. Arthur and wife of Consecon went to Picton last week and in their absence their little girl fell and broke her arm.

It is only a couple of years since Salva... Magnus was first offered to the public and it has already affected more cures of lung diseases than all other remedies combined have done in twenty years.

Nothing Better

What is more appropriate for a little boy at Christmas than a nice little suit or overcoat. We expect Santa Claus to visit the Oak Hall between now and Christmas eve and make his selections, something useful as well as ornamental is what the boys want.

CHARGED WITH ARSON.

A CASE WHICH HAS LONG BEEN BEFORE THE PUBLIC

Stephen Warner Simmons and His Wife Acquitted of the Charge of Burning Their Son's Barn Down

The case of Stephen Simmons and Elizabeth Simmons, charged with burning the barn of John Simmons in Thurlow township and aiding and abetting in the same on the 17th of Sept. 1888, was concluded before Judge Lazier at the County Court to-day. The trouble of the Simmons' family have of late been so frequently before the public that it has become monotonous reading. The farm originally belonged to the father. In January 1888 he conveyed it to his son John for past services. It was brought out in evidence that he had worked the farm for twenty years, and lived in the utmost harmony with his father. The latter made a reservation to himself of one-third of the products of the farm and $800, to be paid at his death or as soon before as would suit the convenience of his son. The will also provided that $100 was to be paid to his widow, in the event of his marrying again. On March 4th of same year the father, at the age of 72, married a widow much his junior. It was sworn to in the court that when she found that the old man had deeded everything to his son she declared that had she known it she would never have married him. From this date there was trouble in the Simmons family. It seems that the insurance policy on the barn was not assigned to the son in the deed. The old man soon after this marriage wanted the son to give him back the farm, at the same time contending that his widow was to be paid $100 each year instead of at death. The son refused to accede to his father's request when the latter made threats that he had been robbed and that unless John did what was right he would burn the barn and put the insurance money into his pocket, so help his God. Whether by the hand of the old man or not the barn was one morning found in ashes and the father applied for the insurance. The insurance company contested the claim on the ground that the fire was the work of an incendiary. A compromise was finally effected by which the company paid over $600 for the rebuilding of the barn and $50 to the old man. The son went to work to build another barn during the erection of which the father was heard to say that he had burned the other barn and that if John did not do what was right he would burn the new one. The Crown laid stress on the fact that father was dressed when the fire broke out and that his horse had been turned into a field contrary to the usual custom.

The jury acquitted the accused.

Henry Barragar vs McRae Bros. & Co.—Plff. is a farmer residing in Maynooth. Defts. are lumbering in the north part of the county. Plff's brother was engaged by one Murdoff, who contracted with defts to get out saw logs. Plff. alleges that after a time he agreed with his brother to run the camp and board all the men and teams stopping there. Defts. knew nothing about this arrangement and sent on supplies and charged them to Murdoff. Plff. got them as he says by purchase from his brother and used them in boarding men and teams, and now sues defts for $148 for board of men and teams. Defence, supplies charged to Murdoff on his contract and board also credited him with the logs got out leaving the camp in their debt. Verdict for defts. E. Guss Porter for plff; W. B. Northrup for defts.

Court was enlarged until the 5th of January next.

Grand Jury Presentment

The Grand Jury of the Sessions presented their report this morning, and were discharged. A synopsis is here given:

We thank your Honor for your lucid and instructive charge to us as Grand Jurors. We are pleased to see that you are enjoying apparent good health, and trust that you may be long spared to fill the office which you have so long and efficiently filled.

We have inspected the gaol, and find the same in a clean and healthy condition; we have heard of no complaint from any person confined therein, and we think that the gaoler, Mr. L. A. Appleby, is entitled to praise for the manner in which he performs his duties.

We visited the Deaf and Dumb Institution and were favorably impressed with the buildings and surroundings. Every attention is given the children by Principal Mathison and teachers. We visited the hospital, and were cordially received by the Matron, Miss Gordon, and shown about the premises, which are provided with everything necessary for the comfort and care of the sickly and friendless. Every praise should be given to the ladies for the Christain work in which they are engaged.

We feel that our thanks are due to Mr. Geo. E Henderson, Q. C., County town attorney, for his services. Signed,

R. PORTER,
Foreman.

AN OLD VETERAN.

John R Leavens Views the Scenes of His Boyhood Days.

J. R. Leavens, of Kalamazoo, Mich., an old resident of Sidney and Prince Edward county, is renewing the scenes of his boyhood days. He is stopping with his nephew, Henry Bleecker, of Sidney, ex-warden of the county. Mr. Leavens settled in Kalamazoo in 1858 where he remained until 1861, when he entered the American ranks on the 15th of that year. He was present in such batttles as Shiloh, Corinth, Inka, seige of Vicksburg and accompanied Gen. Sheridan on his march through Geogia to the sea. Very few of the men who took part in this memorable march ever lived to recover from the effects. Many of them never reached their destination. Mr. Leavens has a slight hitch in his walk caused from the terrible strain on the muscles of his legs. At the close of the war he returned to Kalamazoo where he has since continued to reside.

Hawkers and Pedlers

What ear-splitting cries we hear daily in the streets of every large city! But these itinerant dealers who hawk their wares about are, when under proper restrictions, a useful portion of the community, and not such nuisance as the catarrh hawkers. This is a stubborn disease to conquer, but Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy does it. It is mild, soothing and antiseptic, unlike snuffs that irritate, or solutions that burn. It corrects offensive breath, and restores taste, smell and hearing. Nasal catarrh often ends in consumption. Apply the only cure in time. Price 50 cents, by all druggists.

Christmas Rates.

The Canadian Pacific Railway are offering special reduced rates for Christmas and New Year's holidays. Tickets sold at a fare and one third according to time limit. Special inducements to students and teachers of schools. Particulars obtained on application to S. Burrow's Agent, Belleville.

You will save money by getting your stoves and ranges from Deacon & Doy

Geen is showing a very nice line of perfumes in plain and fancy bottles, also in bulk.

RAMBLES IN ROME

REV E N BAKER DELIVERS AN INTERESTING LECTURE LAST NIGHT

He Recounts his Travels in Europe Before a Large Audience in West Belleville Methodist Church

Rev. E. N. Baker gave an interesting lecture in West Belleville Methodist church last night on "Rambles in Rome." The speaker was listened to with wrapt attention by a large audience.

The lecturer said it had been the dream of his life to visit the Old World and especially to see ancient Rome. That he would cross the Atlantic he thought would be realized, but that he would ever see the eternal city was very doubtful. But in the summer of 1889 his sister, who was attending the University in Paris, asked him to accompany her on a continental tour. There were doubts in their minds as to whether it was safe to visit Rome during the month of July and August, but at Florence they said, in immortal words of Garibaldi to his soldiers 'On to Rome.' A mystic thrill went through the speaker as he realized that he was within a few hours ride of the capital of ancient civilization, the once proud capital of the world.

Everything in Rome was disappointing. He had read of narrow streets, and houses of different shapes and sizes jutting out in different places. He looked for an ancient city. He had gone to see ancient Rome, but instead of that he found a modern city, with magnificent broad streets and boulevards lined with buildings four and five stories high. Everything had a modern aspect. But where are the hills? These are gone. Show me the Tiber—the Tiber to whom the Romans prayed. Driving over a bridge, this, says the guide, is the Tiber. What, that dirty murky looking I shall not call it a river for it is too low for that—scarcely a stream for it seems to be motionless—more like a dirty yellow pond. Is this the Tiber that I had pictured as a mighty, rushing river, 100 feet or more high? Waves that would have engulphed any swimmer—less expert than Herodtius. Why is this? Has history and poetry and painting lied to me? No, but time that has wrought so many changes in Rome, has with its scythe cut down the morass along its banks and the streams that fed it are dried up, and then in the summer time it is lower then in any other season. The guide then drove to the Pantheon—Pantheon, pride of Rome. "Ah!" said the lecturer as he looked at the magnificent old temple, "this is ancient Rome." In quick succession he described the Pantheon, Caliseum, Forum, Appian Way, Catacomb, the Scala Santa, St Peter's and the Vatican. "Shall," said the lecturer in concluding, "the Pope ever regain his temporal power, and if not, will he ever leave Rome? The honor that is given to the King of Italy; the monument the people have erected to Garabaldi all go to show that the temporal power of the Pope has gone, is gone never to be restored in Italy—Italy has got beyond that. Will he leave Italy? If so, where will he go? To America? The church is now quarreling in the United States and there is likely to be a split in the Roman church in America, and if not, the free soil of America would not be congenial to his Holiness. There was talk when I was in Rome, of his coming to Quebec. Even there he would not be at ease. No the Pope will never leave Rome. He could not take the Vatican nor its treasures with him. He could not have a St. Peter anywhere else; in Rome he will stay—a prisoner he calls himself. But that is his own fault. All the rights of other citizens will be given to him and he ought not to ask nor expect more."

ALBERT COLLEGE CONCERT

A Successful Closing Entertainment Given by the Students

All has been stir and bustle at Albert College during the last few days. Examinations have been in progress on Thursday and Friday of this week. Students have been writing on the preparatory examination of the collegiate course and upon the semi-terminal examination. Some young men who graduated at Albert college last year and are now in attendance at Victoria were writing on supplementals. Rev. E. N. Baker was present and conducted prayer service on Friday morning. He and Principal Dyer gave short addresses. The Principal stated that in attendance, thoroughness of work, and general success of the school the present session was the best in the history of the College.

The closing concert was held last evening in the college chapel. Principal Dyer presiding, and commenced the program promptly at eight o'clock. The people came in crowds until standing room was at a premium. Recitations were given by Miss Hudgins, Mr. Latta and Mr. Watts. Two glees were sung by the college glee club. Albert's Xmas glee by Mr. Neill, a student of the college, and music by Dr. Peters was splendidly rendered. Dr. Peters gave a couple of piano solos and was each time vociferously encored but owing to the length of the program could not respond. His work at the college has been eminently satisfactory and he is held in the highest esteem by the students. A tableaux entitled, "Christmast Bells," showed three young ladies, clad in white, ringing three large bells, suspended from the ceiling, and under the glare of colored lights and with piano accompaniment was beautiful. The program closed with the colloquy "Cinderella," in which the following persons took part: Cinderella, Miss Hudgins; Prince Amour, Mr. Beau; The King, Mr. Mill; The Queen, Miss Hughes; Lord Easy Going, Mr. McGughey; Lady Disdain, Miss Hawkins; The Herald, Mr. Timmin; Courtiers, Miss Caverly, Miss Loxy, Mr. Rush and Mr. Sinclair. The audience joined with Dr. Peters at the piano in singing the National Anthem. This closed a most successful season at Albert College. Classes will be resumed on Thursday, Jan. 5th 1893.

SHORT SIGHTED.

The Brockville Times Administers a Rebuke to Local Opticians.

"S. A. Spangenberg, the optician, who has been spending the past few days in the city fitting special and difficult cases of visual defects, was notified by the chief of police last evening that owing to the complaint of two local dealers in spectacles here, that it was contarary to a by law, and that it would be necessary for him to discontinue his business to avoid prosecution. This is certainly one of the smallest transactions on record. A number of prominent citizens have waited upon Mr. Spangenberg to express their sorrow that this has occurred. If this means that all specialists such as Dr. Buller, Dr. Ryerson and others, are prevented from coming here to aid the afflicted, who otherwise could get no relief, it is certainly most unfortunate. This by-law ought to suffer the same fate that happened the one under which it was attempted to run McKelvy & Birch of Kingston out of town." —Brockville Times.

Lovely fresh Haddock received by express at Goldsmith's Fish Store, Market Square—Ciscoes, Finnan Haddie, Yarmouth Bloats, etc. 6td

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria

TORIES AND INDIANS

A CORRESPONDENT GIVES SOME INTERESTING REMINISCENCES

The Tory Loyalty Ceases as soon as they Cease to be Paid for it—Time a Change was Made

Toryism is a parasite upon the body politic and is held together by the spoils system, as were that class of ancient Irish freebooters, from whom the name is derived. The divine right of Kings and non-resistance to Royal authority was a doctrine peculiar to toryism, and first promulgated by them in England. They were always zealous advocates of royal prerogatives. It was a tory administration, whose tyrannical and oppressive measures drove the American colonies, now the United States, into rebellion and led to their final separation from the mother country. When the war for indepence broke out, the tories following their natural instincts, ranged themselves on the side of oppression and become active partizans as spies and informers upon their neighbors who had espoused the cause of independence. Many of them joined the Indians, commanded by the monster Brant, and suddenly fell upon the devoted town, Wyoming, and commenced an indiscriminate slaughter of the inhabitants, men, women and children and even infants at the breast. The tory residents of the place, by a previous arrangement agreed upon, joined the assailants and vied with the savages in acts of cruelty. The people of Cherry Valley and Ariscany suffered a like fate and if all the atrocious deeds, inflicted upon the defenceless inhabitants of Tryan county by the tories and Indians during the war, were to be adequately described, it would require the pen of a Tacitus or a Gibbon.

After the close of the war, the tories, under the name of U. E. Loyalists, scampered off to Canada, and organized the celebrated family compact, in the town of Little York, now Toronto, where they soon got possession of the government of the Province.

They had the sole management of the land granting department in their hands. They granted large tracts of land to each other, and whole townships to the late Henry John Boulton, their attorney general, who was a shining example of toryism and the special favorite of the party. It was not long before they assumed all the offices of government. The legislative council was filled with creatures, and enabled them successfully to obstruct all measures of reform brought forward by the provincial assembly or the people's representatives. This was carried on for some years. The high handed and tyrannical conduct of the compact, intensified the rancor of party feeling, and at length broke out in open rebellion. This circumstance was the first to disturb the tory fact on in the engagement of their ill-got en gains. Their long tenture of office rendered them callous to all needed reforms, and they were determined to crush the insurrection after the passion and cruelty of the old government of Europe, in what they call a revolt. Animated with deadly malice, the family compact determined to use every means in their power for the destruction of the leaders of the insurrection. This lead to the judicial murder of Lount and Matthews, for it is now confidently believed, their reprieve arrived and was suppressed until after the execution. But reason and justice like time, worked their own way and a monument will yet be raised to the memory of these martyrs to liberty. Another instance which shows animus that actuated the officials entrusted by the compact to put down the insurrection, occured on the western frontier of the province. A Colonel P—— commanded a military force near Windsor. One morning the men were arrested. They were believed to belong to a hostile invading party from Detroit. This, however, was not attempted to be proven. On their way to camp they had a slight intimation of their fate, from language indulged in by the military escort.

Pale and trembling with fear, they were ushered into the presence of the Colonel. They asked for a fair trial and denied the charges preferred against them. But instead of granting them a trial in a court of law, the Colonel, in a loud voice, and countenance distorted with rage, ordered them to be immediately shot. They were hastily prepared for execution and riddled with balls by the firing platoon. This is a sample of tory malice in their unbridled career.

We now take up another matter. In 1849, the Tories were in opposition to the government.

The passage of the Rebellion Losses Bill, was made the pretext for the burning of the parliament buildings in Montreal, after which, the tories signed the annexation manifesto, drawn up by John Rose, and called the League. They held meetings in various parts of the country, and advocated annexation to the United States.

In '40 they held a League meeting in Toronto. The president of the League, the late Hon. George Moffat, was carried from the wharf to the hall, where one of the most fiery and abusive speeches was made against the Queen's ministry of the day, by the late chancelor Vancaghnett. This shows how unfit the tories are to govern Canada, as they cease to be loyal as soon as they cease to be paid for it.

They have had the government in their hands for twenty-one years, and are bringing the country to the verge of destruction. Let us have a change by all means ... the materializa-

Music at our going not be ...
organ, or the knell of the church tower, or
the drumming of a "dead march," but let
... be the hush of a mother's lullaby. Oh!
the cradle of the grave will be soft with
the pillow of all the promises When we
are being rocked into that last slumber, I
want this to be the cradle song: "As one
whom a mother comforteth, so will I comfort you."

Asleep in Jesus! Far from thee
Thy kindred and their graves may be;

Nominations Fixed for Dec. 23rd, Election Dec 30th

The writ for a new election in North Hastings, to fill the vacancy caused by the appointment of Hon. M. Bowell to the Senate, has been issued to Mr. James White, of Madoc, returning officer. The nomination is fixed for Friday, 23rd December in Madoc village, and the polling for the 30th.

Sunshine in the House!

"I'm weary with work!" the good wife sighed;
"But after all," she said.
"It's sweet to labor for those we love—
No wonder that maids will wed."

A wise housewife lightens her toil and gladdens the home circle by her cheerfulness. But health is the first requisite, and her just prerogative. Health follows the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, which afflict womankind. It enriches the blood, cures the cough, increases the flesh, prevents hysteria, nervousness and low spirits, and is a veritable fountain of health to women, young and old. Satisfaction, or the price (1.00) refunded. Of druggists.

Robert Templeton and Chas. A. Harte Baldwin ward, and Stephen Burrows and E. F. Dickens in Sampson ward, will be candidates for aldermanic honors

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SEVENTEENTH

CHRISTMAS

AT

FISH'S

Our Holiday Goods are all in Stock and we think we can truthfully say that in our seventeen years of catering for the Xmas trade we have never equalled or approached the display we are making this year.

READ CAREFULLY FOLLOWING LISTS:

FOR GENTLEMEN

Leather Collar and Cuff Boxes
Leather Companions
Leather Brush Cases
Smoking Jackets
Dressing Gowns
Four-in-hand Ties
Knot Ties
Windsor Ties
Silk Coat Scarfs
Cashmere Coat Scarfs
Silk Handkerchiefs
Initial Handkerchiefs
Hemstitch Handkerchiefs
Linen Hankerchiefs in Boxes
Silk Braces
Fancy Braces
Silk Cuffs
Wool Cuffs
Cuff Buttons
Scarf Pins
Collar Buttons
White Dress Shirts
English Dress Shirts
Flannel Shirts
Linen Collars and Cuffs
Celluloid Collars and Cuffs
Silk Umbrellas, Fancy Handles
Walking Sticks
Waterproof Coats
Fine Kid Gloves
Lined Kid Gloves
Astrachan Gloves, Kid Mitts
Wool Mitts
Cardigan Jackets, etc

FOR LADIES

Silk Shawls from Japan
Silk Handkerchiefs from Japan
Initial Silk Handkerchiefs
The new White Crepe Hdkfs
Windsor Ties, etc.

FOR BOYS

Gloves and Mitts
Wool and Silk Cuffs
Braces
White and Flannel Shirts
Collars and Cuffs
Scarf Pins
Cuff Buttons
Collar Buttons
Kid Gloves
Astrachan Gloves
Silk Handkerchiefs
Linen Handkerchiefs
Fancy Handkerchiefs
Windsor Ties
Knot Ties
Four-in-hand Ties
Undershirts and Drawers
Boy's Cardigan Jackets
Boy's Bow Ties
Etc., Etc., Etc.

Our prices are the Lowest, our goods are the Newest, and our Stock is the Largest. See our 10c, 15c, 25c, 35c and 50c Tie Tables, and our Silk Handkerchiefs at 25c. Come and look through even if you don't want to buy. We take a pleasure in showing our Novelties

A. E. FISH & CO.

The leading Furnishers, 260 Front Street, Belleville

Monthly Prizes for Boys and Girls.

The "Sunlight" Soap, Co. Toronto, offer the following prizes every month till further notice, to boys and girls under 16 residing in the Province of Ontario, who send the greatest number of "Sunlight" wrappers 1st, $10; 2n $6; 3rd, $3; 4th, $1; 5th to 14th 1 Handsome Book; and a pretty picture to those who send not less than 12 wrappers. Send wrappers to "Sunlight" Soap Office, 43 Scott St., Toronto not later than 29th of each month, and marked "Competition"; and give full name address, age, and number of wrappers. Winners names wil be published in The Toronto Mail first Saturday of each month

More Valuable Than Diamonds.

Cod liver oil from the cod fish when combined with hypophosphites of lime and soda, as in "Miller's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil," will build up the cellular tissues and create new blood. This is just what consumptive patients need. It has cured thousands of people who would otherwise have been at this time occupying narrow spaces in the graveyards of our country. Miller's Emulsion is worth a trial. Big bottles, 50c and $1.00 at Drug Stores.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

JAS. A. CONGER

There will be a MERRY CHRISTMAS at your House if you buy your GIFTS at

JAS. A. CONGER.

In Lamps we lead, both in Price, Assortment and Design.

ALWAYS ON TOP

Our cutters and sleighs are arriving and our "Solid Comfort" is pronounced by the best judges to be the prettiest cutter ever seen in Belleville. We have 9 other styles to choose from. A nice cutter for $22. Our Robe and Horse blanket trade has been more than good. We have had three consignments of each so far and more to follow. Our list: Spring tooth cultivators, 2 styles, cutters, road carts, heavy harness, bob-sleighs, turnip cutters, light and single harness $9.00, robes, grain grinders, leather and rope halters, horse blankets, straw cutters, 4 boxes axle grease for 25c, surcingles, rugs, whips, Wilkinson plows 10 styles, 3 styles washing machines, apron, sulky plows 2 styles, 3 styles wringers, buggies, binders, reapers, buggy jack, machine oil, lumber wagons, mowers, rakes, coal oil, 16c democrats, grain drills.

Cheapest place in Canada for all farmers' supplies

HARRY FOWELL.

IN LEATHER!

Goods suited for Xmas Gifts in Russia Leather Dressed Seal, Dressed and Ooze Calf and Morocco, we have:

Card Cases and Pocket Books from.. 25c to $6.00.
Wallets and Chatalaines from .... 25c to 5.00.
Novelties in Music Cases from...... 1 05 to 5 00.
The New Boston Shopping Bag from. 2.50 to 6 50.
Ladies' Companions, Glove and Handkerchief Cases, all prices. Albums, Poets, Church Service and Gift Books, etc., etc.

The above is a list comprising the Handsomest lines of Leather Goods ever brought into Belleville.

C. B. SCANTLEBURY,

OUR SALES

Of lamps and silver on Saturday was the largest in our experience. We'll keep it up until spring. FROM THIS ON we'll add to them at slaughter prices Dinner Sets, Tea and Bedroom Sets. They must go and its as well to understand first as last that we are determined to get right under all others in prices, quality and style, and that's all the buying public want. FROM TO-DAY forward see us about your dishes, lamps and silver before you buy.

W. J. REID & CO,

Crystal Hall - - - Rous' Old Stand

Smashed Into Smithereens

And bursted are the Bubbles Thrown out to Gull the Public.

GOUGH, the Terror to High Priced Clothiers on the Trail

Of tottering houses that require money. We captured a wholesale stock of clothing at 65c on the dollar, and now the prices of six weeks ago are all split to splinters.

MEASURES FOR THE MEN.

READ our Champion Offer and don't try to Duplicate it for it can't be done.

We offer a Man's Overcoat for $3.90 that cost $4.78 wholesale. We offer splendid fitting Suits and in 150 different patterns at $6.00 usually worth $8.75 wholesale. This suit if sold in the regular way would bring $11.00 and $12. Our great big Xmas box for the buyer consists of 900 overcoats, ranging in price $17, $16 and $14. Your choice for $10. The cloth alone is worth more than we ask for the whole overcoat complete.

Look them all through, and then come to us and if we fail to convince the most sceptical that our stock is not at least 5 times larger, and our prices are 50 per cent. lower than those of other dealers, we will give a whole outfit free.

BOUNCING BARGAINS FOR THE BOY

Childs Suits for $1.50 all wool
" Overcoats with capeau $3.75 worth $6.
Youths suits $3.75 all wool worth $7.
" $5.00 " worth $9.
" Overcoats from $3 up.

Don't buy until you see our stock. Polite attention whether you buy or not,

SLEDS FREE!

Remember boys, with every suit or overcoat you buy from us, no matter what the price, we give you a beautiful sled free. We can be imitated but never approached. Again we say look them all through and then come to us and be convinced.

GOUGH THE BIG CLOTHIER

354 Front Street, Belleville.

Associated Stores: Toronto, Brantford, Peterboro, Orillia, Lindsay and Kingston

N. B.—We have just placed in stock of our own special make 150 suits, for men and young men's wear, in twelve different patterns. These goods are a square cut sack, are all tailor made with raised seams and would cost you from $18.00 to $26 if you left your measure for them. Our price is $10 and $12

WHITE LILLY
Brand of PASTRY FLOUR is unexcelled at the Price.
ASK YOUR GROCER FOR IT.
THE RATHBUN CO'Y

The Daily Ontario.

PORTLAND - CEMEN
—OUR OWN MANUFACTURE—
Equal to the very best imported,
THE RATHBUN CO'

23RD YEAR. BELLEVILLE ONT., MONDAY, DECEMBER 19TH,

THIS WEEK!

We are showing a fine line of Fancy Goods for the Xmas trade also our stock of General Dry Goods is Complete in every Department.

NATHAN JONES

OPPOSITE HOTEL STREET

Now for a bargain! IN STOVES

Big Cheap Sale of Stoves at

FOSTERS

We must dispose of our Immense Stock of Stoves, and for the next 30 days will offer low bargains.

The John Bull Range,
Regal Peninsular and
Art Countess Base Burners

Are having a large sale. Call and examine our stock and prices.

FOSTER & FOSTER

Hastings Loan and Investment Society.

Notice is hereby given that a Dividend at the rate of THREE per cent. for the half year ending 31st instant, upon the Capital Stock of this Society, has been declared, and that the same will be payable at the office of the Society on and after 2nd January next.

The transfer books will be closed from the 17th to 31st inst. both days inclusive. By order of the Board.

J. P. C. PHILLIPS, Manager.
Belleville, 16th Dec'r., 1892. 2t

Notice.

All accounts due the late John R. Brown, must be paid to Geo. R. Brown, merchant ailor, before 1st January to save costs.

NEW FIGS.
CRANBERRIES
SWEET
POTATOES
Just Received.

WALLBRIDGE & CLARKE

Messina Lemons only 25c per doz.
Florida Oranges only 25 and 30c doz,
Valencia Oranges only 15c per doz.
Fine Cream Candies, 20c per lb.
Mixed Candies, 8 and 10c per lb.
Very Fine Chocolates 20c per lb

Special Bargains in Teas and Coffees during Xmas Week.

ALEX. HARRIS.
Grocer, Belleville.

FEARMAN'S
Prepared Mince Meat
READY FOR PIES
YOUNG
THE GROCER.

THIS MATTER CHANGED DAILY
Monday Dec. 19th.

A REQUEST.

We will be very busy this week selling our Xmas goods. May we respectfully urge the town people to make their purchases early in the week as possible, thus avoiding the crush of Thursday and Saturday. We have a large stock of nice silk handkerchiefs from 15c each up. Also silk shoulder shawls and ties. Remember our silk table covers and matts.

W. FLINT JONES
Corner Front and Br e streets

FURS

—FOR—

XMAS - TRADE

—AT—

BRASIER'S

We are showing for the Holiday Trade our usual fine stock of Furs in Ladies'

CAPES, COLLARS, MUFFS, CAPS, } In all the leading styles and in every kind of Fur.

Gent's Fine Collars and Cuffs, Caps, Gauntlets and Coat Linings.

Ladies' Fine Jackets made to order in Seal, Persian and Grey Lamb in the latest style.

Our stock of Robes and Coats is very large and pric ry low.

Musk Ox Robes Extra Fine Quality.

Gent's Gloves and Mitts—a large assortment

For a nice Christmas Present call and see my stock.

J. Brasier,

The Leading Hatter and Furrier, Front Street Belleville.

THOS. STEWART

Importer of

Anthrecite and Bituminous Coal and Coke

SCRANTON COAL
in Egg, Stove, Nut and mixed sizes.
Pleasant Valley Smithing Coal unexcelled for Blacksmith work of all kinds, also manufacturer's coal.
Office—Bridge Street, Belleville
Telephone A 4.

MAYORALTY.

Ladies and Gentlemen.

Having been requested by a l number of influential electors of the City of Belleville, to offer myself for Mayor for 1893, I have consented to do so and now respectfully solicit your votes and influence.

HARRY FOWELL.

NOVELTIES

FOR

XMAS!

PIC-NIC SETS
TRAVELLING SETS,
CURLING SETS,
BRUSH AND COMB SETS
BON-BON BOXES,
JEWEL BOXES
HANDKERCHIEF SATCHETS
Perfume in Cut Glass and Fancy Bottles.

R. TEMPLETON
Chemist and Druggist,

1870--ESTABLISHED-1870

25 PER CENT. OFF

—AT—

HYMAN'S

For Xmas week only for the following lines:

Shoulder Capes
In all kinds of Furs.

Military Capes
In all kinds of Furs.

FULL LENGTH RUSSIAN CIRCULARS
AND ¾ LENGTHS.
AT
25 per cent. off

S. A. HYMAN
MANUFACTURING FURRIER
Highest price paid for Raw Furs.

WANTED

Ladies and young men to take our work at their own homes; constant employment; work forwarded by mail and we pay good prices; experience not necessary; no canvassing. Address for particulars, Standard Manufacturing Co., Lock Box 107, South Framingham, Mass. Inclose stamps,

DALTON'S FAIR.

SANTA CLAUS HEADQUARTERS.

Our endeavors to make the Fair headquarters for Christmas supplies is more marked this fall than at any other previous time. Our store though large, is not sufficient to accommodate the great crowds at Christmas times. We would therefore urge you to make your selections now while the stock is complete and avoid the crush at Christmas time. We have just received 100 cases of foreign goods, such as albums, dolls, tooth brushes, hair brushes, purses fancy china cups and saucers, vases, jewelery, handsome lemonade sets, glass tea sets beautifully engraved, our assortment of American glassware must be seen to be appreciated. Never have we been able to offer such bargains in albums, ladies workboxes, jewel cases, perfume cases shaving cases, brush an comb cases. Games from 5c up, playing cards from 5c up, beautifull whisk holders, all the latest styles from 49c up. We have something new in dolls, cradles childrens extension tables, sets of furniture, toy picture books, pansy books, magic lanterns 49c up steam engine, skates, doll carriages, childrens sleds and cutters. strong and durable at lowest prices, novels by the best authors 10c worth 35c pocket knives and table cutlery an endless variety to choose from. But perhaps one of the greatest driver is a special line of extra quality writing paper 5 quires (120 sheets) for 17c. We will not attempt to enumerate further, but would invite you to call at Dalton's Fair before purchasing where you can buy good goods at less than bankrupt prices.

WE INVITE

You to come and take a look through our store, during the next 2 weeks. What would Christmas be without some of Dickens' choice candies? We have a selection to choose from this year that surpasses anything ever attempted by us heretofore.

Cadbury's Chocolate English,
Rowntrees " "
Buttercups, Chocolate ——
Italian Cream Mixture,
Star " "
Burnt Almonds, Chocolate Almonds, Walnut Gems, Humby, Choice Bon Bons
Our own Make. Coffee Almonds

C. DICKENS & S)

MAYORALTY

To the Electors of the City of Belleville:

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

I respectfully solicit your votes and influence for Mayor of the City of Belleville for 1893. I was born in Belleville have lived among you all my life, and am personally known to most of you.

I have been an alderman in the City Council for four years and during that time have endeavored to represent my straightforwardly and faithfull...airs, platform is "Economy" in ...to further If elected I will exert my... the best interests ...ectfully,

Yo...

F... S. Wallbridge.

CHRISTMAS CHEER

AND

TABLE DELICACIES

FINEST TABLE RAISINS
FINEST TABLE FIGS
FINEST MALAGA GRAPES
FINEST FLORIDA ORANGES
FINE TABLE PRUNES
FINE TURKISH DATES

New Grenoble Walnuts
New Soft-shell Almonds,
New Sicily Filberts,
New Pecan Nuts,

BISCUITS.

VANILLA SUGAR WAFERS
CHOCOLATE SUGAR WAFERS
LEMON SUGAR WAFERS
RASPBERRY SUGAR WAFERS
SALTED SEAFOAM WAFERS
SALTED SNOWFLAKE WAFERS

CHEESE.

Genuine Roquefort Cheese,
MacLaren's Imperial Cheese [in small crocks]
Canadian Stilton Cheese
Prime old Cheddar Cheese, 1st prize

CROSSE & BLACKWELL'S JAMS AND JELLIES!

CANNED FRUITS & VEGETABLES

Canned Pineapples, Canned Peaches,
British Columbia Egg Plums,
French Mushrooms, [In glass bottles] French Mushrooms, [In tins]
French Peas, [In tins]
Canned String Beans, Canned Green Peas,
Canned Sugar Corn, Canned Tomatoes.

CROSSE & BLACKWELL'S PICKLES

Pickled Walnuts, Pickled White Onions, Pickled Girkins, Pickled Chow Chow
Mixed Pickles, Olives

Christmas Confectionery.

A FINE ASSORTMENT.

FINE BREAKFAST TEAS, COFFEES, COCOAS, AND CHOCOLATES

Fearman's and Lowry's Celebrated Christmas Hams and Bacon.

BALTIMORE OYSTERS
[Direct from the Packers]

Christmas Wines.

POMMERY SEC CHAMPAGNE
MUMM'S CHAMPAGNE
SPARKLING SAUMUR

FINEST OLD PORTS AND SHERRIES.
California Angelica, California Port, Native Wines, St. Augustine, White Catawaba,

CLARETS, BURGUNDIES AND SAUTERNES

ALES AND PORTER.
Bass' English Ale. Guiness' Dublin Stout, Dow's India Pale Ale, Dows Sand Porter, Labatts Pale Ale, Carlings Ale, Davies Ale, etc.

IMPORTED GERMAN LAGER BIER.
IRISH AND SCOTCH WHISKIES.
Burke's Old Irish, J. Jamieson's Old Irish, W. Jamiesons Dublin Whiskey, Highland Blend, Bullock Lade & Co's Loch Katrine Camlachie Malt, Sheriff's Old Islay, Old Gaelic Whiskey, Andrew Usher & Cos Old Vatted Glenlivat Whiskey:

BRANDIES!
Hennessy's V. O. Brandy,
Martell's V. O. Brandy,
Jules Robin & Co's Brandy

LIQUORS, Etc.
Booth's Old Tom Gin, Plymouth Gin,
Fine Old Jamaica Rum Angostura Bitters,
Ginger Wine, Ginger Ale,
Soda Water. Apollinaris Water
Vermouth Bitters.

WALLBRIDGE & CLARKE

JUST A
LITTLE -- WORD
ABOUT
STYLE
AND
QUALITY

A Worthy gift should have in it the substantial elements of quality, that it need not see its day of usefulness limited to the holiday season. We do not offer inferior articles but relative to the price everything is the best in its line

We have endeavored in all departments to show the latest styles, patterns and designs the market affords, and we are confident that after you make us a visit and inspect our goods you will come to conclusion that we have succeeded in every respect. Our stock is stylish and beautiful.

J. C. OVERELL,
Lead... ...aae in new and popular

Mrs. M. B. Merrick,
Of Toronto, Ontario, Cured of

Catarrh and Neuralgia

Good authority has said that "neuralgia is the cry of the nerves for pure blood." The prompt action of Hood's Sarsaparilla on the blood, combined with its toning and strengthening effect upon the nerves, make this a grand medicine for neuralgia and also for catarrh, etc. We commend this letter to all having such troubles, and especially to

Suffering Women

"For a good many years I have been suffering from catarrh, neuralgia and

General Debility

I failed to obtain permanent relief from medical advice, and my friends feared I would never find anything to cure me. A short time ago I was induced to try Hood's Sarsaparilla. At that time I was unable to walk even a short distance without feeling a

Death-like Weakness

overtake me. And I had intense pains from neuralgia in my head, back and limbs, which were very exhausting. But I am glad to say that soon after I began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla I saw that it was doing me good. When I took 3 bottles I was entirely

Cured of Neuralgia

I gained in strength rapidly, and can take a two-mile walk without feeling tired. I do not suffer nearly so much from catarrh, and find that as my strength increases the catarrh decreases. I am indeed a changed woman, and am very grateful to

Hood's Sarsaparilla

for what it has done for me. It is my wish that this my testimonial shall be published in order that others suffering as I was may learn how to be benefited." MRS. M. E. MERRICK, 57 Elm Street, Toronto, Ont.

HOOD'S PILLS cure all Liver Ills, Biliousness, Jaundice, ...

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

To the Electors Ketcheson Ward

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,—I respectfully ask your votes and influence as a Candidate for Alderman for 1893. I am in favor of the reduction of aldermen to at least fourteen to be elected by the whole city. The present wards to remain intact. I will support all measures which as a citizen I think to be in the best interest of the present position and future progress of this city, believing neither in undue municipal extravagance nor in false economy.

WILLIAM N. PONTON.
Belleville, Dec. 1892.

GIVING UP BUSINESS!

For One Week Longer.

THE

SPECIAL - REDUCTION

OF 33 1-3 PER CENT

DISCOUNT SALE

of Books, Fancy Goods, Albums, Bibles' Prayer Books, Musical Instruments, Children's Carriages, Sleighs, and in fact the whole of the large and varied stock,

BARGAINS FOR EVERYBODY.

NOTHING RESERVED

E. HARRISON

WANTED.

A General Servant girl Apply to MRS. GEO. H. POPE. 4t

OLD DR. GORDON'S REMEDY FOR MEN.

FOR GENTLEMEN!

All those suffering from Nervous Debility and Weakness and having been unsuccessfully treated, will find this famous remedy a certain and speedy cure for Lost Manhood, Premature Decay, Inability, Lack of Confidence, Mental Depression, Palpitation of the Heart, Weak Memory, Exhausted Vitality, Errors of Youth, Secret Diseases, Evil Dreams, etc. Price $1 per box, or six boxes, which will cure most cases, for $5, postpaid. All correspondence confidential. Write for circular. Address QUEEN MEDICINE CO'Y Montreal.

BURDOCK

Regulates the Stomach, Liver and Bowels, unlocks the Secretions, Purifies the Blood and removes all impurities from a Pimple to the worst Scrofulous Sore.

BLOOD

CURES
DYSPEPSIA. BILIOUSNESS.
CONSTIPATION. HEADACHE
SALT RHEUM. SCROFULA.
HEART BURN. SOUR STOMACH
DIZZINESS. DROPSY.
RHEUMATISM. SKIN DISEASES

BITTERS

... you tried the

CABLE EXTRA

CIGAR?

CAMMELL MURDER CASE.

THE BROTHER-IN-LAW AND WIFE ON THEIR DEFENCE.

The Evidence Was very Strong Against the Suspect James Rowe—The Jury Passed a Severe Resolution on the Laxity of the Government.

PORT ARTHUR, Dec. 19.—The coroner's jury, who have been investigating the cause of the death of Archie Cammell, who was killed at the door of his own residence in Pearl-street about midnight on Monday, 12th inst., rendered their verdict Saturday. They had five sittings and examined a large number of witnesses, including the wife of deceased and her son by a former marriage, a lad of 10 years of age.

The verdict was to the effect that Cammill came to his death by a gunshot fired by James Rowe, who is a brother-in-law of deceased, and that his wife, Mary Cammell, was accessory after the fact.

The evidence was very strong against Rowe, who was residing in the house with the Cammell family and disappeared immediately after the crime was committed.

He returned to town on the evening of the second day and gave himself up to the authorities.

Rowe is now in custody and will appear before the police magistrate to-day.

The wife of deceased has not been arrested, but may be at any time.

The jury passed a strong resolution on the laxity of the Government in criminal cases in this district.

BLAINE'S SICKNESS.

He Has Rallied After Being on the Threshold of Death.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—All yesterday the life of James G. Blaine hung trembling in the balance. For more than an hour in the forenoon hope was abandoned and the end was momentarily expected. The first crisis was reached between 10 and 11 o'clock in the morning, when a sinking spell set in, from which the worst was feared.

His family were called around the bedside, and his physician sent messenger after messenger to the nearest drug store with prescriptions requiring hasty attention. The distinguished patient lay unconscious and to all appearances dying until shortly before 1 o'clock p. m., when a slight rally set in. His pulse, which had almost ceased to beat, became perceptable and partial consciousness was restored.

The house was lighted early last evening and the physicians held a consultation, but a little after 6 o'clock they said Mr. Blaine's condition showed a slight improvement over the morning. At 11 p.m. Drs. Johnston and Hyatt saw Mr. Blaine again and gave out for publication the following statement:

"Mr. Blaine seems to have rallied entirely from his weakness of this morning and appears to be as well as he has been at any time within the past week, and while it is not possible to say what changes may take place in his condition, he can be said to be in no immediate danger."

TRAVELER'S PERIL.

A Collision—One Man Killed — Several Passengers Injured.

CINCINNATI, O., Dec. 19.—Private advices here state that a collision occurred on the Southern railroad near McKinney, about 12 miles south of Junction city, between No. 1 passenger south bound and a north bound freight.

No. 1 was running by the new schedule and by some mistake the freight was running on the old time. Charles Fagin baggagemaster and United States Express Messenger Kinney were killed.

Several passengers were injured.

VAUGHAN'S DEED.

The Man Who Stabbed the Rabbit Hunters Has Been Again Arrested.

WINNIPEG, Dec. 19.—Harry Vaughan, who in a quarrel at Melita recently stabbed and killed George Randall and seriously wounded his brother, and who was acquitted by a coroner's jury on the ground of self-defence, has been re-arrested and now lies in jail. He will be prosecuted by the Attorney-General on a charge of manslaughter.

TABERNACLE SEIZED.

A Painter Who Was Not Paid $1104.88 Since 1889.

BROOKLYN, N.Y., Dec. 19.—By virtue of an execution issued by Judge Bartlett Saturday Rev. T. De Witt Talmage's tabernacle has been seized by the sheriff to satisfy a judgment of $1104.88 obtained on behalf of Alfred Tong, a painter, who painted the church after the fire in 1889 and has not been paid. An officer is in charge of the seized property.

Alive After Going Over Niagara Falls.

NIAGARA FALLS, N.Y., Dec. 19.—The great falls of Niagara have been conquered, and by a dog. The conquest was witnessed by a little group of people last Sunday afternoon off Luna Island. A large black Newfoundland dog, while lapping the water, slipped off the rock into the rapidly whirling current. In a twinkling he was swept over the American Falls. Out of curiosity the crowd went to the edge to look over the precipice. To the wonder of all the dog was seen to drag himself upon some rocks beside the Cave of the Winds. Four of the spectators decended to the rocks beneath and there found the dog weak and exhausted and bleeding from severe cuts in his flanks. He was carried to the stairs, a doctor sewed up the gashes, and in a few hours the dog was limping around and wagging his tail.

Not to Be Shot.

CITY OF MEXICO, Dec. 19.—There is no truth in the report that Col. Nieves Hernandez, who is charged with having aided Garza to escape, would be shot on to-day. The case is now on appeal to Supreme Military Court. The hearing of the appeal was originally fixed for Monday, but has been indefinitely postponed on account of the absence of the defendant's counsel.

Suppressing Immorality.

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 19.—The Police Commissioners Saturday unanimously instructed the Chief of Police to close saloons at midnight and keep gamblers under cover at all times, and require both to observe respectability on Sunday.

An Earl Dead.

LONDON, Dec. 19.—Lionel Seymour William Dawson-Dawer, the fourth Earl of Port Mrlington, died yesterday.

The Cholera in Germany.

BERLIN, Dec. 19.—The Reichsanzieger announces that five cases of cholera and two deaths have been reported in Hamburg in the last three weeks.

Exports of Gold.

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—The exports of gold this week were $4,250,000.

Satisfied With Him.

MONTREAL, Dec. 15.—It has been definitely decided that there will be no opposition to Hon. J. J. Curran, Solicitor-General, in Montreal Centre.

DEFEATED SOCIALISTS.

The American Federation of Labor Does Not Favor Nationalization

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Dec. 19.—At the closing session of the American Federation of Labor Saturday resolutions were adopted condemning the Rock Island Railroad system for requiring its telegraph operators to withdraw from their organization; asking that tailors be included under the provisions of the alien contract law; condemning the system of advance wages to sailors; favoring changes in the patent laws so that inventors will receive a direct reward; condemning the Baron Hirsch fund and its charitably assisted recipients, and demanding restriction of immigration.

A resolution was unanimously adopted asking clemency for the imprisoned Chicago anarchists, Neebe, Fielden and Schwab.

Emboldened by their success one of the Socialists, delegate Morgan of Chicago, introduced a substitute for a resolution favoring Government control of telegraph and telephone lines. The Socialists wanted a resolution passed asking that the Government control all means of communication, transportation and production, but this was defeated.

ATLANTIC AND PACIFIC.

To Run From Sault Ste. Marie to Gaspe Basin.

MONTREAL, Dec. 19.—A Montreal firm of solicitors give notice of their intention to apply for an act at the next session of Parliament to incorporate the Atlantic and Pacific Railway with power to construct and operate a railway from Sault Ste. Marie in the Province of Ontario to Gaspe Basin in the Province of Quebec, passing through the districts of Algoma and Nipissing, and following the valley of the Ottawa as far as circumstances will permit, passing by or near the cities of Ottawa and Montreal and running through the counties of the south shore of the River St. Lawrence, and with power to purchase or lease any or all railways constructed or authorized to be constructed which can be utilized as part of the line, including the Intercolonial Railway. The Great Northwest Central Railway Company will apply for leave to extend the time for the completion of the road and for power to issue preference shares.

A VALEDICTORIAN.

W. E. Deeks of North Williamsburgh Receives the Appointment.

MONTREAL, Dec. 19.—The final year students of the McGill Medical College met Saturday forenoon and elected their valedictorian for the April convocation. The choice of the class was Mr. W. E. Deeks, B.A. of North Williamsburgh, Ont. He is an old McGill man in point of attendance, as he took his arts course thereat and during the last two years has been demonstrator in geology, and during the illness of Sir William Dawson he has taken charge of the classes in Zoology. The class expect that Mr. Deeks will say farewell to alma mater for them next spring in a most acceptable manner. The Christmas examinations are now in progress and the usual vacation will begin on Thursday next and extend to January 4. A rumor that has gained pretty wide circulation is to the effect that the medical faculty is shortly to receive a very valuable addition to its building. The medical students have all heard of the rumor and sincerely hope it may prove true. The building, it is said, will be presented to the faculty by Mr. W. C. McDonald whose gifts have placed the science faculty on so sound a basis. The building would be largely devoted to pathological and other experimental work, and would also contain a reading room for the use of students between lectures. It is not expected that the announcement will be made until the medical convention which will be held on April 4.

SHE WORE TROUSERS.

The Woman Who Traveled in Male Attire Over the C. P. R.

TACOMA, Wash., Dec. 19.—Mrs. Annie M. Murphy is in jail at Huntsville, Ala., charged with forgery. She is the wife of a Tacoma merchant, from whom she parted recently, to begin a systematic draft forging business. Inside of a month she has uttered $2895 in forged National Bank Commerce drafts, this city, on the Chase National Bank, New York. All of them have been cashed, save one for $350, which she wanted to get cashed in Huntsville, Ala. The Chase National Bank of New York offered a reward for her capture. Mrs. Murphy appeared in male attire. Her father is Senator McRae.

This is the woman who traveled from Port Arthur to Ottawa over the C.P.R. in male attire.

SENSATIONAL DEATH.

A Farmer Found Dead on the Track Near Glencoe.

GLENCOE, Dec. 19.—A rather sensational death occurred at the McAlpine House yesterday. A farmer by the name of Alexander McNabb, who lives on the Longwood road east of here, has been drinking of late somewhat heavily. He is supposed to have left the town for his home at about 11 o'clock last night. Shortly after he was found lying on the track, and was taken back to the hotel, supposed to be dazed with drink and left alone. This morning he was found dead in the sitting room with a cut on his head. How he received the wound is not known.

A LUMBER DEAL.

One of the Most Important Transactions Ever Recorded in Canada.

OTTAWA, Dec. 19.—One of the most important lumber deals ever transacted in Ottawa was effected there late Saturday. Mr. Richard Nagle, who has been negotiating with capitalists to that end for some time past, concluded the sale of 145 miles of timber limits in the Nipissing District. For the purchasers the deal was conducted by Mr. Henderson of New York, who has been in the city for some days for the purpose. The price paid was $150,000.

In Memory of 1837.

MONTREAL, Dec. 19.—Mr. L. O. David, president of St. Jean Baptiste Society, delivered a lecture Saturday evening in Sohmer Park on the patriot of 1837 for the benefit of the monument National. The lecturer praised the patriotism of the victims of the rebellion who secured for the compatriots the rights they now enjoy, and he was loudly applauded. Mr. J. X. Perrault, who presided over the meeting, announced a series of other lectures, including one by Mr. Mercier on January 2. The ex-Premier, who was present, being called on by the audience, said that everything seemed to indicate a renewal of the past struggles. As in in 1837, they had now to fight against the enemies of their race, who believe that the British flag is not large enough to cover all nationalities and all creeds. It was important, then, for all patriots to rally and courageously vindicate the rights which the constitution guarantees to the Catholic and French minority in the land. They must claim their rights—nothing more and nothing less.

Bringing the Spree Crowd Over.

LONDON, Dec. 9.—The steamer Havel sailed from Queenstown for New York yesterday with the passengers and cargo of the disabled steamer Spree.

NEW STYLE OF WARFA[RE]

CROTON OIL WAS TO BE USED [AT] HOMESTEAD.

But the Cooks Refused—They Were [to] Get $50 Each and a Gold Watch [and] Chain — Rhubarb, Snuff and Ot[her] Things in the Powders.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 19.—The hearing in [the] case of Robert Beatty, charged w[ith] having been a party to a plot to poison [non]union men employed in the Carnegie s[teel] works at Homestead, was held at the of[fice] of Ald. McMasters Saturday. Pat[rick] Gallagher, the informer, was not present.

J. M. Davidson, a steamboat cook, w[as] the first witness. He stated that in Aug[ust] in company with Gallagher they met Bea[tty] in Pittsburg.

"It was understood," he said, "that [we] were to go to Homstead as cooks, and w[e were] to take something with us and put it i[n the] food given the non-union men in order [to] make them sick and render them unfit [for] work.

"Beatty took us to the office of [the] Knights of Labor, where we met Mas[ter] Workman Hugh Dempsey. Gallag[her] and Dempsey did most of the talki[ng]. Beatty suggested dosing the men w[ith] croton oil. I said, no. Dempsey said [he] knew a powder which would do better. [He] said he had used these powders in Chica[go] and he would guarantee us $50 each a[nd] our expenses.

"We got no powder that day. We th[en] left the hall together. Beatty said we w[ould] each to get $50 and a gold watch and ch[ain] if we went. Gallagher went to Homeste[ad] two days after that. I went up Sept. [..] Beatty gave me some powders to take [to] Gallagher. There were nine powders [in] the package and I gave them to Gallagh[er]. I don't know whether they were used.

"Before that Gallagher had be[en] given a small package from Dem[p]sey. One powder was enough [to] put in 30 gallons of tea or coffee. T[his] was in the K. of L. hall and Beatty w[as] present. Later, when Gallagher, Beat[ty] and I went to the K. of L. hall, Dempse[y] asked how the powders worked. Beat[ty] said, successfully, and wanted mo[re]. Dempsey said he would get more [on] December 1.

I asked Beatty what was in t[he] powders. He said, rhubarb, snuff a[nd] other things. He did not say who fu[r]nished them. While we were talking [he] mentioned Lynch, Crawford and Dr. P[...]man.

Mr. Brennan gave him a severe cross-e[x]amination and did not shake his story [in] any particular. He insists that he h[ad] not administered any powder to the men. [He] said he was arrested late in November a[nd] taken into St. Nichol building and w[as] sworn and told the story he had just to[ld] and was released.

Detective J. H. Ford testified to heari[ng] Beatty describe the powders, and Gallagh[er] says: "Tom Brady suggested using crot[on] oil."

Louis Wolfers, steward of the Homste[ad] mill restaurant, testified to serious a[nd] rapid increase of illness among the m[en] after Gallagher's employment. That hi[m]self and his wife were yet suffering from [its] effects. His wife, he thought, would die.

W. E. Bullocks and Joseph Leslie, pa[y]roll clerks, also suffered from the drugs a[nd] testified to its effect upon them.

Mr. Brennan then endeavored to secu[re] the release of his client, but the alderm[an] held him for court in $5000 bail.

Mr. Brennan thought this amount e[x]cessive and was directed by the alderm[an] to go into court on Monday and ask t[he] court to fix the amount.

THREE MEN BURNED.

Collision on the Great Northern Railw[ay] —Four Men Killed.

ALEXANDRIA, Minn., Dec. 19.—A frigh[t]ful accident occurred on the Great Nort[h]ern Railroad yesterday morning at Nels[on] station, five miles east of here, in whic[h] eight men were killed and five were se[ri]ously injured. There had been a collisi[on] Friday morning at Nelson, and a numb[er] of cars were wrecked. The wreck tra[in] had been there two days clearing up a[nd] making up preparatory to pulling out [for] the east.

At about 1 o'clock this morning t[he] wreck train caboose was left standing [on] the main track with a number of cars. A[n] eastbound freight struck the wreck tra[in] and threw the caboose on the top of t[he] next car, setting both on fire.

There were 14 men in the caboose. O[f those who] jumped off, five were hurt, three we[re] burned beyond recognition and four we[re] killed. One was burned up, not a sign [of] his remains being found.

The men killed were asleep in the ca[]boose when the engine struck it. The i[n]jured were promptly removed to this plac[e] where medical aid was given them. Th[e] men that were burned presented a horrib[le] sight, being literally charred. The co[r]oner began an inquest to-day.

HIS SAMSONIAN STRENGTH.

And His Oratory Are Not Sufficient t[o] Give Him the Leadership.

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—The Times' Lo[n]don cable says: "The historic indispositio[n] of English politicians and editors to min[d] their own business is displaying itself ju[st] now in an effort of certain Liberal news[]papers to boom Edward Blake as the prope[r] leader of the Irish National Party.

"I suppose the effort is well meant, bu[t] it rather taxes the patience of Irishmen t[o] act as if they liked it. Blake may be use[]ful in the House, particularly as the Eng[]lish seem much struck by his Canadia[n] oratorical methods and his fine head of hai[r] but there is no earthly prospect of his bein[g] considered as a possible successor to Justi[n] McCarthy, who, indeed, needs no succes[]sor."

Typhus in Mexico.

GALVESTON, Tex., Dec. 19.—A specia[l] from Eagle Pass to The News says: A re[]sponsible gentleman who arrived yesterda[y] from the interior of Mexico reports a[n] epidemic of typhus prevailing in sev[]eral Mexican cities. At Zacikatas the ravage[s] of the disease have been terrible, and whil[e] he could not learn the number of death[s] which had occurred, it was ascertaine[d] that seven physicians had succumbed to th[e] epidemic.

Mr. Haggart's New Secretary.

OTTAWA, Dec. 19.—An order has be[en] passed appointing Mr. J. H. Balders[on] private secretary to Hon. J. G. Haggart, Minister of the Department of Railways and Canals, in place of Mr. A. P. Bradley.

Justifiable Homicide.

WINNIPEG, Dec. 19.—An inquest int[o] the death of George Randall, who wa[s] stabbed to death on Saturday last by Henry Vaughn at Melita, Man., was hel[d] Saturday. Vaughn was acquitted, th[e] coroner's jury giving a verdict of justifiable homicide.

A Steamer Race.

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—The steamers City of Paris and Etruria started at 2 p.m. Satur[]day for a race across the ocean.

A Bomb Exploded.

VIENNA, Dec. 10.—The Tageblatt says that a large bomb exploded near the dwell[]ings of the workmen in the great iron work[s] of Krupp's nephew at Bernsdorf. M[...] damage was caused to property.

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The ONTARIO has the Largest Bona-fide Circulation of any Paper in the Midland District.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

DR. Werner Siemens, the great electrician who died in Berlin last week at the age of 76 years, had many claims upon the good will of mankind, for the skill with which he applied his chemical knowledge to the improvement of art. He invented electrogilding, the electric automatic recording telegraph, the application of gutta percha to telegraph cables, the pneumatic tube for the carriage of parcels, and many similar things. It was most natural that at his funeral in Berlin on Saturday the citizens should turn out by tens of thousands to do him honor, that the Prime Minister of the German Empire and other high officials should attend, and that Mr. Edison, the great American electrician, should send a floral wreath for the coffin simply inscribed "To my Friend."

SIR John Abbott's name appears to have been dropped from the roll of the Cabinet in a rather surprising way. The Montreal Herald says that it was in the list furnished to the Empire, the leading organ of the government, for the morning of the 6th. This seems to show that there was no intention then of leaving Abbott out, but, apparently, it became necessary to drop him, there were so many Quebec men in, in order to allay the rapidly rising feeling of Ontario against the larger representation given to Quebec.

FROM paragraphs that have been written and remarks that have been made one might be led to suppose that at the death of Jay Gould villainly was banished from Wall street. But this is a mistake. Jay Gould dealt with men like himself and met them with their own weapons. He would have sunk out of sight years ago had he done otherwise. A contemporary very sensibly remarks that whatever may be thought of his notions of moral justice he at least had the courage of his convictions, and the money which he won or extracted from his fellow speculators he held entirely in his family by his will. Unlike so many men who are good only in their declining years Mr. Gould made no knavish peace offering of gold on his deathbed, either to God or to public opinion.

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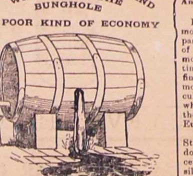

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EUROPE'S FINANCES.

An Almost Unprecedented Condition of the English Money Market.

LONDON, Dec. 19.—The condition of the money market manifested during the week past is almost unprecedented at this time of the year. Discount rates for three months' bills were the lowest quoted at any time in December since 1873. The week's final discount quotations were 1⅝ for three months and 1 for short. Bankers find difficulty in employing money, the case of which here is largely due to the fact that the American gold exports are supplying European demands.

There was no activity in business on the Stock Exchange last week, and a general downward tendency was manifest. Uncertainity with regard to the future of silver had a depressing effect in several directions. The silver market was an entirely cash market. Supplies offered for forward delivery were disposed of only at great reductions.

There was a fair enquiry from Indian banks, but only for immediate delivery. Preference was given to Merchants' bills and other forms of remittance for forward delivery. British funds were a trifle higher. Indian loans were lower in sympathy with silver. International funds were quiet and the changes were only fractional. Argentine securities rose slightly in sympathy with the change in the gold premium. The new Chilian loan rose to 2½ premium.

The feature of the market was a steady demand for Transvaal fives, which closed 1 1-2 higher, making an increase of 10 1-2 since July, when the loan was issued at 90. A steady enquiry by Dutch investors is largely responsible for the rise. English railway securities were irregular, with a declining tendency, due to unfavorable traffic returns. In American railroads there was a nearly all-round decline in sympathy with the movement in New York, the inclination to sell manifested there meeting with a responsive feeling here. The week's variation in the prices of American railroad securities include the following:

Decreases—Denver and Rio Grande preferred and Northern Pacific preferred 1⅝ each; Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe mortgage 1½; Louisville and Nashville 1¼; Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe shares and Norfolk and Western preferred ⅝ each; Denver and Rio Grande common and Wabash preferred ½ each.

Increases—Lake Shore ⅝; Union Pacific ½.

Canadian securities shared in the almost geneneral relapse. G. T. R., after a good inquiry, due to improved traffic prospects, weakened and declined, first preference closing 1¼ lower. Mexican railway was in good favor, owing to satisfactory traffic returns; seconds closed 1½ higher and first 1 higher. Argentine railways were stronger, Buenos Ayres closing 1 higher and Central Argentine ½ higher. Central Uruguay Railway advanced 4. Bank and brewery shares were much firmer. Chartered mercantile Bank of India rose to 7 on the satisfactory allotment of shares of the new company. Guinness' brewery closed one higher.

BARRED FROM FREEDOM.

The Panama Canal Operators Under Arrest Cannot Have Bail.

PARIS, Dec. 19.—M. Lauer, whose residence was searched by the police is at present in America.

An entry in one of the books of Thierree & Co., the Coulisse firm, shows that Joseph Reinach, son-in-law of Baron Reinach, received 40,000 francs from the firm. Joseph Reinach says that he received the money as a dowry and that he is willing to return the amount to the liquidator of the Panama Canal Co. if it can be shown the money came from the company's fund.

The officers of newspapers which received money from the Panama Canal Co. will be searched at once, and unless it is found the money was entirely expended in advertising, the proprietor or others who accepted the money will be prosecuted.

Baron Cottu, one of the accused directors of the Panama Canal Company, who fled from Paris to Vienna to escape arrest, left Vienna to-night.

The report was circulated last evening that Senator Jules Guychard would be made president of the Suez Canal Company in place of Charles de Lesseps.

Application was made to Magistrate Franqueville to-day to release de Lesseps, Sans-Leroy and Fontaine on bail. Responsible bondsmen were ready to sign the papers, but the magistrate refused even to discuss the possibility of such release. He added that nobody would be allowed to see the prisoners until after the examination of the documents seized in their offices.

A General Strengthening.

PARIS, Dec. 19.—Business on the Bourse was unsettled during the past week. A general strengthening greeted M. Rouvier's return to office, but his subsequent sudden resigning of the finance portfolio caused a heavy decline in rentes until M. Tirard was announced as his successor, when an upward movement set in again. International funds were less affected, but their tendency was downward. Bank of France shares receded 20 points owing to reports that the extension of the bank's privileges would be deferred. Credit Foncier was severely attacked on the resignation of M. Rouvier, but afterwards partly recovered, closing, however, with a decline of 31 francs. Railway securities show a general decline of from 10 to 15 francs. Rio Tintos closed 10 points lower.

Slight Revival.

BERLIN, Dec. 19.—There was a slight revival in business on the Boerse during the past week. International funds were firmer, but home funds still show a slight decline. American bonds have risen, and business therein appears likely to undergo substantial expansion in the course of time. Industrials shares are declining, owing to the stagnant condition of trade throughout the country.

A Bloodless Duel,

PARIS, Dec. 19.—A duel, growing out of Thursday's heated debate in the Chamber of Deputies, was fought Saturday, Deputy Aren, Republican, having challenged Deputy Gabriel, Boulangist, Two shots were exchanged, but nobody was hurt,

Business Quiet.

FRANKFORT, Dec. 19.—On the Boerse during the past week business was quiet and prices were firm, especially in the case of international funds. The final quotations include: Hungarian gold rentes 96, Mexican sixes 77, Austrian credit 26, short exchange on London 20.33, private discount 3 3-8.

Will Remain At His Post.

VIENNA, Dec. 19.—President Carnot, says a despatch from St. Petersburg, has informed the Czar that he will remain at his post under any circumstances to save France from internal disturbance.

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WILKESBARRE, Pa., Dec. 19.—Mrs. Rebecca Flynn has sued Dr. Hill of Scranton, for $10,000 damages. She says he fractured one of her front teeth while performing a dental operation.

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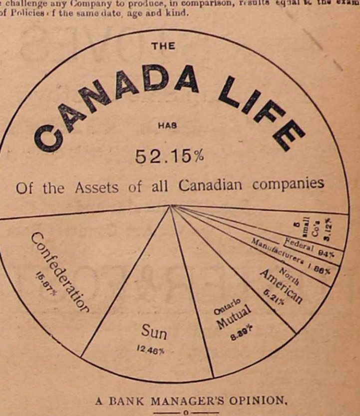

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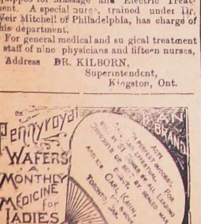

GERMANY WILL PREVENT

IF POSSIBLE A RUSSIAN - FRENCH ALLIANCE.

Bismarck Not Mentioned in the Debates—The Probable Effect of the Panama Canal Scandal Discussed—Bribes Received in Russia.

BERLIN, Dec 19.—Although the composition of the committee of the Reichstag to which the Army Bill has been referred at first might appear unpromising for the Government its elements admit of such grouping under the inducements that Chancellor von Caprivi may offer as will enable the ministers to get a majority. The committee, which comprises 28 members, is made up of three Social Democrats, six members of the Freisinnige party, eight Centrists or Clericals, two Poles, three National Liberals, one Free Conservative and five Right Conservatives.

If the Chancellor reduces the money vote to 40,000,000 marks and modified the Government's demands for an increase in the present peace effective, the bill will have a chance of approval; in its present shape it will stand no chance whatever of becoming a law.

The implied threat of the Chancellor in his speech, when the bill was presented to the Reichstag, to dissolve the House and have a new election in the event of the measure being rejected, has had little, if any, effect upon the Conservatives.

The Kreuz Zeitung, whose editor, Herr Von Hammerstein, is among the Conservative representatives on the committee declares that the bill will not pass, adding that a coalition between the Centrists and Conservatives in favor of supporting Chancellor Von Caprivi was improbable before the Reichstag adjourned.

Lobby report has it that the Chancellor, feeling indisposed and worried at seeing that it was improbable that he would obtain the assent of the Reichstag to his full demands for an increase of the standing army, told the Emperor that he would gladly resign the cares of office. His Majesty, however, was not disposed to give the Chancellor any encouragement in retreating under fire. He expressed his determination to make the army bill a law, even at the risk of an appeal to the country. He assured Count von Caprivi that he would stand by him under all circumstances. The Chancellor gained renewed courage from his interview with the Emperor and assented to remain in office and fighting the battle out through dissolution of the Reichstag if need be.

A notable feature in the debates has been the omission of all allusions to Prince Bismarck or any reference to his opinions. His old adherents avoided introducing his name in the discussions and also avoided indulging in their old comparisons between the policy of Chancellor von Caprivi and that followed by Prince Bismarck.

The developments in the Panama scandal are watched with the keenest interest, and, it may be said, anxiety. The one comfort to Germany is that the spectacle of corruption and confusion among the France political leaders lessens the Russian desire to make France an ally.

Advices received here from St. Petersburg show that information recently reached the Czar that a certain Russian paper had received from Paris the sum of $100,000 for advocating a Russo-French alliance. He at once ordered an enquiry to be made, which resulted in the discovery that the report was not only true, but that part of the bribes distributed by the Panama Canal Company had been accepted by prominent persons in Russia.

The Russian court party, under the lead of M. Pobedonoszeff, are hostile to a French alliance, and they seized the opportunity to work on the Czar's prejudices against French Republicans.

The German Foreign Office is hopeful that Gen. Werder, the new German ambassador to Russia, will succeed in detaching the Czar from France, and so lead to a new grouping of the powers. Another, and to Germany a far more important view of the situation, is that the chaos in France may produce an adventurer who would hazard war with Germany as the best stroke to carry himself into power.

The Hamburg and Berlin bourses were disturbed yesterday by a report that 20 cases of cholera and four deaths from the disease had occurred at Hamburg. official denials of the story were issued. The report had its origin in the fact that the authorities were cleaning out the people residing in dirty and overcrowded tenements.

The Emperior is little seen in public now. He is constantly away hunting. Social life at the court will commence on New Year's Day with the usual grand reception. The Imperial family will come to Berlin from Potsdam on Dec. 31.

NO RESULT YET.

The Monetary Conference Has Adjourned—Intends to Reassemble.

BRUSSELS, Dec. 19.—After M. Direnzis' motion had been proposed at the Monetary Conference yesterday, Senator Allison made a short speech in behalf of the United States delegation. He laid emphasis upon the fact that throughout the debate no one had suggested that either of the money metals be discarded. During the adjournment he said the delegates would have time to study the Rothschild and other proposals that had been submitted.

Mr. Bertram Currie of the British delegation objected to the re-assembling of the conference on the ground that as three previous monetary conferences had failed there was little prospect of the present one being a success.

Sir C. Rivers-Wilson of the British delegation concurred in the opinion of Mr. Currie.

Senator Allison said that it was understood that the governments of all the nations concerned should reserve to themselves absolute independence in their respective monetary policies during the recess, that nobody was bound to do anything and all might employ the time as they thought proper.

M. Direnzi's proposal was adopted and the conference adjourned.

The Queen's Courtesy.

LONDON, Dec. 19.—It is officially announced that the Queen, at the request of the Government at Washington, has decided to loan for exhibition at the Chicago Fair Leonardo da Vinci's original drawing of the first map of America, now in the Queen's collection at Windsor Castle. The officials of the British Museum have agreed to permit the copying of any documents bearing on early history of America for exhibition at Chicago.

Storm Off Scotland.

LONDON, Dec. 19.—A heavy gale swept the southeast coast of Scotland yesterday. Several coasting schooners were stranded in the early hours, and the crews were taken off in lifeboats. The shore is strewn with wreckage, but as yet no loss of life has been reported.

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All through the Provinces the rapid increase of La Grippe, is causing great alarm. A report was received here to-day, of a new development of the disease, which is worse, perhaps than any other. Wm. Hanley of N. Y. City, died in terrible agony after sickness of only four days. His tongue swelled to such an extent as to make it impossible for him to close his jaws or swallow any food. The report is causing the people in this district to inquire into the noted Grip-cure, recently referred to in so many papers. In Cape Breton the disease has spread very rapidly and with fatal results. D. J. Killop of L'Archeveque writes Feb. 11th that this cure has been tried in his neighborhood and with such success that all those residing there are obtaining a supply believing it to be the only remedy affording relief and effecting a certain cure. He finished his letter by asking for a large quantity of the Medicine (Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills) to supply the demands of the community for the relief of LaGrippe.

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"Does it insure against loss by lightning?"

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"Certainly, with the usual restrictions."

"I think that is the kind of company I should insure in," said the caller, after a thoughtful pause, "if I had anything to insure. May I ask for half a dozen blotting pads? Thanks. Good morning."—Chicago Tribune.

A Cheap Feed.

In grinding corn into meal for family use, large flouring mills reject the soft part and germ, using only the flinty portion. This refuse can be used only for cattle feed and is even better for that purpose than the same weight of clear corn meal. It is bulky, weighing about 25 lbs. to the bushel. It can be bought for $10 to $12 per ton and is not on the market, as dealers and farmers near the mills buy the most of it.

Nice For a Donkey.

He thought, and always had thought, that he was born a humorist.

"What quantities of dry grasses you have collected, Miss Jones! Nice room for a donkey to get into."

"Make yourself at home," she said, sweetly.

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A FINE LOT JUST RECEIVED, Also Florida Oranges, Jamaica Oranges, Lemons, Bananas, etc.

Our oysters are received daily and cannot excelled in the city.

FLEMING'S

Fresh Confectionery every day.

LADIES!

If you desire a transparent CLEAR, FRESH complexion FREE from blotch, blemish, roughness, coarseness or pimples, use

Old Dr. Gordon's PEARLS OF HEALTH.

They are all Suppressions and Irregularities, and Make Woman Regular.

They create New Rich Red Blood, which makes the cheeks.

Wasting Discharges Cease. The Result becomes Sweet and Healthful. Nervous Prostration Vanishes. Eyes Bright and Strong. Spirits Buoyant. The Skin Clear, and the Forces Nervous Prostrated Woman becomes A New Being.

Must not be taken during first four months of pregnancy.

Price $1. Six packages $5. Sent by mail securely sealed upon receipt of price. Write for circular. Address

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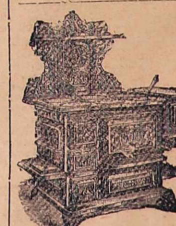

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Chase and Sanborn's Coffee

The quality of the Coffee we sell under our trade mark is our best advertisement.

This Seal is our trade mark, and guarantees perfection of quality, strength and flavor.

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A Grand Selection of Ladies' Capes, Mantles and Jackets For Winter in New Styles and Materials.

At very moderate prices. Also

Maids' Jackets, Reefers & Paletots

Together with a full range, lately opened, of the Genuine

Heptonette Waterproof Cloaks

They are quite Rainproof and free from the disagreeable odor of rubber Goods.

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STRENGTH IS WHAT Johnstons Fluid Beef IMPARTS

Forms Sinew and Muscle, and gives soundness to the Constitution.

The Dry Goods Stock of REID & CO

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Mantles and Jackets, Dress Goods Mantle Cloths, Sealettes Tweeds and Overcoatings, Gloves & Hosiery, Flannels, Velvets and Plushes, Silks & Satins, Ribbons & Feathers.

REMEMBER, the whole stock must be sold. Secure Bargains.

GENTLEMEN!

Have you examined our ENDOWMENT POLICY? If not it is time you did. This plan is a specialty with us. We can give you a safe and paying investment, besides having your risk carried during the 10, 15 or 20 years as the case may be. Particulars and all information cheerfully given by

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Grain Wanted.

I have recently secured the use of the Union Elevator, Belleville and am now prepared to pay the highest prices for all kinds of grain. Will contract for large quantities. Call and see me before you sell.

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Have a complete stock, Raisins of all varieties. Currants, Figs, Dates, Citron, Orange and Lemon Peels, Baisins, Jellies, all flavors, Choice Confectionery, Almonds, Walnuts, etc. Use the "Elevator" Baking Powder. It is the best.

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D. L. CAVEN. Restores Falling hair to its original color. Stops falling of hair. Keeps the Scalp clean. Makes hair soft and Pliable. Promotes Growth.

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to Hon. J. J. Curran, Solicitor General, in Montreal Centre. [illegible] with the passengers and cargo of the [illegible] damage was caused to property. disabled steamer Spree.

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he best value in the city.
'e sell these fancy goods at lower prices
they are usually sold at.
e our window of these goods and note
prices.
ilk Handkerchiefs—Embroidered.
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everal lines of fancy Woollens at about
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A few Fur Capes.
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A few Capes,
These are about half price. We wish to
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ADIES' ASTRACHAN JACKETS,
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Robes—Black.
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House Furnishings

A fine assortment of Curtains,
A fine assortment of Blinds,
A fine assortment of Oilcloths,
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A fine assortment of Rugs,
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Carpets.

Bargains in carpets for the Xmas trade.
f you require a carpet purchase before Xmas
nd we will give you a bargain.

JAS. W. DUNNET

Glasgow Warehouse,
Belleville, Dec. 14th, '92.

THE DAILY ONTARIO

BELLEVILLE, MONDAY, DEC. 19TH

PROBABILITIES.

Lakes—Westerly winds; light, local snowfalls: lower temperature.

St. Lawrence, upper—Westerly winds; a light fall of snow.

TOLD IN A LINE OR TWO

Geo. Fax of Belleville will sing at the Foresters concert in Odessa on Thursday evening Dec. 22nd.

Mr. Larke who was transferred from Belleville to Trenton recently has been reinstated in his old position in the Grand Trunk offices here.

Mr. John Gough, of the Boiler inspection and Insurance Co., Toronto, has been in town on official business during the past week.

REMINDER—Auction of papers and magazine for 1893 in the lecture room of Bridge St. church to-night at nine (9) o'clock.

Officer Cook yesterday found a white boa on the corner of Dundas and Front streets which awaits a claimant at the police station.

A petition will be presented to Dr. Gibson, requesting him to offer himself for the mayoralty. The requsition is largely signed.

On Saturday night six pair of kid gloves were stolen from in front of Geo. Dulmage's store on Front street. The gloves were worth $1.25 a pair. Sergt, Downs found two pair of the gloves at Alex. Wardraugh's second hand store, to whom they had been sold by a man for 40 cents who represented himself as belonging to Toronto.

Kathleen Orr, the nine-year old daughter of John R, Orr, editor and proprietor of the Madoc Review, died yesterday of inflamation after an illness of only two hours. The remains will be buried on Wednesday at 2 p.m. Mr. Orr has the sympathy of a large number of friends in his sad bereavement.

A lecture will be given in St. Thomas' church hall to-morrow (Tuesday) evening, 20th, by Rev. W. M. Edwards, late of the "Universities Mission." Subject, "What I saw in Central Africa. Admission 15cts. Mr. Edwards was for some years engaged in mission work in Central Africa and can speak from experience of that interesting country. 1td

Michael Brennan, brother of Mrs. John J. Shea, Church street, died this morning at half-past one of consumption at the age of twenty-eight. The deceased was a former resident of Tyendinaga. For several years past he has been a faithful employee of John Frost, furniture manufacturer. He was a former member of No. 2 fire company.

The Grand Trunk Railway Company are already arranging for the World's Fair. They are having over two hundred special passenger cars built for the Chicago traffic. Of these five are already completed and are now in operation on the line. They have all distinguished literary names—Dante, Goethe, Dickens, Scott and Burns. They leave Montreal every morning except Sunday at 10.35. They are all Pullmans of the latest and most substantial style of construction, each costing about $20.000.

MARRIED.

GRAHAM—MCGILL.—At the residence of Mr. Rahal, brother-in-law to the bride, Norwood, on Monday Dec. 12. by the Rev. Wm. Buckanan, Chas. K. Graham, of Belleville, to Maggie McGill, of Norwood.

DIED

BRENNAN—At the residence of his sister, Mrs. J. J. Shea, Church street, Michael Brennan, on Monday Dec. 19th, 1892, aged 28 years.

Funeral on Wednesday morning 9 o'clock to Marysville, R. C. cemetery, Tyendinaga.

Friends and acquaintances will please accept this notice.

For Swellings and Felons

GENTLEMEN.—My little girl, age 3, had a large swelling on her neck. used Hagyard's Yellow Oil on it and disappeared in a short time. It als cured a felon I was troubled with.

MRS. C. E. Wendover, Manda, Man

For four thousand years or more the world groaned, suffered and fumed about its corns, for their was no positive relief—no cerain and painless cure until Dr. Scott Putman gave to the world his great Corn Extractor. If there is suffering now it is a result of carelessness, for the remedy is at hand. Try Putman's Corn Extractor. It is sure painless, and prompt. Beware of substitutes. N. C. Polson & Co. proprieters, Kingston.

RAMBLES IN ROME

MISS ELLA GARDINER CONTINUES AN INTERESTING LETTER.

What She saw in Florence—Venice, the City of Canals—Where Queen Victoria Lives When in Florence.

Miss Ella Gardiner, preceptress of Albert College, in a letter this week to her father, Rev. Dr. Gardiner, continues an interesting account of her trip through Europe, which the ONTARIO has been accorded the privelege of publishing:

VENICE, Nov. 27th.

Another Sunday has come around, and with it my time for afternoon chat with you. As usual, Mrs. Livingston is seated near me and Mr. L. has gone off for a walk, and to visit nature, as he says. It is a very beautiful day—the sun shining brightly, but still it is cold. We are very comfortable here however, seated in the parlor of the Hotel de' Roma, with a big white porcelain, German stove warming the room, and no one here to disturb us. Our hotel is right on the Grand Canal, apparently rising out of the water like the majority of houses and buildings in Venice. I must go back to Florence though, and begin where my last letter ended. Monday morning we visited one of the most interesting churches in Florence, Santa Maria Novella. Its facade is white marble, like many of the other Florentine churches, and its cloisters are most interesting Then we started on our rounds, going first to to the chapel back of the high altar to see several frescoes by Ghirlandago. Afterwards we went to another chapel and saw the Madonna by Arnabrie. It is one of the most lovely faces I have ever seen—grave and solemn yet full of sweetness. We were told it was painted in twelve hundred and something, and that when it was carried through the streets to the church, the people all knelt in homage, almost worshipping it. Next we went to the opposite chapel to see some wonderful paintings of hell and paradise, and then in company with a most genial priest, we all visited the Spanish chapel, very celebrated for its frescoes and paintings representing the spread and power of the church. To us the conception was quite amusing—the friars were represented as striped dogs chasing the heretics or wolves. Lastly, we went through the cloisters to see some frescoes by Giotto, which Ruskin praises very highly. The church was large and there was so much to see in it that before we were through, the bell rang for twelve, and we found we had spent our whole morning there. After a good luncheon, for we were greatly pleased with our hotel in Florence, we started on a trip to Frisole, a town lying on the mountains back of Florence. Frisole is very old, as one of the Etruscan cities and the mother of Florence. An electric car runs every hour from Florence to Frisole, so we availed ourselves of this opportunity for a most charming ride. We were soon beyond the walls of Florence, and then the ascent commenced, gradual at first, but soon becoming steeper. We passed villa after villa and vineyard after vineyard, sometimes having most exquisite views, and again being shut in between high walls. At last we were half way up, and reached a large Dominican monastery from which one can see the villa which Boccaccio makes the scene of his Decamerone. This is also the villa in which Queen Victoria lives when she visits Florence. We kept on ascending for some distance, till we were at the summit of the mountain and found ourselves in the midst of a queer old town. At once we were surrounded with women, selling all kinds of pretty straw fans and baskets, for that is the chief occupation of the people of Frisole. (I mean straw plaiting). We couldn't resist buying, though I fear we will not have very good luck in carrying them home. We went to see the old Etruscan and Roman walls and also a Roman amphitheatre and baths that have been discovered by excavating. They are quite as wonderful as those in Pompeii. Then we visited the old cathedral and a museum full of Etruscan vases, coins, sculpture and other relics. But what we enjoyed most of all were the charming views of Florence and the whole surrounding country.

As you already know Venice is built on the water, but probably you don't know just how. I believe it occupies one hundred and fifty three islands, most of them very small, these being separated by canals for streets and joined together occasionally by bridges. The Grand Canal in the shape of a great S., goes through the principal part of the city and is bordered by the finest palaces, churches, museums, banks and other public buildings. At one end of the canal are some public gardens, laid out under the direction of Napoleon I, then a large arsenal and a very fine quay, extending the length of several streets. After that the houses rise right out of the water separated from each other only by very narrow streets which suddenly end on the shore of the canal. We here had great sport trying to find our way about. St. Mark's and Doge's Palace are on a very large and very beautiful square. And there are two or three streets of a little less than ordinary width leading to this. Everywhere else the streets are from two to four or five feet in width and the houses are so high that it is utterly impossible for a ray of sun to penetrate them. Consequently it is very cold here and as this is the season for fogs and mists, we have been a little unfortunate in our choice of time for a visit. They tell us here in the hotel that November, December and January are their cold months, all the others being warm and pleasant. The shops are more attractive than anywhere else we have seen, being full of Venetian glass, Venetian mosaics, Venetian lace, the work of Venetian artists Venetian silks, etc. We spent one morning going through a Venetian glass and mosaic manufactory and another visiting a lace manufactory under the patronage of Queen Margherita. In the glass manufactory we saw them blowing glass beads and ornamenting them with all kinds of colors and designs. Nothing showed until the beads cooled and then the beauty disclosed itself. We also saw girls with regular wheels spinning glass so finely that we could scarcely see the threads.

(To be Continued.)

Christmas Rates.

The Canadian Pacific Railway are offering special reduced rates for Christmas and New Year's holidays. Tickets sold at a fare and one third according to time limit. Special inducements to students and teachers of schools. Particulars obtained on application to S. Burrow's Agent, Belleville.

You will save money by getting your stoves and ranges from Deacon & Doy

Green is showing a very nice line of perfumes in plain and f bottles, also bulk.

Lovely fresh Haddock received by express at Goldsmith's Fish Store, Market Square—Ciscoes, Finnan Haddie, Yarmouth Bloats, etc. 6td

If you want a Cough-mixture that your wife can take without making a face at you, and your children will cry for, and that will cure their coughs and colds quicker than anything you ever brought home to them, then get Magnus Expectorant.

GHOULS AGAIN AT WORK

Students Make a Successful Raid on the Napanee Burying Ground.

Last week parties visiting the Napanee cemetery discovered that the grave of Nancy Pringle, who died and was buried a few days ago, had been tampered with, and upon examination the body was found to have been removed. The parties who dug up the grave the second time to discover if the body was still there found a memorandum book in the grave, bearing the name of one of the students at Queen's college, Kingston, and memorandum of the taking of several bodies in this vicinity. Among the names is that of Abram Maracle, whose body was stolen from the Mohawk reserve some days ago. The book it is supposed, dropped from the pocket of the student while he was filling up the grave. It is said a lawyer has the case in hand and the guilty parties will be prosecuted.

THAT MADOC SUICIDE

Geo Haggerty Thought that he was Drugged for Evil Purposes

DEAR SIR.—Mr. Geo. Haggarty, who so recently suicided, was undoubtedly insane. He called upon me a few days ago and told a story abounding in absurdities, about two men who had repeatedly drugged his wife and himself, for evil purposes. I did not know him, but he introduced himself as a son of the late Marmaduke Haggarty. It is regretable that friends and neighbors who must have observed his mental condition, had not taken the necessary proceedings to have had him sent to the asylum. About forty-six per cent. of those sent to that institution are cured. J. J. B. FLINT.

Dame Nature is a Good Book-keeper

She don't let us stay long in her debt before we settle for what we owe her. She gives us a few years' grace at the most, but the reckoning surely comes. Have you neglected a cough or allowed your blood to grow impure without heeding the warnings? Be wise in time, and get the world famed Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, which cures as well as promises. As a blood renovator, a lung-healer, and a cure for scrofulous taints, it towers above all others, as Olympus over-tops a mole hill. To warrant a commodity is to be honorable and above deception and a guarantee is a symbol of honest dealing. You get it with every bottle of the "Discovery." By druggists.

THREE YOUNG GIRLS DROWNED

The Ice on Restoule Lake Gives way and Engulfs Three Victims

The particulars of a sad drowning accident last week at Restoule Lake, in the Nipissing district, reached here this morning. During the day two of Mr. John Clarke's daughters crossed the ice to Mr. Wm. Clarke's, and in the evening they were re-crossing accompanied by Miss Jennie Clarke, when they all broke through and met with a watery grave. The unfortunate young women were well known in the district.

The Myth logical Fates

"Somewhere on the unknown shore,
Where the streams of life their waters pour
There sit three sisters, ever more
Weaving a silken thread."

Lovers of classic paintings are familiar with that famous group, called the "Three Fates" Fate seems cruel when it deprives women and girls of health. But in Dr. Pierce's Favorite Perscription they find a cure of untold value for nervous prostration, sick headache, bearing-down pains, bloating weak stomach, anteversion, retroversion, and all those excruciating complaint that make the lives miserable. All who use it praise it. It contains no hurtful ingredients and is guaranteed to give satisfaction in every case, or its price ($1.00) will be refunded.

ZEUS.

The Arcadia, a Montreal journal devoted to music, art and literature, in its last issue contains the following poem from the pen of Jos Nevin Doyle:

The mighty ancients worshipped some dream thing
They called a god, and built him temples fine
Of ivory and gold; his face benign
They chiselled on their coins, and fashioning
His praises in the viric epic line
Ensured their immorality. As wine
They spilt their ruddy heart cups in the ring,
Right proud to make a holiday divine
Which would redound unto his honouring.

There is a Zeus, too, in these modern times
Who is no dream, and Progress is his name:
Although he lacks the temples and the rhymes,
The heroes and the priests, there is a flame
Of fine divinity upon his brow,
No old apotheosis could endow.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Wm. Holton, of Port Huron, son of W. P. Holton, will spend Christmas at home.

James Little, agent for the Sun Life Assurance Company, was in Lakefield last week.

The condition of Mr. Hall, Manager of the Belleville gas works, is very low. Dr. Youker states that he cannot survive more than a few days. His brother, William Hall, and a former friend, John Dennis of Chicago, arrived on Saturday.

The Lakefield News says of the mysterious Lt. Blake:—Lieutenant Blake left on Monday for Niagara, to meet his mother and sister, Lady Free and Lady Wilton.

Robt. Weldon, Hull, P. Q.; R Elliott, Brantford; W McQuaid and wife, I O Proctor, Cobourg; T H Carey, Ed M Leger, J W Downs, W Mackenzie, Chas P Parent, D McCormack, R Parker, Jas Robinson, Geo Ramsden, W R Y Macaulay, Montreal; Geo D Griffin, Parkdale; T Burns, C Laycock, R B Kirkup, London; R D Roblin, Thos E Howard, Toronto; G W Cornwall, Huntington, P Q; R M Hamilton, Galt; Geo Sande son, Colborne; Mrs A C Parks and son, O B German, Napanee; R F Elliott, Kingston; Geo Benit, Quebec; J E Needham, Millbrook; B Thackeray, Deseronto; H C Howard, Colorado; H E Lawson, London, Eng; C M Morris, Portland, Me; P R Smith, Chicago; W A Stewart, Tweed; J Davis, Toronto, are at the Angle-American.

N C Warham, M J Sage J Rutherford James Stirling, J R Walker, D B McCum, E J Thompson, Jas Masters, Montreal; C W Brown, Geo Larerty, R White, Cobourg; Geo Willson, T J Butler, Kingston; Wm Cross, Madoc; P J Cooley, Trenton; J A Davis, G A Brown, Deseronto; W Pensley, J C Cleminson, Warkworth; W C Booth, F Mathews, R M Jackson, F Lamblyn Geo Young, Toronto; E R Davis, Napanee; O D Cowan, Gananoque; H Cronk, New York; E W Carleton, jr., Boston; H F Henderson J P Allen, T Pallen, Hamilton; W J Daily, Chicago; John McLean, Picton; John Stephens, St Louis; Ed Harrigan, Kansas City; Joseph H Spencer, St. Hyacenthe; Edward J Francis, Halifax; H J Henderson, Winnipeg, are registered at the Queen's.

New goods just arrived at Goldsmith's fish store, Bridge street—groceries, fish, fruits, cigars, oysters, cider, candies, Refreshments and lunches at all hours,

A SACRED GIFT.

LET EVERY CITIZEN VOTE ACCORDING TO HIS CONSCIENCE

The Church Holds the Key to Honest Administration—Reforms Must be Worked out at the Ballot Box.

Rev. E. N. Baker, pastor of Bridge Street Methodist church, last night delivered a powerful sermon on "The Duty of the Christian Citizen." The speaker stated that the Pope wanted temporal power in Italy. The Christian church did not want, nor should she beg, for favors at the hand of any nation, state or council. Church and State were not destined to be linked together. Where such was the case, the state invariably strangled the church. The church should be the watch dog of the nation and hold the key to honest administration. Nothing effected the nation for weal or for woe more than the Dominion government, and so it was with the province and the city. God's people should do what was right. The ballot was a sacred gift from God and should not be marked at the dictation of any party or class. The rev. gentleman said that as long as he stood in a pulpit he would not dictate to his congregation who they should vote for. No intelligent man need be told who to vote for. Let him ask his conscience and he would not go far astray. Let every citizen mark his ballot with a view of giving an account of his action before God. Let the church see that honest candidates were elected to office. Reforms could not be worked out in the pulpit they must be done by the ballot box. Men should not be held amenable to any church or society, but to God.

WILL EX-ALD PETRIE RUN?

A Large Number of Voters Have Signified Their Support

It is generally rumored that Ex-Ald. Petrie, who has served almost a quarter of a century in the city council will be prevailed upon to contest the mayoralty. Mr. Petrie is a large property holder in Belleville and has a clean record after long and faithful service in the council.

No Return.

After a lapse of seven years the following letter explains itself: Toronto, Ont., April 17, 1887. "I would state that your remedy, St. Jacob's Oil, had the desired effect of curing me effectually of rhematism, with which I suffered in 1880. I have never had any return of the pain which I endured for months previous. It affords me great pleasure to say I have recommended it to a number of friends. Too much praise cannot be devoted to its healing qualities." J. ABRAHAM, Passenger Agent, 51 York St. Hundreds certify that once cured, the cure is permanent.

A TERRIBLE ACCIDENT

A Little Boy Badly Injured by Being Tramped on by a Horse

A sad mishap occured to E Searight, son of C. J. Searight yesterday, near Norwood. The little fellow, who is about seven years of age, was taking some feed to his father's horse when, it is supposed, he tripped and fell under the animal's feet in the stall, and was there trampled and cut so badly that his face was unrecognizable, his body is also bruised in many places. The wonderful part of the occurence is that, after being thus roughly used, he walked into the house and told his mother not to cry as he was not badly hurt. He could give no account of the accident, which proves that he must have lain insensible for some time. How severely he is injured is not yet known.

Overcoats Must go

The season for selling overcoats is nearly over. At present our stock is getting a little low and the sizes are broken. We intend making the prices very low on all overcoats and clean them out with a rush. Call at the Oak Hall and pick out your coat. We guarantee you the price will please.

FOUND DEAD ON THE ROAD SIDE

John Baxter Succumbs from the Excessive use of Alcoholic Drink

John Baxter, a resident of Bath was found dead on the roadside north of that village on Friday last, by J. Bull, baker. A coroner's inquest was held. A verdict of death caused from excessive drinking of alcoholic beverages was returned. A complaint will be entered against the hotel keeper who gave him the liquor, as both the taverns of Bath were forbidden to give him any.

Proved Beyond Dispute

No one now doubts that Burdock Blood Bitters will cure dyspepsia, biliousness, constipation, headache or bad blood. The proof is so thorough and overwhelming that the doubters have been silenced and B.B.B. is secured in its place as the best purifying tonic and regulator extant.

Byron Holt, Princeton, Ont.

Christmas Entertainment.

The Tabernacle Sunday School is preparing a grand entertainment of songs chourses, recitations, dialogues, etc., to be given on Monday evening, Dec. 26th. Two Christmas Trees will be erected and they will be free for all to put presents on for their friends. Ample accomodations in the S. S. Rooms for 600 people. Old Santa Claus has been engaged for the occasion. Admission 15 cts. Children 10 cts.

Cannot be Denied

The curative influence of the pine in lung diseases is everywhere admitted, and when combined with other effective pectoral remedies as in Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup the effect is doubly beneficial. No case of cough, asthma, bronchitis or hoarseness can resist the healing powers of Dr. Wood's Pine Syrup. 25 and 50c. at druggists.

No one Need Pity You

If you die of consumption without having tried that celebrated cure, now being talked about by every one, and known as Miller's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil, you are not entitled to any pity. If you want to stay with your friends in the flesh, do not let an hour pass by without sending to the nearest drug store for Miller's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil. Read about the wonderful cures it has wrought. This is the electrical age of wonders, and this Emulsion is the product of the latest researches in science. In big bottles, 50c and $1, at all drug stores.

A neglected cough brings on consumption—the most fatal and prevalent of all physical ills that flesh is heir to. To check the malady in its early stage, before the deadly turbercles develop themselves in the lungs use Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil which also annihilates bronchitis asthma catarrh, piles, kidney troubles, and soreness of the muscles and n

When weak, weary and worn out, Hood's Sarsaparilla is just the medicine to restore your strength and give you a good appetite.

Hood's Sarsaparilla is an honest medicine, honestly advertised for those diseases which it honestly and absolutely cures.

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CHRISTMAS

AT

FISH'S

Our Holiday Goods are all in Stock and we think we can truthfully say that in our seventeen years of catering for the Xmas trade we have never equalled or approached the display we are making this year.

READ CAREFULLY FOLLOWING LISTS:

FOR GENTLEMEN

Leather Collar and Cuff Boxes
Leather Companions
Leather Brush Cases
Smoking Jackets
Dressing Gowns
Four-in-hand Ties
Knot Ties
Windsor Ties
Silk Coat Scarfs
Cashmere Coat Scarfs
Silk Handkerchiefs
Initial Handkerchiefs
Hemstitch Handkerchiefs
Linen Hankerchiefs in Boxes
Silk Braces
Fancy Braces
Silk Cuffs
Wool Cuffs
Cuff Buttons
Scarf Pins
Collar Buttons
White Dress Shirts
English Dress Shirts
Flannel Shirts
Linen Collars and Cuffs
Celluloid Collars and Cuffs
Silk Umbrellas, Fancy Handles
Walking Sticks
Waterproof Coats
Fine Kid Gloves
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Our prices are the Lowest, our goods are the Newest and our Stock is the Largest. See our 10c, 15c, 25c, 35c and 50c Tie Tables, and our Silk Handkerchiefs at 25c. Come and look through even if you don't want to buy. We take a pleasure in showing our Novelties

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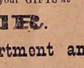

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We will be open until nine o'clock each night until after Christmas.

4 Squares extra
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SHOP EARLY.

And often this week. Thursday and Saturday the farmers will demand a large share of our attention Our display don't include raisins or tea, pills or perfumery, books or dolls but if you want a piece of SILVER WARE, A LAMP, a DINNER or TEA SET or anything in china crockery why see us—that's where we shine—so much better choice in such a store as this than shops where there's a little of everything and not much of anything. Nine hanging and five parlor table lamps sold Saturday. This shows how the main stream of trade keeps to the old channel.

Open every night this week.

W. J. REID & CO,

Crystal Hall - - - Rous' Old Stand

Smashed Into Smithereens

And bursted are the Bubbles Thrown out to Gull the Public.

GOUGH, the Terror to High Priced Clothiers on the Trail

Of tottering houses that require money. We captured a wholesale stock of clothing at 65c on the dollar, and now the prices of six weeks ago are all split to splinters.

MEASURES FOR THE MEN.

READ our Champion Offer and don't try to Duplicate it for it can't be done.

We offer a Man's Overcoat for $3.90 that cost $4.78 wholesale. We offer spleadid fitting Suits and in 150 different patterns at $6.00 usually worth $8.75 wholesale. This suit if sold in the regular way would bring $11.00 and $12. Our great big Xmas box for the buyer consists of 900 overcoats, ranging in price $17, $16 and $14. Your choice for $10. The cloth alone is worth more than we ask for the whole overcoat complete.

Look them all through, and then come to us and if we fail to convince the most sceptical that our stock is not at least 5 times larger, and our prices are 50 per cent. lower than those of other dealers, we will give a whole outfit free.

BOUNCING BARGAINS FOR THE BOY

Childs Suits for $1.5 all wool
" Overcoats with capeau $3.75 worth $6.
Youths suits $3.75 all wool worth $7.
" $5.00 " " worth $9.
" Overcoats from $3 up.

Don't buy until you see our stock. Polite attention whether you buy or not,

SLEDS FREE!

Remember boys, with every suit or overcoat you buy from us, no matter what the price, we give you a beautiful sled free. We can be imitated but never approached. Again we say look them all through and then come to us and be convinced.

GOUGH THE BIG CLOTHIER

354 Front Street, Belleville.

Associated Stores: Toronto, Brantford, Peterboro, Orillia, Lindsay and Kingston

N. B.—We have just placed in stock of our own special make 150 suits, for men and young men's wear, in twelve different patterns. These goods are a square cut sack, are all tailor made with raised seams and would cost you from $18.00 to $26 if you left your measure for them. Our price is $10 and $12

WHITE LILLY
Brand of PASTRY FLOUR is unexcelled at the Price.
ASK YOUR GROCER FOR IT.
THE RATHBUN CO'Y

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—OUR OWN MANUFACTURE—
Equal to the very best imported,
THE RATHBUN CO'[Y]

THIS WEEK!

We are showing a fine line of Fancy Goods for the Xmas trade also our stock of General Dry Goods is Complete in every Department.

NATHAN JONES
OPPOSITE HOTEL STREET

Now for a bargain!
IN STOVES

Big Cheap Sale of Stoves at
FOSTERS

We must dispose of our Immense Stock of Stoves, and for the next 30 days will offer low bargains,

The John Bull Range,
Regal Peninsular and
Art Countess Base Burners

Are having a large sale. Call and examine our stock and prices.

FOSTER & FOSTER

To the Electors Ketcheson Ward

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,—I respectfully ask your votes and influence as a Candidate for Alderman for 1893. I am in favor of the reduction of aldermen to at least fourteen to be elected by the whole city. The present wards to remain intact. I will support all measures which as a citizen I think to be in the best interest of the present position and future progress of this city, believing neither in undue municipal extravagence nor in false economy.

WILLIAM N. PONTON.
Belleville, Dec. 1892.

Notice.

All accounts due the late John R. Brown, must be paid to Geo. R. Brown, merchant tailor, before 1st January to save costs.

NEW FIGS.
CRANBERRIES
SWEET
POTATOES
Just Received.
WALLBRIDGE & CLARKE

Messina Lemons only 25c per doz.
Florida Oranges only 25 and 30c doz,
Valencia Oranges only 15c per doz,
Fine Cream Candies, 20c per lb.
Mixed Candies, 8 and 10c per lb.
Very Fine Chocolates 20c per lb.

Special Bargains in Teas and Coffees during Xmas Week.
ALEX. HARRIS.
Grocer, Belleville.

FEARMAN'S
Prepared Mince Meat
READY FOR PIES
YOUNG
THE GROCER.

THIS MATTER CHANGED DAILY
Tuesday Dec. 20th.

LINEN GOODS.

Linen goods are always acceptable presents. We have table covers, sideboard, washstand, and bureau covers, table napkins, tray cloths, plate covers, towels, etc. Also fancy toilet sets, matts, and lots of other fancy goods. We invite all to inspect our Xmas display before buying.

W. FLINT JONES
Corner Front and Br[idge] streets

NOVELTIES
FOR
XMAS!
—|o|o|o|o|—
PIC-NIC SETS
TRAVELLING SETS,
CURLING SETS,
BRUSH AND COMB SETS
BON-BON BOXES,
JEWEL BOXES
HANDKERCHIEF SATCHETS
Perfume in Cut Glass and Fancy Bottles.
R. TEMPLETON
Chemist and Druggist,

1870—ESTABLISHED—1870
25 PER CENT. OFF
—AT—
HYMAN'S
For Xmas week only for the following lines:
Shoulder Capes
In all kinds of Furs.
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In all kinds of Furs.
FULL LENGTH RUSSIAN CIRCULARS
AND ¾ LENGTHS.
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S. A. HYMAN
MANUFACTURING FURRIER
Highest price paid for Raw Furs.

FURS
—FOR—
XMAS - TRADE
—AT—
BRASIER'S

We are showing for the Holiday Trade our usual fine stock of Furs in Ladies'
CAPES, COLLARS, MUFFS, CAPS, } In all the leading styles and in every kind of Fur.
Gent's Fine Collars and Cuffs, Caps, Gauntlets and Coat Linings.
Ladies' Fine Jackets made to order in Seal, Persian and Grey Lamb in the latest style.
Our stock of Robes and Coats is very large and prices very low.
Musk Ox Robes Extra Fine Quality.
Gent's Gloves and Mitts—a large assortment
For a nice Christmas Present call and see my stock.
J. Brasier,
The Leading Hatter and Furrier, Front Street Belleville.

OLD DR. GORDON'S REMEDY FOR MEN.
FOR GENTLEMEN!
All those suffering from Nervous Debility and Weakness and having been unsuccessfully treated, will find this famous remedy a certain and speedy cure for Lost Manhood, Premature Decay, Inability, Lack of Confidence, Mental Depression, Palpitation of the Heart, Weak Memory, Exhausted Vitality, Errors of Youth, Secret Diseases, Evil Dreams, etc. Price $1 per box, or six boxes, which will cure most cases, for $5, postpaid. All correspondence confidential. Write for circular. Address QUEEN MEDICINE CO'Y Montreal.

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For One Week Longer.
THE
SPECIAL - REDUCTION
OF 33 1-3 PER CENT
DISCOUNT SALE
of Books, Fancy Goods, Albums, Bibles Prayer Books, Musical Instruments, Children's Carriages, Sleighs, and in fact the whole of the large and varied stock,
BARGAINS FOR EVERYBODY.
NOTHING RESERVED
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Ladies and young men to take our work at their own homes; constant employment; work forwarded by mail and we pay good prices; experience not necessary; no canvassing. Address for particulars, Standard Manufacturing Co., Lock Box 107, South Framingham, Mass. Inclose stamps.

MAYORALTY.

Ladies and Gentlemen.

Having been requested by a large number of influential electors of the city of Belleville to offer myself for Mayor for 1893, I have consented to do so, and now respectfully solicit your votes and influence. I have resided in the city six years, three of which I have served in the city council and school board. I would respectfully refer you to my work therein. I come out as a business man having had 20 years business experience in different parts of Canada, which is of great service to anyone in filling the civic chair. I have chosen Belleville as m[y] home and have invested all my capital in [a]nd around the city, and my interests being centered here I will, if elected, do al[l] in my power as I have done heretofore, t[o] [further the] best interests of the city. I strongly urge the reduction of the number of Aldermen and shall use every endeavor to carry into effect the proposal made by me to the council in respect to it last year.

I have also in view the grave necessity of getting the city in the best sanitary condition possible to enable us better to cope with the cholera epidemic should it reach us next year.

HARRY FOWELL

Everything fresh and new for Xmas. People tell us, our store never looked so pretty as now. Such a variety of nice Confectionery, Florida Oranges, Valencia Oranges, Almira Grapes, Choice Figs, new Gold en Dates, new Nuts, etc.

H. C. DICKENS & SON

P. S.—Xmas Cakes going very fast but a nice lot to choose from yet.

MAYORALTY

To the Electors of the City of Belleville:

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

I respectfully solicit your votes and influence for Mayor of the City of Belleville for 1893. I was born in Belleville have lived among you all my life, and am personally known to most of you.

I have been an alderman in the City Council for four years and during that time have endeavored to represent you straightforwardly and faithfully. My platform is "Economy" in city affairs. If elected I will exert myself to further the best interests o the city.

Yours respectfully,
Francis S. Wallbridge.

WANTED.
A General Servant girl. Apply to
4t MRS. GEO. H. POPE.

Dick's Liniment cures All Lameness and Sprains

CHRISTMAS CHEER
AND
TABLE DELICACIES

FINEST TABLE RAISINS
FINEST TABLE FIGS
FINEST MALAGA GRAPES
FINEST FLORIDA ORANGES
FINE TABLE PRUNES
FINE TURKISH DATES

New Grenoble Walnuts
New Soft-shell Almonds,
New Sicily Filberts,
New Pecan Nuts,

BISCUITS.
VANILLA SUGAR WAFERS
CHOCOLATE SUGAR WAFERS
LEMON SUGAR WAFERS
RASPBERRY SUGAR WAFERS
SALTED SEAFOAM WAFERS
SALTED SNOWFLAKE WAFERS

CHEESE.
Genuine Roquefort Cheese,
MacLaren's Imperial Cheese [in small
Canadian Stilton Cheese [crocks]
Prime old Cheddar Cheese, 1st prize

CROSSE & BLACKWELL'S JAMS AND JELLIES!
CANNED FRUITS & VEGETABLES
Canned Pineapples, Canned Peach
British Columbia Egg Plums,
French Mushrooms, French Mushrooms,
[In glass bottles] [In tins]
French Peas, [In tins]
Canned String Beans, Canned Green Peas,
Canned Sugar Corn, Canned Tomatoes.

CROSSE & BLACKWELL'S PICKLES
Pickled Walnuts, Pickled White Onions
Pickled Girkins, Pickled Chow Chow
Mixed Pickles, Olives

Christmas Confectionery.
A FINE ASSORTMENT.

FINE BREAKFAST TEAS,
COFFEES, COCOAS,
AND CHOCOLATES

Fearman's and Lowry's Celebrate Christmas Hams and Bacon.

BALTIMORE OYSTERS
[Direct from the Packers]
—o—
Christmas Wines.
POMMERY SEC CHAMPAGNE
MUMM'S CHAMPAGNE
SPARKLING SAUMUR

FINEST OLD PORTS AND SHERRIES.
California Angelica, California Port, Native Wines, St, Augustine, White Catawaba,

CLARETS, BURGUNDIES AND SAUTERNES

ALES AND PORTER.
Bass' English Ale. Guiness' Dublin Stout, Dow's India Pale Ale, Dows Sand Porter, Labatts Pale Ale, Carlings Ale, Davies Ale, etc.
IMPORTED GERMAN LAGER BIER.
IRISH AND SCOTCH WHISKIES.
Burke's Old Irish, J. Jamieson's Old Irish, W. Jamiesons Dublin Whiskey, Highland Blend, Bullock Lade & Co's Loch Katrine Camlachie Malt, Sheriff's Old Islay, Old Gaelic Whiskey, Andrew Usher & Cos Old Vatted Glenlivat Whiskey;
BRANDIES!
Hennessy's V. O. Brandy,
Martell's V. O. Brandy,
Jules Robin & Co's Brandy
LIQUORS, Etc.
Booth's Old Tom Gin, Plymouth Gin,
Fine Old Jamaica Rum Angostura Bitters,
Ginger Wine, Ginger Ale,
Soda Water, Apollinaris Water
Vermouth Bitters.

WALLBRIDGE & CLARKE

VERY SUGGESTIVE
FOR
Xmas Presents

Beautiful Dress Patterns,
Embroidered Felt Skirts
Black Silk Dress for $10
Ladies Mantles & Ulsters
Wool Clouds and Shawls
Chenile Curtains & Cov'rs
Hemstitch'd Table Linens
Ladies Silk and Flannel Blouses
Kid and Lined Gloves
Silk Hdkfs from 25c
Embroid'd Linen hdkfs
Printed hdkfs from 3c ea.
Initial hdkfs, 13c each!
Ladies Hats and Bonnets at greatly reduc'd prices
Gents Neckties, Gloves.
Fancy Suspenders and Mufflers.

Brignall & Thompson

Rev. William Hollinshed
Of Sparta, N. J., voluntarily says:

"To Whom it May Concern:

"Unasked I deem it my duty to a suffering humanity whose bodies and souls I would have healthy, to tell them of the value of Hood's Sarsaparilla. While living in Ohio one of my children was greatly

Afflicted With Boils

having 30 on her limbs, and being unable to walk. I had heard of Hood's Sarsaparilla, and bought a bottle, half of which cured entirely. Two years after, another child was afflicted as badly. I used the other half bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla with like results. About four years after, the child first afflicted was again tormented like Job, and I bought a bottle (on Sunday at that) and again a cure. I gave some of the medicine to a poor woman and two children; they were helped as were mine. Through a testimonial sent to C. I. Hood & Co., inquiries came from all the country, asking if it was a 'bona fide' testimonial, and of course I wrote all that it was, and have the knowledge of

Scores and Scores

Of persons helped or cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla. Mild cases of rheumatism have yielded to it. Billiousness and bad liver have been corrected in my own family. This is the only patent medicine I have felt like praising. I speak not for C. I. Hood, but for the Jobs who are impatient and are tormented beyond endurance. Nothing I know of will cleanse the blood, stimulate the liver, or clean the stomach so perfectly as

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Any person wishing to know more, enclosing a stamp will be informed. Yours for the health, happiness and virtue of humanity." WILLIAM HOLLINSHED, pastor of Presbyterian church, Sparta, N. J.

Hood's Pills cure habitual constipation.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Acknowledgment.

The Woman's Christian Association gratefully acknowledges the exceedingly liberal donation of twenty-two dollars from the Grand Jury.

ELIZA J. FLINT,
Treasurer W. C. Ass'n.

PRACTICAL HORSESHOEING
By A. NEW.
Shoes set for 8c; new shoes for 20c.
Lameness and interfering cured.
James McGuire, Albion Hotel yard

P. R. Agen Belleville.
[INS]URANCE
Union Assurance Co'y
BRIDGE ST.
Deposits r[eceived] without noti[ce] of 4 per cent. Drafts, etc.

MAYORALTY 1893.

Dr. Gibson desires to thank the gentlemen who kindly signed and presented the large requisition to him to become a candidate for the office of Mayor for 1893, but owing to his professional engagements he is unable to accept the proffered honor
20th Dec., 1892,

To the Municipal Electors of Murney Ward

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—

For the third time I respectfully ask for your votes and influence to secure my return as one of your representatives.

During the year I have been honored with the chairmanships of two important committees for the whole of the time, and a third—the Executive—for the last half of the year.

You are the judges whether I have attended faithfully to duty and acted conscientiously.

Whatever works for the city's good, if possible from the standpoints of economy and prudence, are the objects of my aim. I renew my pledges of attention to duty and fidelity to our city's welfare, and remain

yours obediently
J. E. WALMSLEY.

MAYORALTY.

To the Electors of my Native City:

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

For years past I have had the offer of support for the Civic chair, but at the present time to many of my old friends have brought more pressure to bear than I can decently withstand. I have been asked to stand for the highest position that the citizens can confer on any one. Among the men who offer me their support are to be found Irishmen, Englishmen, Dutchmen, Frenchmen and now and then a Scotchmen, besides a good many Canadians. To the electors I am no stranger. I have been a member of the City Council for the greater part of a quarter of a century and during that time have done what I felt was for the best interest of the city and will continue on the same line if successful at the coming election. I am in favor of strict economy in city affairs and decrease of our indebtedness. At the nomination I will freely give my views on the situation, and with much respect ask that when you mark your ballot you will not forget

A. T. PETRIE.
Belleville, Dec. 20, 1892

DAVIS & PALMER
Have [opened] out a Choice Line o[f]
FMILY - GROCERES
[in the st]ook lately built by Joseph Caldw[ell]
NEXT TO ANGLO-AMERICAN
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A QUICK TRIP TO ASHES.

CANOE STOREHOUSE BURNED ON THE ESPLANADE.

Firemen Fight the Fire From Scows Anchored in the Bay—The Loss Will Reach $25,000—Fortunately There Was No Wind.

TORONTO, Dec. 20—At 7.45 last evening P. C. Pogue, on duty at the Esplanade, observed a burst of flame shoot out from the door of the northeast corner of the Toronto Canoe and Boat Company's boat house immediately opposite the main entrance of the Union Station.

The building had a frontage of about 100 feet in the Esplanade, with wings at either side running back into the water. Notwithstanding the promptness with which the alarm was answered the whole interior of the building was in flames before the firemen got to work.

The blaze lighted up the whole water front, and a crowd of many thousands speedily collected, anticipating a repetition of the disaster of August 3, 1885, which swept the Esplanade from Princess to Scott-street. Fortunately there was no wind, however, and the firemen after a stubborn fight succeeded in confining the flames to the building in which they originated.

The fire is supposed to have started from the boiler of the Esplanade Box Company, which is placed at the northeast corner. There is a flue down which all shavings and waste are dropped to the boiler room. It is thought a spark from the fire reached the shavings and the flames at once rushed up to the factory above.

The main building burned like tinder, and speedily the whole breadth of it was one mass of flame enclosed by a shell of zinc. At the northwest corner the fire was balked, and the west wing, which was, like the front, covered with corrugated iron, saved. At the east end, however, the Fire King held carnival. The east wing burned with great rapidity, and the flames fairly rushed far out over the water. At 9.30 only the piles of the wing remained; and the interior of the main building was completely gutted. A party of firemen, who boarded an old scow and floated it out by ropes hand-over-hand, managed to avert some damage. Anxious boatowners came hurrying to the scene, and many were relieved to find that the adjacent boathouses of Edward Bassett and Harry Hodson had escaped.

The building was formerly occupied by the Toronto Canoe and Boat Company. They assigned about a year ago, and the building was taken over by the present owners, Messrs. T. G. and R. G. Elgie and Fred. J. Stewart. Part of the building was utilized as a box factory by R. G. Elgie.

Mr. Elgie estimates the total loss on the building at $18,000 to $20,000; insured for $14,000. R. G. Elgie estimates his loss on the machinery and plant of the box factory at $7000 to $8000; insured for $5000.

A large number of citizens have been in the habit of storing their boots in the wings. The rentals expired on Oct. 17, and all owners were notified to remove their boats, but many neglected to do so, and no doubt a number were burned. The Sons of England Life Boat corps were out on the bay in their lifeboat and succeeded in picking up many of the boats, which are now at the lifeboat station awaiting the owners.

HIS COURAGE FAILED.

He Could Not Secure Work and Committed Suicide.

TORONTO, Dec. 20.—Samuel Bennett, a carpenter living at 15 Morris-street, committed suicide at his home early on Sunday morning. Bennett was a carpenter by trade and had been out of work for some weeks.

On Saturday evening he returned from a search after work and gave his wife the history of his unsuccessful quest. Bennett owned some small cottages in the city and on Saturday evening one of the tenants called and paid the rent, amounting to $7.50. Bennett took the money and went out. In a few minutes he returned and lay down.

Shortly afterwards his wife noticed that he was in pain, and ran out for a doctor, who did everything to revive Bennett. It soon became evident that his resuscitation was impossible and Coroner Johnson was notified.

Finding that the deceased had purchased 10 cents worth of laudanum at a Spadina-avenue chemist's shop, and that the medical man who had been in attendance reported that death had resulted from taking an overdose of laudanum, the coroner decided that an inquest was unnecessary.

Bennett was aged 52 and leaves a widow and one child.

SISTERS DROWNED.

Broke Through the Ice at North Bay—No Assistance Was at Hand.

NORTH BAY, Ont., Dec. 20.—News has been received here of one of the saddest drowning accidents that has ever occurred in this section of Ontario.

It appears that three young girls, daughters of John and William Clark, were walking on the ice at Restoule Lake when, the ice being weak, they broke through.

No assistance being at hand, all three were drowned. Only the briefest particulars have r ached here.

Killed on a Handcar.

WINNIPEG, Dec. 20.—Word was received yesterday of an accident at Crystal City Saturday night by which Robert Fair, late of Ayr, Ont., lost his life.

He, with four others, had gone to Pilot Mound on a handcar to transact some business and when returning, while pumping the rear end of the car, deceased slipped and fell under the car, the iron lever of which struck him over the left temple, inflicting a terrible gash, which resulted in instantaneous death. The body will be sent to Ayr for interment.

Tortured For Witchcraft.

ALBUQUERQUE, N.M., Dec. 20.—Information comes from Gallup, N.M., that Deputy Marshal Green of that town and a troop of cavalry from Fort Wingate have gone to Zona to arrest a number of that tribe for torturing and killing two Indians charged with witchcraft. Information of the outrage was received from an old Zona Indian, who implored help for his tortured son.

Gen. McCook ordered troops to accompany the Marshal. Trader Graham confirms the report.

The Petitions Thrown Out.

WINNIPEG, Dec. 20.—The Manitoba full court has rendered a decision which throws out the petitions brought by the Opposition against the recently elected Greenway Government supporters. The ground of this decision is that the security put up by the Opposition was not legal tender, being simply bank bills, which are held not to be money.

Killed In a Railway Accident.

WINNIPEG, Dec. 20.—Word has just been received here of the death of Andrew Somerville, a well-known Winnipegger, who was killed in the railway accident on the Northern Pacific. The remains are to be sent to Orono, Ont., for burial.

Killed While Racing.

KINGSTON, Dec. 20.—Richard J. Patterson of Pittsburg, while driving home on Saturday night, was thrown from the rig and killed. He was racing with another traveler at the time. He was aged about 50 and leaves a widow and children.

An Ex-M.L.A. Dead.

WINNIPEG, Dec. 20.—James Harrower, ex-M.L.A., died yesterday morning. He came to Manitoba from Sherbrooke, Lanark County, Ont.

Steamship Movements.

Date.	Name.	Reported at.	From
Dec. 19.—	Columbia	New York	Hamburg
"	—Werra	Gibraltar	New York

A Tooth for $10,000.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Dec. 19.—Mrs. Rebecca Flynn has sued Dr. Hill of Scranton, for $10,000 damages. She says he fractured one of her front teeth while performing a dental operation.

DR. BRIGGS' BOLD STAND.

What He Said About Spurgeon—No Ground for Conviction.

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—Dr. Briggs continued his argument in defence of himself before the Presbytery of New York.

Referring to the late Dr. Spurgeon of England Dr. Briggs said: "The prosecution use the passage from the inaugural address referring to Spurgeon under both charges. They harp upon it in their argument to excite prejudice against me. What I said about Spurgeon may not be pleasing to the prosecution. But is it not strictly true? Is it not a fact that Spurgeon is an example of the modern evangelical? Did he not assail the church and the reason in the interest of the authority of the Holy Scripture? These are well-known weaknesses of the great preacher. But he had so many excellent Christian qualities that the world pardons his weakness in the matters referred to and honors him as the noblest evangelical of them all.

"It may seem strange to some of you that the average opinion of the Christian world would not assign him a higher place in the kingdom of God than Martineau or Newman. But a little reflection ought to convince you that it is so. Spurgeon is the hero of the evangelical party in the church. He was generally esteemed to be the greatest preacher of the Gospel in our generation. But any one who understands the state of religious opinion in England knows that Spurgeon only represented a party among the Non-conformists, and that a considerable proportion of them would not assign him a higher place than Martineau or Newman. He lived to find himself in a hopeless minority in his own denomination. He was not a master of Christian theology, and, therefore, as soon as he went out his sphere to teach men wiser than himself he made a sad failure.

"You are now to determine in the fear of God whether I am guilty or not. I have shown you that I subscribe to all the statements of the Confession and of the Holy Scripture in the passages cited to sustain the charge. I have shown you that there is no inconsistency between the doctrine that there are errors in the Scriptures as I explain them and the statements of confession and Scripture. You can only convict me on the ground of a deliverance of the assembly at Portland or of some dogmatic theory in your minds. If you should do this you will violate the constitution of the Presbyterian Church, break faith with me and sear your own consciences before God."

A WOMAN SHOT DOWN.

Her Three Children Penned in a Hut and Burned.

CARIZTO, Mex., Dec. 20.—Further particulars of the fight opposite San Ignacio just received state that during the fight Capt. Seguar of the Mexican troops, to better protect himself in a hand-to-hand fight, went into the jackal and fought from there with guns and pistols.

There was in the jackal a woman and three children. The captain called to the revolutionists asking that the woman and children might go out unharmed, but the reply was, "No."

The woman tried to steal out with the children, but as she appeared at the door she was shot down and the children ran back. The revolutionists were unable to dislodge the captain from his quickly chosen fortress and they set fire to the jackal, which drove the captain out.

As he made his appearance he was shot dead and his body thrown back into the burning building. The three children were penned in the hut and burned. The bodies of dead soldiers were thrown into the flames, and when the troops from Guerrero went to bury the dead they found some of the bodies burned to a crisp.

A woman, the wife of a non-commissioned officer, undertook to escape by crossing the Rio Grande to Texas, but she was seen about the middle of the stream and shot. She sank beneath the waters and her body has not been found. There are a number of wounded Mexican troopers at San Ignacio. Only two of the revolutionists were killed and one wounded.

TWO METEORS COLLIDE.

The Crew of the Eva Ferris Witnessed an Unusual Event.

SOUTH NORWALK, Conn., Dec. 20.—The captain's log of the schooner Eva L. Ferris says that when in latitude 37 deg. 21 min. and longitude 75 deg. 33 min. on the night of Dec. 7 at 9 o'clock he saw a meteor start from west southwest and pass directly over the vessel to east northeast. After passing the zenith it met another meteor in its transit, and swerving from a direct line the two came together. There was a report as of a heavy gun, and the reverberation lasted for many seconds. The first meteor struck the second on the northerly side and broke it into fragments, some of which fell within sight of the vessel, and showed a bright light until they went under the water. The original meteor went on its course and disappeared behind a dark bank of clouds.

WANTS A DIVORCE.

Because His Wife Undertakes a Mission to Reform Her Sisters.

PROVIDENCE, R.I., Dec. 20.—G. Walt Stetson, an artist of some note, has petitioned in the Divorce Court for absolute divorce from his wife, Charlotte Perkins Stetson. He bases his claims on the ground that his wife will neither wear corsets, a belt or heels on her shoes when she appears in public. She is a follower of Bellamy.

Mrs. Stetson became a crank on all these matters. She was loud in her clamor for dress reform and physical reform. She said she wanted to show the American women how to dress and how to become strong and healthy, so that children might be born to them without costing them their health and in many cases their lives.

When Mrs. Stetson was not occupied in the gymnasium and in advocating before women's meetings the cause of dress reform and physical culture she wrote for various magazines, and her literary efforts gave her no time to attend to her husband or his wants.

His Story Wouldn't Go Down.

HAZELTON, Pa., Dec. 20.—William Walker, a contractor at Millville colliery, states that he was held up by seven masked men yesterday on the road leading to the works and robbed of $1000, which he had with him to pay his men. Officers went to the scene and made discoveries that led them to believe that Walker was not robbed, but was trying to defraud his men. When the officers accused Walker he became excited and fled to the mountains. To-night over 100 of his workmen are searching for him.

Fire At Thorold.

THOROLD, Ont., Dec. 20.—About 6 o'clock this morning a fire broke out in the residence of Charles Haist, Mill-street, here. The fire brigade was prompt in extinguishing the flames, but not before considerable damage was done to the building. The furniture was badly damaged by water. The loss is covered by insurance.

Denouncing Freemasonry.

ROME, Dec. 16.—The Pope will shortly send to the Italian bishops and the Italian people a circular letter denouncing Freemasonry. His Holiness will declare that the Freemasons are pursuing the Satanic aim of replacing Christianity by naturalism.

EMIN PASHA YET ALIV[E]

A PRIVATE LETTER FROM DARKE[ST] AFRICA.

He Is Now Following Stanley's Ro[ute] Through the Congo State—He Suff[ers] from an Affection of the Eyes—[But] He Is in Good Health.

LONDON, Dec. 20.—The Berlin corr[es]pondent of The Standard learns fro[m a] private letter, dated at Dar-Es-Salam Nov. 20, that the rumors of Dr. Emi[n's] death are erroneous.

Dr. Emin, the letters says, is now f[ol]lowing Stanley's route through the Co[ngo] State, and but for an affection of the e[yes] is in exceptionally good health.

ALBERT EDWARD.

Is Said to Be Making Arrangements [to] Visit the World's Fair.

LONDON, Dec. 20.—It is again rumor[ed] that it is the intention of the Prince [of] Wales to visit the Chicago Columbian E[x]hibition. It is said that he will make t[he] trip across the Atlantic early next summ[er] in the royal yacht Osborne and that he w[ill] disembark either at Montreal or Queb[ec] proceeding thence to Chicago. The Osbor[ne] will be escorted by a number of British w[ar]ships.

Immigration Restriction.

ROME, Dec. 20.—The Agenzia Liberi assured that the European powers have [no] intention of protesting against the hos[tile] action of the United States toward imm[i]grants. The Italian Government feels co[n]vinced that it has no privilege to attem[pt] interference in such a purely domest[ic] matter, and the German and Australi[an] governments are believed to share this sent[i]ment.

The emigration societies have been not[i]fied that they must cease booking steerag[e] passengers for American ports. Within t[he] last few days hundreds of applicants ha[ve] been refused at Italian ports.

Three of a Kind.

BERLIN, Dec. 20.—The statement is ma[de] on good authority that Germany as well [as] the United States and Great Britain has be[] come deepiy involved in the conflict ragin[g a]round Chief Justice Ceder Kranz of Samo[a]. The Chief Justice's local governmen[t] scheme finds as little favor here as in Lon[]don and Washington.

The Board to Act.

LONDON, Dec. 20.—The Paris corresp[on]dent of The Times says: A meeting of t[he] Suez Canal directors was convened yesterd[ay] to consider the position in which the co[m]pany had been placed by arrests of memb[ers] of the board and what they ought to do [to] procure alleviation of the needless tortu[re] inflicted upon unconvicted men.

A Howl From Germany.

LONDON, Dec. 20.—A Daily News d[e]spatch from Berlin says: The Nation[al] Zeitung declares that the arbitrary mai[n]tenance of quarantine by the United Stat[es] although there has been no cholera in G[er]many for months, together with the Ame[ri]can rules for immigration, is doing i[m]mense harm to general commerce. It [is] impossible for German exporters or Ame[ri]can importers to reckon upon the delive[ry] of goods with any regularity. The eff[ect] of the restriction has been both to de[] traffic and raise freights.

To Be Made Cardinals.

LONDON, Dec. 20.—The Most Re[v.] Michael Logue, Archbishop of Armagh a[nd] primate of all Ireland, and Most Re[v.] William Vaughan, Archbishop of We[st]minster, have received letters notifyi[ng] them that they will be made cardinals [at] the coming papal consistory.

Sale of Orchids.

LONDON, Dec. 20.—The sale of the Ma[rl]borough orchids began yesterday. T[he] highest price paid was 130.

Cottoning to the United States.

PARIS, Dec. 20.—The Meline Committ[ee] report, favoring a minimum tariff on c[er]tain American products, was distribut[ed] among the deputies to-day.

The preamble of the bills says: "T[he] mutual friendship and good-will [of] France and the United States will rend[er] an understanding easy of accomplishme[nt]. The convention undoubtedly would be a[d]vantageous to France."

The deputies agreed to a duty of .2[] as a heclolitre on alcohol.

Free Trade in Australia.

MELBOURNE, Dec. 20.—A meeting [of] advocates of free trade was held here yest[er]day at which a resolution offered by S[ir] Henry Parkes, congratulating the Dem[o]crats of the United States upon their [re]cent electoral victory, was adopted. Co[n]gratulations were also cabled to Preside[nt-]elect Cleveland.

The Paris Fund.

LONDON, Dec. 20.—The News lear[ns] from its Paris correspondent that an agr[ee]ment has been signed to release the Pa[ris] fund. Messrs. Dillon, Davitt and Harrin[g]ton will award jointly the old claims not [in] excess of £14,000, and Messrs. Dillon a[nd] Davitt will award the remainder.

Don't Want Bi-Metallism.

LONDON, Dec. 20.—The Daily News sa[ys] of the Brussels conference:

"We hope that the conference will n[ot] be resumed. Each country must do [its] best for itself. America cannot afford [to] delay until May, perhaps not till Januar[y,] steps to prevent the depreciation of [her] silver notes."

To Check the Kaiser.

LONDON, Dec. 20.—The Chronicle's Be[r]lin correspondent says: Great efforts a[re] being made to found a new political par[ty] with a program of opposition to the pers[on] and policy of the Kaiser, who attracts [a] deal of adverse criticism, especially in Sou[th] Germany.

Penalty For Forgery.

LONDON, Dec. 20.—Dr. Francis Charle[s] Scott-Sanders, formerly manager of t[he] Lyric Club, was yesterday sentenced to si[x] years' penal servitude for having forged t[he] name of the Earl of Londesboro to a che[que] for £3733.

A BAD RAIL.

It Wrecks a Train in Kentucky—The Co[n]ductor and Post Clerk Hurt.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Dec. 20.—The ea[st] bound passenger train on the Newp[ort] News and Mississippi Valley Railro[ad] was wrecked by a broken rail at Edd[y]ville, Ky., yesterday morning. The e[n]gine was ditched and the mail a[nd] baggage cars and the second-class co[ach] were overturned and badly smashed. C[on]ductor Carter had his shoulder disloca[ted] and Postal Clerk Sanders was severely [but] not fatally injured.

Held Up For $700.

WINNIPEG, Dec. 20.—Robert S. Mowa[t,] agent of the Ogilvie Milling Co., was h[eld] up by masked men at Elkhorn Saturd[ay] night and relieved of $700.

Will Remain At His Post.

VIENNA, Dec. 19.—President Carn[ot] says a despatch from St. Petersburg, [has] informed the Czar that he will remain [at] his post under any circumstances to s[] France from internal disturbance.

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2. When the Canadian horse breeder is taxed one horse out of every three to get them into the only market where there's any demand, he is paying a big price for his British loyalty.

3. When the Canadian farmer has to pay forty dollars on every hundred bushels of beans he sends to the Detroit or Buffalo market he cannot help thinking that something is wrong.

4. When the Canadian farmer has to pay four dollars on every ton of hay he sends to the States, he is forced to admit that he is more loyal to a senseless sentiment than he is to his wife and family.

5. When the Canadian farmer's wife has her egg money lopped off five cents on every dozen, and five cents taken off her money returns from the sale of fowls, she must own up that folly and not common sense reigns in this Canada of ours.

6. When the farmer who has worked late and early to raise beets, potatoes, turnips and other roots, is compelled to sell them at ruinously low prices because our separation shuts him out from the better-paying American market, he is loyal to the "Dear Old Motherland" at the expense of his family and himself. Own up, old man!

7. When the farmer gets fully 25 p.c. less for his stock and crop than he would get under commercial union with the States, and sings the National Anthem to testify his love for low prices of farm produce, it's time his friends took care of him.

8. When the Canadian farmer buys his agricultural implements from the Red Parlor Combinster at fully twenty-five per cent. dearer rate than the same quality of machine is sold to the American farmer, he deserves to be taxed if he does not kick with a big "K."

9. When the Canadian farmer's wife has to pay more than two prices for coal oil, three prices for wall paper and two prices for glassware, pictures and notions, it's about time she began to take a hand in setting things right.

10. When Canadian parents see their sons and daughters leaving home for the States should they not reason with each other and ask how comes it that they are bereft of their children?

11. When the Canadian farmer sees the mortgage debt piling up in spite of his industry and close living, should he not exercise his common sense and look for the cause of his increasing poverty?

12. When the Canadian farmer finds that the labor of himself and family goes to keep the Red Parlor manufacturer in luxury, the loyalists office-holder in ease and comfort, and the loan company and bank magnates in magnificence and splendor, he should have sense enough to come in out of the rain.

13. When the Canadian farmer allows sentiment to get the better of common sense and his own family's interest, he deserves to grind for the Philistines in fetters all the day long for such an one evidently loves drudgery and a debt-laden condition and would rather suffer for the sake of the monopolists than strive for his own good.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Ottawa Free Press: "At the Conservative convention in North Hastings a resolution was adopted expressing satisfaction at Hon. Mr. Bowell's appointment to the Senate, but no resolution approving Sir John Thompson's promotion to the premiership was passed. Mr. Bowell was present. Did he prompt his supporters to refrain from endorsing the new Conservative leader, or did he find it impossible to induce them to do so? Have the "boys" got beyond Mr. Bowell's control? If not he ought to have coaxed them to enthuse a little over the new premier.

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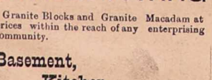

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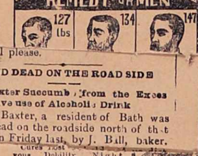

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How Mr. W.D. Wentz of Geneva, N.Y was cured of the severest form of dyspepsia He says everything he ate seemed like pouring melted lead into his stomach. Hood's Sarsaparilla effected a perfect cure. Full particulars will be sent if you write C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell Mass.

When the hair begins to come out in combing, it shows a weakness of the scalp that calls for immediate attention. The best preparation to arrest further loss of hair and restore the scalp to a healthy condition is Ayers Hair Vigor.

Cured Female Weakness

Mr. Hugh Caldwell, Clydesdale, Ont., writes:—"My daughter was under the care of doctors for more than a year for female weakness, without getting relief. I then procured Pink Pills and they cured her." All dealers 50 cents a box or 6 boxes for 2.60, or mailed on receipt of price. Dr. Williams' Med. Co., Brockville, Ont. and Schenectady, N. Y.

Magic Pile Lotion excells every other remedy of its class in the following particulars, viz: 1, Its action is immediate and magical. 2 It is cheaper than any other in the market. 3 It is cleanly, leaving no stain on clothing or bedding. 4 It is more easily applied than any other. 5. It is equally efficacious in external, internal, itching or bleeding piles. 6. It is an excellent dressing for all kinds of painful wounds, abrasions, stings of bees and other poisonous insects, etc.

If you have a cough or cold do not neglect it; many without a trace of that hereditary disease have drifted into a consumptive grave by neglecting what was only a slight cold. Had they used Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup before it was too late their lives would have been spared. Mr. A. W. Levy Mitchell, writes. "I think Bickel's Anti-Consumptive Syrup the best preparation on the market for coughs and severe colds. About six years ago I caught a severe cold which settled on my lungs, and for three months I had a cought. I had a physician attending me, but gradually grew worse until I was on the verge of Consumption, and had given up hopes of being cured, when I was induced to try Bickel's Syrup. Before I had taken one bottle I found myself greatly relieved, and by the time I had finished the second ... was completely cured. I always rec[ommend it] for severe colds and [c]onsumption

A Cure For Constipation And Headache

Dr. Silas Lane while in the Rocky Mountains discovered a root that when combined with other herbs makes an easy and certain cure for constipation. It is in the form of dry roots and leaves, and is known as Lane's Family Medicine. It will cure sick headache in one night, For the blood, liver and kidneys, and for clearing up the complexion it does wonders. Druggists sell it at 50 cents a package

As an after dinner pill, to strengthen the stomach, assist digestion, and correct an bilious tendencies, Ayer's pills are considered the best. Being sugar coated, they are as agreeable as any confection, and may be taken by the most delicate.

Never hump yourself up to die of Piles until after you have given Magic Pile Lotion a fair and reasonable trial. If it fails then go on with your humping for your case is incurable.

TO ENTERTAIN EUROPE.

A Novel Scheme on a Parallel with the Wild West Show.

LONDON, Dec. 20.—Paul Boynton sailed by the Umbria. He has been here for three weeks arranging matters so that he may become the worthy successor of Buffalo Bill as a novel showman. He has leased Buffalo Bill's old quarters in Earl's Court, and next May will begin an exhibition called the World's Water Show.

He proposes to represent all the big rivers of America, from the Mississippi down, and to exhibit every kind of boat afloat from an Indian canoe up. He will give a parade on the Thames, with 100 men and women walking on water-shoes, playing ball as they float up and down the river.

He will bring from America Indians for the canoes, and whole families of niggers with the flat-bottomed boats of the Southern bayous. He will give old-fashioned clambakes on the grounds, something never heard of on this side of the ocean, and will introduce every form of aquatic sport known.

Protestantism in Spain.

MADRID, Dec. 20.—Despite the emphatic protests of the Papal Nuncio, the Bishop of Madrid and thousands of aristocratic Catholics, the Protestant church was consecrated here yesterday with the consent of Premier Sagasta. Archbishop Plunkett of Dublin, Pere Hyacinthe and several English clergymen were present. The consecration ceremony had been deferred repeatedly as the approval of the Conservative Premier could not be obtained.

Silver Depreciation.

LONDON, Dec. 20.—The Daily News says in commenting upon the adjournment of the Brussels Conference: "The American dollar is in jeopardy on account of the natural competition for business on a gold basis. It seems likely enough that the good intentions of the American treasury will not suffice to save the silver dollar from depreciation."

The Rinderpest.

BERLIN, Dec. 20.—The rinderpest has spread to five hitherto unaffected estates in Mecklenburg and to seven in Holstein. Many cattle are dying of it also in Jutland.

PREPARING FOR WAR.

The Town of Pelotas May Be Attacked on Christmas Day.

VALPARAISO, Dec. 20.—A correspondent at Montevideo telegraphs that public attention there is occupied by the situation in Rio Grande do Sul. A meeting of Castilhistas held at Pelotas resolved that if the National Government did not demand of Uruguay that she restrain the Federals they would invade Uruguay.

The work of fortifying Pelotas continues. Col. Portugal, the commandant, has 600 men in the garrison and expects 200 more; 500 volunteers have been called for. The Federals have 2000 men, and expect to attack the town on Christmas day. It is the intention of the Federals, so it is said, to reinstate Silviera Martin, who is alleged to have received large sums from Comte D'Eu to aid in the restoration of the empire. Rumors are afloat that Brazil proposes to divide Paraguay and Argentine.

Admiral Gherardi called yesterday on the Intendante. Naval officials have received the officers of the American fleet most cordially, and have shown them every attention.

A PRAIRIE SENATOR.

Brandon Contributes a Fourth Representative From the Prairie Province.

OTTAWA, Dec. 20.—Mr. John Nesbitt Kirchkoffer of Brandon has been called to the Senate as the fourth senator from Manitoba. Under the Manitoba Act the province was given three senators and provision was made for a fourth when the census showed that the population exceeded 75,000. The last census showed the population to be over 150,000, and Manitoba therefore gets an extra senator.

Formal notice has been received from the Quebec Government of the appointment of Judge Cassault to represent the province in the commission to settle the outstanding debt account between the Dominion and that old Province of Canada as now represented by the Provinces of Ontario and Quebec.

Lieut.-Governor Carvell of Prince Edward Island has applied for three months' leave of absence on account of ill-health.

The writ has been issued for an election in L'Islet to fill the vacancy caused by the appointment of Mr. Desjardins to the clerkship of the Legislative Assembly of Quebec. Nomination on Dec. 29, polling on Jan. 5.

WARRANTS ISSUED.

For the Arrest of Some of the Suspected Leaders in the Homestead Poisoning.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Dec. 20.—Warrants were issued yesterday for the arrest of Hugh Dempsey, the district master workman Knights of Labor, and J. M. Davidson for complicity in the Homestead poison plot.

The charges are made by County Detective Beltzhoover and charge the men with felonious assault and battery and administering poison to the men employed in the Homestead mill during the late trouble.

Warrants are also out for the arrest of Gallagher, the confessor.

This evening Dempsey called at the alderman's office and surrendered. He was released on $2500 bail. He strongly asserts his innocence and says he will have no trouble in proving it Davidson has not yet been arrested.

Short of Cars.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 20.—The railroads centering at Kansas City are again suffering from a car shortage. The trouble, though never done away with, during the past three months has been lessened to some extent at times, but the situation is worse than ever. All of the roads are short of cars. Nearly all of the railway agents here regard the situation as serious, and the promises for relief are anything but reassuring.

The grainmen suffer most, but other shippers are unable to ship any great amount of freight. In the territory contiguous to Kansas City the estimates of agents place the shortage at from 6000 to 8000 cars.

Winked at Fire.

PARIS, Dec. 20.—While Alphonse D. Rothschild was hunting near the Ferriere, in Alier, yesterday his companion's gun went off accidentally and the ball cut a furrow in his right cheek just below the eye. The surgeon who dressed the wound says there is no immediate danger of blindness.

Suicided With Paris Green.

ST. EUGENE, Ont., Dec. 20.—Last evening at 5 o'clock Honore St. Jean, a married man, a resident of this place, took a dose of Paris green and died at 2 o'clock yesterday. The coroner has been notified and an inquest is ordered for this afternoon.

Hello!—You fellow there.—— Don't go humping about as if your back was broken. Go off at once and get a bottle of Magic Pile Lotion—use it according to directions and you will walk as straight as any body in 24 hours.

Get along with you!

To McKeown & Co's or D. M. Wate[rs]

Every testimonial regarding Hood's Sarsaparilla is an honest, unpurchased statement of what this medicine actually done.

"Save who can!" was the frantic cry of Napoleon to his army at Waterloo Save health and strength while you can by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, is advice that applies to all, both young and old. Don't wait until disease fastens on you; begin at once.

If you have a cough, procure at once a bottle of Holden's Expectorant, put up and for sale at Geen's Drug store. [The] old reliable cough medicine.

A LITTLE GIRL'S DANGER.

Mr. Henry Macombe, Leyland St., Blackburn, London, Eng., states that his little girl fell and struck her knee against a curbstone. The knee began to swell, became very painful and terminated in what doctors call "white swelling." She was treated by the best medical men, but grew worse. Finally

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was used. The contents of one bottle completely reduced the swelling, killed the pain and cured her.

"ALL RIGHT! ST. JACOBS OIL DID IT."

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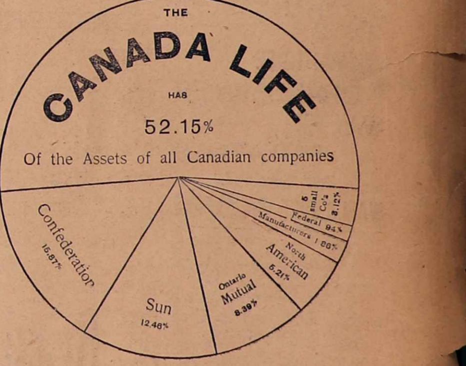
4. Loans or Advance made on its policies after the third year.
5. It settles claims in full immediately on proof of death, and obtaining a valid discharge
6. Its rates are among the lowest, and the profits given to its Policy Holders the highest of any company doing business in Canada.
7. Thirty days grace allowed for payment of premiums, and lapsed policies may be revived within 13 months, upon furnishing a satisfactory certificate of health.
8. Policies issued on all sound plans of Insurance.
9. We challenge any Company to produce, in comparison, results equal to the exampl[es] of Policies of the same date, age and kind.



A BANK MANAGER'S OPINION.

The General Manager of one of the leading banks in Canada, writing to a pe[rsonal f]riend says. "I have no hesitation in saying that I place the Canada Life upon the highest pla[ne] "'Tis in my opinion carefully, economically and honestly managed; its reserve fun[ds] 'well invested; its rates of premiums are low, and its future is I think better assured than a great majority of Companies. I have my own life insured in the Company for a round "amount, and would not hesitate to increase the amount of my policies should I decide "upon taking out further insurance.

A GOVERNMENT INSURANCE ACTUARY'S OPIN[ION]

ON THE RELATION BETWEEN ORDINARY AND TONTINE SURPLUS.

It is frequently asserted by Companies whose business is nearly all Tontined, that though the Canada Life may and does pay large ordinary profits, yet it cannot compete favorably on a long term distribution or tontine period, and that in the end better su[rplus] can be obtained on a Tontine policy in the Canada Life. To prove the absurdity [of] th[is] statement, the following piece of common sense is quoted from Mervin Tabor, late A[ctu]ar[y] of the Illinois Government Insurance Department. In his well known book "The Three Systems of Life Insurance." he says: "A company that gives large dividends on the ordinary kinds of policies, can give much larger on the same kinds when Tontined, and a company that pays but meagre dividends on the usual forms, adopting perhaps the Tontine system to "cover up" its small surpluses, cannot be relied on for large returns of surplus under the Tontine Forms of Insurance."

The CANADA LIFE does not "cover up" its Quinquennial profits as some Companies do, but publishes them throughout the country.

It can and does surpass other Companies on Quinquennial profits. It should and will surpass them on Tontine profits.

By insuring NOW a share in 3 years' profits will be secured at the next division in 1894

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For a short time we propose offering our stock of Fairbank's and Clarks make of these goods.

All kinds, all sizes and all this year's output.

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CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.

CURE

Sick Headache and relieve all the troubles incident to a bilious state of the system, such as Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Distress after eating, Pain in the Side, &c. While their most remarkable success has been shown in curing

SICK

Headache, yet CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS are equally valuable in Constipation, curing and preventing this annoying complaint, while they also correct all disorders of the stomach, stimulate the liver and regulate the bowels. Even if they only cured

HEAD

Ache they would be almost priceless to those who suffer from this distressing complaint; but fortunately their goodness does not end here, and those who once try them will find these little pills valuable in so many ways that they will not be willing to do without them. But after all sick head

ACHE

Is the bane of so many lives that here is where we make our great boast. Our pills cure it while others do not.

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS are very small and very easy to take. One or two pills make a dose. They are strictly vegetable and do not gripe or purge, but by their gentle action please all who use them. In vials at 25 cents; five for $1. Sold everywhere, or sent by mail.

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Small Pill. Small Dose. Small Price.

DR. WILLIAMS PINK PILLS FOR PALE PEOPLE

Are a BLOOD BUILDER and NERVE TONIC. They supply in condensed form ALL the substances needed to enrich the Blood and to rebuild the Nerves, thus making them a certain and speedy cure for all diseases arising from impoverished blood, and shattered nerves, such as paralysis, spinal diseases, rheumatism, sciatica, loss of memory, erysipelas, palpitation of the heart, scrofula, chlorosis or green sickness, that tired feeling that affects so many, etc. They have a specific action on the sexual system of both men and women, restoring lost vigor.

WEAK MEN

(young and old), suffering from mental worry, overwork, insomnia, excesses, or self-abuse, should take these PILLS. They will restore lost energies, both physical and mental.

SUFFERING WOMEN

afflicted with the weaknesses peculiar to their sex, such as suppression of the periods, bearing down pains, weak back, ulcerations, etc., will find these pills an unfailing cure.

PALE AND SALLOW GIRLS

should take these Pills. They enrich the blood, restore health's roses to the cheeks and correct all irregularities.

BEWARE OF IMITATIONS. These Pills are sold by all dealers only in boxes bearing our trade mark or will be sent by mail, post paid, on receipt of price—50 cents a box or 6 for $2.50.

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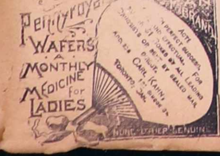

THE SILVER QUESTION.

END AND FAILURE OF THE CONFERENCE.

The Situation Presented By An American Paper — An Attempt To Appreciate Silver in the U.S. Was Made in Good Faith.

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—The Tribune editorially says:

With the end and failure of the International Monetary Conference comes the urgent question what the United States shall do. Over 14 years this country has staggered under the burden of attempting to control the silver market for the whole world. Every time it has succeeded in establishing a slightly higher market production has so increased in this and other countries that a sharp decline in price has followed.

When the Bland Silver Act was passed in 1878, compelling coinage of $2,000,000 per month, the price was over 54 pence per ounce, and that year this country produced less than 35,000,000 ounces of fine silver. Last year the country produced nearly 60,000,000 ounces, and the average price in August this year was 38.11 pence per ounce and is now 38.37 pence per ounce, a fall of about 16 pence or 32 cents per ounce since the United States began to provide an artificial market.

Yet the increase in production has gone on in spite of the fall in price. A sure market being furnished, the mines could afford to produce all that the Government has taken, even at the low prices this year, and it is evident that they have produced considerably more, because about $12,000,000 have been exported besides the quantity used in the arts. It is an obvious mistake to rely upon a falling price to regulate production of this article, so long as the Government takes enough of the product to limit the fall.

Much of the silver is produced in connection with other metals, so that its cost of production cannot be separately stated. Much is produced from mines where the cost is so low that the price must fall much further before they cease to be profitable. The Government has tried all these years to benefit silver producers by securing higher prices, but has failed, because it has succeeded so well in stimulating production.

This the United States has stated to other powers, patiently and courteously, with earnest appeal to them for their own interests to provide some larger use of silver. The present administration has done all that it could. Perhaps it would have accomplished more if it had been sustained by the people, but the transfer of power to the Democratic party was interpreted by foreign Governments as notice that free coinage by this country alone would afford them relief for a time at least, and prospects of great advantage.

They were willing to have the United States take all the risk and pay all the cost, and they kindly consented to take all the advantage they could of the opportunity. It would be simple justice to foreign powers if within a week Congress should pass and the President should sign a bill stopping at once all purchases of silver. That would leave other countries to shoulder their burdens themselves.

Senator Sherman was not the only prominent man who anticipated that the conference would fail to do anything, for no other issue could well have been expected after the defeat of President Harrison. But if Senator Sherman now asks immediate action on the measure he has proposed he will find more supporters than a short time ago seemed possible.

Had silver men themselves treated the act of 1890 in good faith as a compromise, the case might be different. They began agitating for its repeal and for free coinage, even while they were enjoying the higher prices which the act did for a time secure. During the last campaign they generally joined hands with free-coinage Democrats in denouncing the law.

If they do not wish it, and if it proves of no real benefit to the country but only a help to foreign powers, the sooner it is repealed the better. Republicans have no occasion to be ashamed of it. They tried the measure in good faith, hoping other powers would soon be ready to do their part. As other powers are not, the United States may well begin to look out for its own interests. There are other Democrats in the present Congress who are ready with Senator Hill to stop silver purchases at once.

Possibly a majority of them may yet vote to substitute free coinage. But among Republicans they will find fewer allies than before, it may be inferred from the language attributed to Senator Jones of Nevada. Long the foremost champion of silver coinage he will doubtless be supported by others if he declares that it is necessary now to impress upon foreign Powers a correct idea of the American position in this matter.

THE END IS NEAR.

Blaine Is Making a Strong Fight Against the Angel of Death.

WASHINGTON, D.C., Dec. 20.—"Mr. Blaine maintains last evening the hold he secured this morning when his condition showed a slight improvement," was the reply of Dr. W. W. Johnston, Mr. Blaine's physician, when asked how his distinguished patient was by a reporter. Dr. Hyatt, the consulting physician, who was present, concurred in the statement. They had just come from the sick room, where they had held a 15 minutes' consultation.

"Mr. Blaine is still in full possession of his faculties," continued Dr. Johnston, "and while very weak he is nevertheless as cheerful after the trying ordeal of yesterday as could be expected. He converses as freely as he is permitted to do by his family, and partakes regularly of nourishment. It is impossible to state how long Mr. Blaine is likely to survive. Speculation on such a subject would simply be idle nonsense. I don't think Mr. Blaine is in any danger of dying to-night. Further than that I do not care to state."

A friend of the family stated that Blaine is liable to a recurrent attack of heart failure at any moment, and that the family have been warned to prepare for the worst when it comes.

"When," said the gentleman, "the physicians state that Mr. Blaine is better they simply mean that he is alive, and that is about the true statement of his condition."

Chopped Up.

ST. LOUIS, Dec 20.—The ghastly work of a St. Louis murderer or a dissecting student was the terrible revelation yesterday, in the baggage depot at Quincy, Ill. The remains of a white man were found chopped to pieces and jammed into an old soap box. This receptacle had been shipped from the Union depot in St. Louis as baggage. The police were notified and took charge of the remains.

A Theosophist Coming.

MONTREAL, Dec. 20.—Mrs. Besant, the theosophist, will visit Canada next month. She will lecture here.

SHILOH'S CONSUMPTION CURE.

This GREAT COUGH CURE, this successful CONSUMPTION CURE, is without a parallel in the history of medicine. All druggists are authorized to sell it on a positive guarantee, a test that no other cure can successfully stand. If you have a Cough, Sore Throat, or Bronchitis, use it, for it will cure you. If your child has the Croup, or Whooping Cough, use it promptly, and relief is sure. If you dread that insidious disease CONSUMPTION, *don't fail* to use it, it will cure you or cost nothing. Ask your Druggist for SHILOH'S CURE, Price 10 cts., 50 cts. and $1.00.

"How are you?"
"Nicely, Thank You."
"Thank Who?"
"Why the inventor of

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Which cured me of CONSUMPTION."

Give thanks for its discovery. That it does not make you sick when you take it.

Give thanks. That it is three times as efficacious as the old-fashioned cod liver oil.

Give thanks. That it is such a wonderful flesh producer.

Give thanks. That it is the best remedy for *Consumption, Scrofula, Bronchitis, Wasting Diseases, Coughs and Colds.*

Be sure you get the genuine in Salmon color wrapper; sold by all Druggists, at 50c. and $1.00.

SCOTT & BOWNE, Belleville.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

Attention

Of the Lubon Medical Company is now a Toronto, Canada, and may be consulted either in person or by letter on all chronic diseases peculiar to man. Men, young, old, or middle-aged, who find themselves nervous, weak and exhausted, who are broken down from excess or overwork, resulting in many of the following symptoms; Mental depression, premature old age, loss of vitality, loss of memory, bad dreams, dimness of sight, palpitation of the heart, emissions, lack of energy, pain in the kidneys, headache, pimples on the face or body, itching or peculiar sensation about the scrotum, wasting of organs, dizziness, specks before the eyes, twitching of the muscles, eyelids and elsewhere, bashfulness, deposits in the urine, loss of will power, tenderness of scalp and spine, weak and flabby muscles, desire to sleep, failure to be rested by sleep, constipation, dullness of hearing, loss of voice, desire for solitude, excitability of temper, s eyes surrounded with leaden circle, oily looking skin etc., are all symptoms of nervous debility that lead to insanity unless cured. The spring or vital force having lost its tension every function wanes in consequence. Those who through abuse committed in ignorance may be permanently cured. your address for book on all diseases peculiar to man Books sent free sealed. Heart disease, the symptoms of which are faint spells, purple lips, numbness, palpitation, skip beats, hot flushes rush of blood to the head, dull pain in the heart with beats strong, rapid and irregular, the second beat quicker than the first, pain about the breast bone, etc., can positively be cured. No cure no pay. Send for book. Address M. V. LUBON 24 Macdonell Ave, Toronto Ont.

All through the Provinces the rapid increase of La Grippe, is causing great alarm. A report was received here to-day, of a new development of the disease, which is worse, perhaps than any other. Wm. Hanley of N. Y. City, died in terrible agony after sickness of only four days, His tongue swelled to such an extent as to make it impossible for him to close his jaws or swallow any food. The report is causing the people in this district to inquire into the noted Grip-cure, recently referred to in so many papers. In Cape Breton the disease has spread very rapidly and with fatal results, D. J. Killop of L'Archeveque writes Feb. 11th that this cure has been tried in his neighborhood and with such success that all those residing there are obtaining a supply believing it to be the only remedy affording relief and effecting a certain cure. He finished his letter by asking for a large quantity of the Medicine (Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills) to supply the demands of the community for the relief of LaGrippe.

Great Surprise

Is in store for all who use, Kemp's Balsam for the throat and lungs, the great guarantee remedy. Would you believe that it is sold on its merits and that any druggist is authorized by the proprietor of his wonderful remedy to give you a sample bottle free? It never fails to cure acute or chronic coughs. All druggists sell Kemp's Balsam Large bottles 50 cents and $1

A Question

How can we raise more corn to the acher? Why, of course by using Putman's Corn Extractor. Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor has given universal satisfaction, for it is safe, sure and painless. Like every article of real merit it has a host of imitators, and we would specially warn the public to guard against these dangerous substitutes offered for the genuine, Putman's Extractor. N. C. Polson & Co., proprietors, Kingston.

Advice to Mothers

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used by millions of mothers for children teething for over fifty years, with perfect success. It relieves the little sufferer at once, produces natural quiet sleep, and freeing the child from pain, and the young cherub wakes as bright as a button.' It is pleasant to taste, soothes the child softens the gums, allays pain, relieves wind, regulates the bowels, and is the best known remedy for diarrhoea, whether arising from teething or other causes 25cts

Diseases of The Liver

Parmelee's Pills possess the power of acting specifically upon the deceased organs, stimulating to action the dormant energies of the system, thereby removing disease. In fact, so great is the power of this medicine to cleanse and purify that disease of almost every name and nature are driven from the body. Mr. D. Carswell, Carswell, P. O., writes I have tried Parmelee's Pills and find them an excellent medicine.

REAL ESTATE.

Houses to-let, bought and sold, six lots for sale on Lingham street, west of the Bleeck street church

Valuations made. Office on Pinnacle next to the Ashley Carriage Co.

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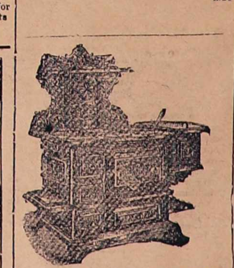

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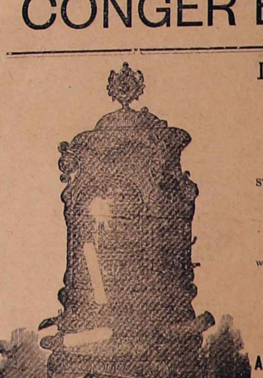

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THE DAILY ONTARIO

BELLEVILLE, TUESDAY, DEC. 20TH

TOLD IN A LINE OR TWO

It was ten degrees above zero at 8.30 this morning.

Ald. Gordon will be a candidate for re-election in Ketchesen ward.

The thermometer reached two degrees below zero last night.

Phil Acton will be a candidate in Bleecker ward.

Ald. Fowell held a large meeting in Bleecker ward last night.

A ball under the auspices of the Y.I.C. B.A., and St. Gertrude Ladies Society will be held in the city hall on Wednesday evening Jan 4th.

Ald. Ponton, will offer himself for aldermanic honors in Ketcheson ward, as will be seen by his card in another column. Mr. Ponton has made a good representative and has guarded well the interests of the city. He is a hard worker and has progressive ideas of municipal legislation.

The Methodist Sabbath School, of Sidney Town Hall, will give a fine literary entertainment on Friday evening next, Dec. 23. The best talent has been secured and a rare treat may be looked for.

It is a significant fact that while most of the candidates for municipal honors pledge themselves as favorable to the reduction of the number of aldermen, such a motion when brought up in the council is consigned to an ignominious death.

Examine Fairyland's advertisement and their list of handsome Christmas gift books. We carry no trash, nothing but the best and that we give good value we leave to our customers.

It is not unlikely that an electric street railway system for Belleville, will assume definite shape before spring. Already there is a movement on foot to have such a line operated in the city.

Ald. Walmsley has his card in to-day's ONTARIO for Murney ward. There is no man in Belleville who has given more thought to the best interests of the city than Mr. Walmsley. He is anxious to see the city go ahead, and prosper.

The merchants and manufacturers electric exhibition to-night on the corner of Front and Bridge streets, under the direction of S. Retallack.

Joe Thompson was charged at the police court to-day with drunkenness and assaulting Officer Hayes last night at the Grand Trunk depot. He was fined $25 in default three months in jail. Geo Dole, vagrant, 30 days.

Ex-Ald. Petrie will be a candidate for the mayoralty. A characteristically worded card will be found in another column.

A carload of new sleighs has just arrived at Fairyland. Mr. Scantlebury realizes that these have arrived late in the season and in order to clear them out will offer them at half price until Christmas.

Lyman Jones, whose barn with its contents was destroyed by fire yesterday morning at five o'clock, will be a loser by $3,000. A lantern was left on a fanning mill when it exploded. Besides his crop and implements he lost ten cows and four horse.

All friends and supporters of Ald. Fowell are invited to meet at his Central Committee rooms, 2 doors south of Intelligencer office, at 7:30 to-night (Tuesday) for the purpose of forming committees, &c., to help his canvass for he Mayoralty.

At St. Ola yesterday the following nominations were made for Limerick township:—P. P. Clark, reeve; Wm Marton, Jno. Phillips, Fred Vandervoort, Robt. Campbell, and Robt. Eliott. Mr. Jno. Phillips asked the consent of his nominator and seconder to resign which was granted, leaving the council elected by acclamation.

No Return.

After a lapse of seven years the following letter explains itself: Toronto, Ont., April 17, 1887. "I would state that your remedy, St. Jacob's Oil, had the desired effect of curing me effectually of rhematism, with which I suffered in 1880. I have never had any return of the pain which I endured for months previous. It affords me great pleasure to say I have recommended it to a number of friends. Too much praise cannot be devoted to its healing qualities." J. ABRAHAM, Passenger Agent, 51 York St. Hundreds certify that once cured, the cure is permanent.

How to save money is a problem that interests everybody. One way to do it is to invigorate the system with Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Being a highly concentrated blood medicine, it is the most powerful and economical. It is sold for a dollar a bottle, but worth five.

THE LIQUOR LICENSES.

ALD CLARKE SHUTS OUT HIS OWN BY-LAW.

The By-law Would not be Legal if Read the Second Time Last Night—Ald Clarke Fails to Attend the Committee Meeting

The city council held a regular meeting last night, his worship mayor Bogart in the chair. All the members were present except Alds. Fowell, Hay, Mikel, and Taylor.

A letter was read from L. M. Bowman, chief sanitary engineer of the health department, Toronto, in which he stated that he had read the report of W. J. Smith, C.E., of Toronto, and while he agreed that his scheme contained many good points he did not think it practicable. He believed that such a scheme would interfere with the health of the water supply. The writer said that he would be glad to address the council at any time on the matter of sewerage.

Ald. Ponton said he expected to go to Toronto this week with the mayor and would make such arrangements with Mr. Bowman as would be in the best interests of the city.

Ald. Diamond introduced a by-law which was passed through its various stages, appointing Henry Pringle and William Clarke school trustees, caused by the resignation of E. Hyanes and J. H. Simpson.

Ald. Ponton introduced a by law exempting from taxation the old Burrell axe factory, which it is proposed to convert into a manufactory. The by-law was read a first time and referred to the by-law committee.

Ald. Clarke moved the second reading of his by-law regulating the number of tavern licenses.

Mayor Bogart.—The by-law committee to which it was referred at the last meeting has not reported.

Ald. Clarke—I was never asked to be present at a committee meeting.

Ald. Starling went into committee of the whole on by-laws.

Ald. Clarke again moved the second reading of his by-law, but was interrupted by Ald. Diamond's by law.

At the conclusion of the latter business the alderman from Coleman ward pressed his by-law, which was seconded by Ald. Gordon.

Ald. Walmsley did not think that such a proceeding would be regular. It was Ald. Clarke's own motion at the last meeting of the council, that the by-law be referred to the by-law committee. At the meeting of the committee Ald. Clarke was not present, and it would be necessary to have the matter come before the proper committee before it could receive its second reading. The speaker was prepared to take the matter up but would like to go about it right.

Ald. Diamond said the matter was one of importance and would, if carried out, materially effect the interests of several large property holders, in the city. It was a matter that should be gone about legally.

Ald. Clarke then moved, seconded by Ald. Diamond, that the by-law be recinded.

Ald. Walmsley took this as a reflect on on the by-law committee. Was their any reason why this matter should not be considered in the regular way?

Ald. Lingham thought Ald. Clarke was going a little fast. It was a matter that could be taken up at the next meeting.

Ald. Clarke said that the matter was no new thing. Every alderman was acquainted with the purport of the by-law. If it was taken up last night it could be put through during the life of the present council. At the last municipal election the citizens had voted for a reduction of the number of tavern licenses, and it was in harmony with that vote that he had introduced the by law. He would like to have an expression of opinion on the matter and have it adopted or rejected.

Ald. Diamond was anxious to serve the interests of the city, but would like to do it legally. Even if Ald. Clarke's by-law be read a second time last night it could not be legal. All by-laws must be introduced and have its final reading within the same year the council exists.

City Solicitor Henderson concurred in this opinion. He had gone over the law in this connection with Ald. Diamond and a by-law could not be read a second time last night and become legal this year.

Mayor Bogart had also looked up the statute in this matter and agreed with the previous speaker.

The motion to recind the by-law was lost on the following yeas and nays:

YEAS.—Gordon, Clarke, Grills, Hopkins, Luscombe.—5.

NAYS.—Diamond, Doyle, Foster, Graham, La Roche, Lingham, Shevlin, Starling, Wallbridge, Walmsley.—10.

Council adjourned.

SALE OF PERIODICALS.

Good Prices Realized at the Methodist Reading Room Last Night

The following prices were realized at the sale of magazines and periodicals for 1893 at the rooms of the Bridge St. Methodist Young People's Association last evening: Illustrated News $2.25, Harper's Weekly $2.50, Bazaar $1.50, Frank Leslie's $2 75, Grip $1.25; Graphic $3.75, Scientific American $2, Christian Herald 80c, Guardian $1, Sunday School Times 25c, Golden Rule 80c, Onward 25. Youth's Companion $1.20, Harper's Young People $1.25, Magazine $2.30, Century $2.35, Art Amateur $2.70, Methodist Magazine $1.10, Scribner $2.00, Guide to Holiness 75c, Ladies Home Journal 80c, Boy's Own $1.50, Girl's Own $1.10, St Nichol's $1.90, Methodist Quarterly 25c, Review of Reviews $2.10; Chicago Tribune $1.50; Globe 65c, Mail 55c, Empire 50c, Intelligencer 50c, ONTARIO 55c, Canada Citizen 25.

Dame Nature is a Good Book-keeper

She don't let us stay long in her debt before we settle for what we owe her. She gives us a few years' grace at the most, but the reckoning surely comes. Have you neglected a cough or allowed your blood to grow impure without heeding the warnings? Be wise in time, and get the world famed Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, which cures as well as promises. As a blood renovator, a lung-healer, and a cure for scrofulous taints, it towers above all others, as Olympus overtops a mole hill. To warrant a commodity is to be honorable and above deception and a guarantee is a symbol of honest dealing. You get it with every bottle of the "Discovery." By druggists.

Lovely fresh Haddock received by press at Goldsmith's Fish Store, Market Square—Ciscoes, Finnan Haddie, Yarmouth Bloats, etc. 6td

If you want a Cough-mixture that your wife can take without making a face at you, and your children will cry for, and that will cure their coughs and colds quicker than anything you ever brought home to them, then get Magnus Expectorant.

New goods just arrived at Goldsmith's fish store, Bridge street—groceries, fish, fruits, cigars, oysters, cider, candies. Refreshments and lunches at all hours.

You will save money by getting your stoves and ranges from Deacon & Doyle.

Geen is showing a very nice line of perfumes in plain and fancy bottles, also in bulk.

RAMBLES IN ROME

MISS ELLA GARDINER VISITS A VENETIAN GLASS WORKS.

A Government Institution in Which 5,000 women are Employed—St Mark's Church, —On the Grand Canal—the Rialto and the Bridge of Sighs.

Then others were putting many of these threads together and weaving them into beautiful baskets. In another room, many were at work picking up little bits of glass of various colors and sticking them piece by piece into some kind of prepared cement, which hardens in the course of a few days. They worked according to patterns and the picture frames, mirrors, paper weights, jewelry, etc., that they were making were perfectly exquisite. I wish you could see the display of Venetian glass cups, saucers, glasses, bottles, scent bottles, etc. The lace manufactory is a government institution and employs over 5,000 women and girls. We saw them at all kinds of work, children just learning in the school and doing the coarser varieties and women doing the very finest of Venetian painting. The curtains, coverlets, collars, cuffs, dresses, etc., shown us were most magnificent. St. Mark's is the most elaborate and most gaudy of all the churches we have seen. It is of Greek-Byzantine archtecture with five circular cupolas. The whole front is one mass of ornament, mosaics, frescoes and statuary almost numberless. Inside, too, the walls and floors as well as the ceiling are most gaily adorned. It is very wonderful, but too bright and too highly adorned to suit my taste. We saw in it four pillars from Solomon's temple and the guide books told of many other treasures, but we couldn't get a glimpse at them. We saw however, St. Mark's tomb, and they say they have his body in it. We enjoyed very much a sail down the Grand Canal under the Rialto, past the Bridge of Sighs, past the houses of Byron, Browning and Wagner, past also the Turkish, German and Jewish quarters, the palaces of the various Doges and of Lucrezia Borgia. In our sail we saw two funerals, one that of a rich and another that of a poor man. The gondoles carring the coffins were larger than the ordinary ones and the rich man's was covered with flowers. Then followed several others in procession, with priests carrying candles, mourners and friends. Yesterday we sailed to Lido and went a long way along the shores of the Adriatic. Tuesday I finished a letter to our college Mission Band, bought some Italian books that Charlie will need in his course, had a lesson, packed up, had lunch, and at two o'clock we started for Bologna. We were all very loth to leave beautiful Forence and Mr. L has been wishing himself back ever since. It is altogether the loveliest place we have visited, so beautiful for situation, so clean, so healthful, so full of historical interest, the centre of literature and art in Italy and with very many beautiful gardens, parks, eveything to make it attractive. One of my pleasantest memories in thinking of it will always be my lessons with Signora Baccini. When I told her Monday we were to leave on Tuesday, she expressed great regret and gave me a couple of her books. She has written very many books and is editress of a paper "Cordelia". The trip to Bologna occupied about five hours. We passed through forty-eight tunnels, as we climbed and then descended the Apennines. Our travelling companions were two Italian gentlemen, very affable and kind. They said it had cost $30,000 to build each kilometre of that road (a kilometre is ⅝ of a mile.) The scenery most of the way was very wild, great ravines and streams running through them, following one another in quick succession, though occasionally we passed through broad and fertile valleys with populous towns and cities. We found a very comfortable hotel in Bologna though its very wide halls and marble floors did not contribute in any way to warmth. Wednesday morning we drove about that city for an hour and a half and saw very many objects of interest. We visited first the old cathedral, a Gothic building of beautiful architecture though not as ornamental as many we have seen. We thought, however, it was much more appropriate for a church than be filled with paintings and statuary. Bologna has two leaning towers, one having, I think, as much inclination as that in Pisa, though it is not such a work of architecture. You know Bologna belonged directly to Rome for very many years, so that all its public buildings, banks, city hall, etc. are adorned with images of the Virgin Mary and the saints. The streets were wide and there were very many fine open squares with monuments and statues. We passed the house where Galvani lived and made his discoveries of Galvanism, many churches, the market, the public gardens, etc. At half past ten we were on our way to Venice and by giving a guard a few cents we obtained a compartment all to our selves. All along, the people were ploughing, each with six yoke of white oxen and a most primitive plough, such as was used in the days of Romulus I guess. We saw many loads of tow and hemp also drawn by white oxen or cows. Between Padua and Venice, the fields began to look almost like those in Holland, though there were none of the curious Dutch wind mills in sight. However, the fields were drained by great trenches, often regular canals with rows of poplars or willows on each side. The water kept on increasing till we were finally in Venice the Pearl of the sea and the Queen of the Adriatic. It seemed very strange after walking through the station to find ourselves on the shore of a large canal and in place of being surrounded by cabmen we were as once approached by a dozen or more gondoliers. We bargained with one to take us to our hotel and were soon seated in a black gondola under a little canopy rowing through many canals to our destination. After securing our rooms, we started out to see something of this strange city. One of the porters inquired if we wished to walk or row and when we told him we preferred to walk, he led us to a side door which opens on what the people here call a 'Calle' or narrow street. But my space is all occupied, so I close with love to all.

TOWN TALK

Pain in back is cured by Membray's Kidney and Liver cure. Ask D. M. Waters, chemist and druggist, about it

It will be worth your while to call and see the grand stock of stoves and ranges Deacon & Doyle have on hand.

D. M. Waters, Chemist and druggist Belleville, has a supply of Membray's Kidney and Liver Cure in stock. Ask about it.

For hanging and standlamps try Geen Drug Store.

Milburn's Cod Liver Oil Emulsion with Wild Cherry and Hypophosphites builds up and strengthens the entire system.

F. A. Abraham, issuer of marriage licenses at the ONTARIO Office.

Deacon & Doyle carry a full line of gas fixtures, also Bray's patent burner the great saver of gas.

It is only a couple of years since Sister Magnus was first offered to the public and it has already affected more cures of lung diseases than all other remedies combined have done in twenty years.

THAT BIG HOTEL.

PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS ARE NOW BEING GOT OUT.

Tenders Will be Called for in a Few Days—The Building Will Be Erected on the Site of the Old Dafoe House and Will cost $30 000.

It will be interesting news to the public to learn that Belleville's big hotel is all but an established fact. A reporter of the ONTARIO saw W. H. Biggar, M.P.P., today and was told that the plans were now being altered by Gillen & Gillen of Kingston in persuance of certain suggestions made by the proposed stockholders. Mr Biggar informed the reporter that as soon as the plans were completed, which would be in the course of a few days, specifications would be got out and tenders called for. The building will be erected on the site of the old Dafoe House and will cost $30,000. It will be a first class hotel in every respect and is being built with a view of securing the American tourist trade As the ONTARIO has before intimated the day is not far distant when a fast line of steamers will be put on between Belleville and Rochester and with C. P. R. connection (and an active movement is now on foot) the Bay City has before it an era of prosperity never known by any city in Ontario. With questions of such vital importance to come before the council of 1893, citizens should see that good, executive business men are elected aldermen. The stockholders of the hotel are: W. H. Biggar, M. P. P.; U. E. Thompson, D. M. Waters, John Bell, Q. C., Thos. Ritchie and H. Corby, M.P.

James Jenkins, late proprietor of the Hub, has made a proposition to the shareholders to lease the new premises. The offer has not been as yet accepted.

The Mythological Fates

"Somewhere on the unknown shore,
Where the streams of life their waters pour
There sit three sisters, ever more
Weaving a silken thread."

Lovers of classic paintings are familiar with that famous group, called the "Three Fates." Fate seems cruel when it deprives women and girls of health. But in Dr. Pierce's Favorite Perscription they find a cure of untold value for nervous prostration, sick headache, bearing-down pains, bloating weak stomach, anteversion, retroversion, and all those excruciating complaint that make the lives miserable. All who use it praise it. It contains no hurtful ingredients and is guaranteed to give satisfaction in every case, or its price ($1.00) will be refunded.

DR GIBSON WILL NOT RUN

His Professional Duties Will Not Allow Him to Enter Public Life

A deputation composed of Thos. Ritchie, Col. Lazier, N. B. Falkiner, Allan McFee, J. P. Thompson, J P Thomas and a large number of others yesterday waited on Dr. Gibson to request him to offer himself for the mayoralty. The requisition was signed by one hundred and fifty names. The doctor was completely taken by surprise and asked until to day to give an answer. To-day the doctor while, thanking his numerous friends for their kindness in pledging him their support, felt his professional duties would not allow him to enter municipal matters, and therefor begged to be allowed to remain in private life.

A Penny's Worth

This is the title of a clever little booklet relating to the advantages of North Galveston. It tells how anybody that has saved up a "rainy day" penny can make a judicious use of it; either in investing in city property or in adjoining fruit lots. The North Galveston Association is represented in Belleville by John Forin, who will be pleased to call upon any citizen of this town and explain the remarkable advantages of North Galveston, either in point of settlement or investment.

Select Before Saturday

Those who possibly can select their clothing before Saturday this week we wish they would. On Saturday next the Oak Hall expect it will be impossible to wait on all that come in. The city customers could pick out the clothing they wanted and have it laid away until Saturday evening. This arrangement we think is of as much benefit to the customer as ourselves.

No One Need Pity You

If you die of consumption without having tried that celebrated cure, now being talked about by every one, and known as Miller's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil, you are not entitled to any pity. If you want to stay with your friends in the flesh, do not let an hour pass by without sending to the nearest drug store for Miller's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil. Read about the wonderful cures it has wrought. This is the electrical age of wonders, and this Emulsion is the product of the latest researches in science. In big bottles, 50c and $1, at all drug stores.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

The Arcadia says: "Mr. Gilbert Parker is visiting Canada to get material and local color for a series of short stories to be published in the Illustrated London News."

ON FIRE WITH ECZEMA

Terrible Sufferings of Little Baby. Seven Doctors and Two Hospitals Fail. Cured by Cuticura.

My baby boy, 5 months old, broke out with eczema. The itching and burning was intense; the eczema spread to his limbs, breast, face, and head, until he was nearly covered; his torturing agonies were pitiable to behold; he had no peace and but little rest night or day. He was under treatment at different times at two hospitals and by seven doctors in this city without the least benefit; every prescription of the doctors was faithfully tried, but he grew worse all the time. For months I expended about $3 per week for medicines, and was entirely discouraged. I purchased CUTICURA, CUTICURA SOAP and CUTICURA RESOLVENT and followed the directions to the letter. Relief was immediate, his sufferings were eased, and rest and sleep permitted. He steadily improved and in nine weeks was entirely cured, and has now as clear a skin and is as fair a boy as any mother could wish to see. I recommend every mother to use it for every Baby Humor.

MRS. M. FERGUSON,
86 W. Brookline st., Boston.

Cuticura Remedies

The greatest skin cures, blood purifiers, and humor remedies of modern times, instantly relieve the most agonizing forms of eczema and psoriasis, and speedily, permanently, economically, and infallibly cure every species of torturing, disfiguring, itching, burning, bleeding, scaly, crusted, and pimply diseases and humors of the skin, scalp, and blood, with loss of hair, from infancy to age, whether simple, scrofulous, or hereditary, when all other methods and best physicians fail.

Sold everywhere. Price, CUTICURA, 75c.; SOAP, 35c.; RESOLVENT, $1.50 Prepared by the POTTER DRUG AND CHEMICAL CORPORATION, Boston.

Send for "How to Cure Skin Diseases," 64 pages, 50 illustrations, and 100 testimonials.

PIMPLES, blackheads, red, rough, chapped, and oily skin cured by CUTICURA SOAP.

OLD FOLKS' PAINS.

Full of comfort for all Pains, Inflammation, and Weakness of the Aged is the Cuticura Anti-Pain Plaster, the first and only pain-killing strengthening plaster. New, instantaneous, and infallible.

SEVENTEENTH

CHRISTMAS

AT

FISH'S

Our Holiday Goods are all in Stock and we think we can truthfully say that in our seventeen years of catering for the Xmas trade we have never equalled or approached the display we are making this year.

READ CAREFULLY FOLLOWING LISTS:

FOR GENTLEMEN

Leather Collar and Cuff Boxes
Leather Companions
Leather Brush Cases
Smoking Jackets
Dressing Gowns
Four-in-hand Ties
Knot Ties
Windsor Ties
Silk Coat Scarfs
Cashmere Coat Scarfs
Silk Handkerchiefs
Initial Handkerchiefs
Hemstitch Handkerchiefs
Linen Hankerchiefs in Boxes
Silk Braces
Fancy Braces
Silk Cuffs
Wool Cuffs
Cuff Buttons
Scarf Pins
Collar Buttons
White Dress Shirts
English Dress Shirts
Flannel Shirts
Linen Collars and Cuffs
Celluloid Collars and Cuffs
Silk Umbrellas, Fancy Handles
Walking Sticks
Waterproof Coats
Fine Kid Gloves
Lined Kid Gloves
Astrachan Gloves, Kid Mitts
Wool Mitts
Cardigan Jackets, etc

FOR LADIES

Silk Shawls from Japan
Silk Handkerchiefs from Japan
Initial Silk Handkerchiefs
The new White Crepe Hdkfs'
Windsor Ties, etc.

FOR BOYS

Gloves and Mitts
Wool and Silk Cuffs
Braces
White and Flannel Shirts
Collars and Cuffs
Scarf Pins
Cuff Buttons
Collar Buttons
Kid Gloves
Astrachan Gloves
Silk Handkerchiefs
Linen Handkerchiefs
Fancy Handkerchiefs
Windsor Ties
Knot Ties
Four-in-hand Ties
Undershirts and Drawers
Boy's Cardigan Jackets
Boy's Bow Ties
Etc., Etc., Etc.

Our prices are the Lowest, our goods are the Newest, and our Stock is the Largest. See our 10c, 15c, 25c, 35c and 50c Tie Tables, and our Silk Handkerchiefs at 25c. Come and look through even if you don't want to buy. We take a pleasure in showing our Novelties

A. E. FISH & CO.

The leading Furnishers, 260 Front Street, Belleville

JAS. A. CONGER

There will be a MERRY CHRISTMAS at your House if you buy your GIFTS at

JAS. A. CONGER.

In Lamps we lead, both in Price, Assortment and Design.

VISIT FAIRYLAND!

Is there another store in which you can get such variety of Christmas Gift Goods? NO!

WE HAVE

Leather and Plush Albums	50 to	$10 00
" " Companions	75 to	10 00
Persian Silver "	2 50 to	25 00
Oxidized Silver Companions	2 00 to	7 00
Ivory Manicure and Companions	1 00 to	13 00
Travelling Cases	1 25 to	7 50
Glove and Handkerchief Sets	1 00 to	10 00
Collar and Cuff Cases	25 to	5 00
Chatalaines	1 00 to	6 50
New Boston Shopping Bag	4 00 to	7 50
Handsome Purses	25 to	6 00
Music Cases	1 65 to	6 00
Ladies' and Gentlemen's Card Cases	25 to	4 50
Gentlemen's Wallets	25 to	4 00
Cigar Cases	25 to	5 00
Tobacco Cases	35 to	5 00
Paper Knives	15 to	3 00
Opera Glasses	1 50 to	15 00
Gold Headed and Other Canes	50 to	12 50
Gold Pens and Holders	1 50 to	5 00
" Pencil Cases	75 to	5 00
Fountain Pens—Gold Nib	1 50 to	5 00
Fans—Gauze and Feather	25 to	8 50
Photo Frames—Metal	25 to	3 65
Bibles—Family and Pocket	10 to	15 00
Art Gilt Books from	25 to	10 00
3893 Art Calenders	15 to	1 50

Hymn Books for English, Presbyterian and Methodist Church.
Prayer Books—All Styles. Poets—A complete Line.
Devotional and Birthday Books—all kinds. Also a complete line of Annuals, Board Books and Toy Books cheaper than ever. Sunday Library and Prize Books special Lines and Prices.
Games, Dolls and Sleighs in Endless Variety and at closest cut prices.
Christmas Cards and Books, large variety, new and cheap.
Art Novelties in Fancy Goods of German, Austrian and American importation comprising Art Brass Goods, Bisque Figures, Japanese Novelties in Oxidized Brass and Rare China.
In fact everything that can be shown in a well-equipped Book and Fancy Goods House.

C. B. SCANTLEBURY,

VISIT FAIRYLAND—It Grows More Attractive Daily.
We will be open until nine o'clock each night until after Christmas.

SHOP EARLY.

And often this week. Thursday and Saturday the farmers will demand a large share of our attention Our display don't include raisins or tea, pills or perfumery, books or dolls but if you want a piece of SILVER WARE, A LAMP, a DINNER or TEA SET or anything in china crockery why see us—that's where we shine—so much better choice in such a store as this than shops where there's a little of everything and not much of anything. Nine hanging and five parlor table lamps sold Saturday. This shows how the main stream of trade keeps to the old channel.
Open every night this week.

W. J. REID & CO,

Crystal Hall - - - Rous' Old Stand

Greeting and Compliments
OF THE SEASON
To All Our Patrons.

CHRISTMAS MUST BE OBSERVED

And the best way to observe the Anniversary is to BUY ONE OF OUR $20.00 FINE TAILOR MADE SUITS FOR $12.00. But what we want to talk to you about this week is **FURNISHINGS** for Holiday Trade. Read our Price List:—

$1.50	Kid Gloves we sell for	1.00,	6.00	Silk Underwear we sell for	$3.00
1.25	" "	90.	5.00	Natural Wool Underwear	2.75
75	" "	50.	3,00	Scotch Underwear "	1.75
1.00	Heavy all-wool under'wr	65.	40	Cashmere SockS "	25

Silk Handkerchiefs, in beautiful patterns, 20, 25, 50, 75 and $1.00. Ties we commence at 10c, worth 25. Our 25c Tie is worth 50, and our 45c Tie is sold all over for 75c. In Ties we carry the largest range in the County, and whilst we are Clothing First, Last and Always, we show the largest and Nobbiest range of Furnishings in Belleville. Remember we sell all our goods retail at wholesale prices. A call is solicited.

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Fire and Life,
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For sale by Druggists, 50c. per box, or sent post paid for 50c., or 6 boxes $2.50.
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LUNG DISEASES. Obstinate coughs ... resist other remedies yield promptly to this pleasant piny syrup.
PRICE 25C. AND 50C. PER BOTTLE.
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Equal to the very best imp...
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THIS WEEK!

We are showing a fine line of Fancy Goods for the Xmas trade also our stock of General Dry Goods is Complete in every Department.

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OPPOSITE HOTEL STREET

Now for a bargain! IN STOVES

Big Cheap Sale of Stoves at

FOSTERS

We must dispose of our Immense Stock of Stoves, and for the next 30 days will offer low bargains.

The John Bull Range,
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Are having a large sale. Call and examine our stock and prices.

FOSTER & FOSTER

To the Electors Ketcheson Ward

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,—I respectfully ask your votes and influence as a Candidate for Alderman for 1893. I am in favor of the reduction of aldermen to at least fourteen to be elected by the whole city. The present wards to remain intact. I will support all measures which as a citizen I think to be in the best interest of the present position and future progress of this city, believing neither in undue municipal extravagance nor in false economy.

WILLIAM N. PONTON.

Belleville, Dec. 1892.

Notice.

All accounts due the late John R. Brown, must be paid to Geo. R. Brown, merchant ailor, before 1st January to save costs.

NEW FIGS.
CRANBERRIES
SWEET POTATOES
Just Received.
WALLBRIDGE & CLARKE

Messina Lemons only 25c per doz.
Florida Oranges only 25 and 30c doz.
Valencia Oranges only 15c per doz.
Fine Cream Candies, 20c per lb.
Mixed Candies, 8 and 10c per lb.
Very Fine Chocolates 20c per lb.

Special Bargains in Teas and Coffees during Xmas Week.
ALEX. HARRIS.
Grocer, Belleville.

FEARMAN'S
Prepared Mince Meat
READY FOR PIES
YOUNG
THE GROCER.

THIS MATTER CHANGED DAILY
Wednesday Dec. 21st.
GOING.

Xmas goods of all kinds are going freely now as we are very busy every day. We endeavor to suit everyone and have a little of everything to do it. All our goods have been most carefully bought and we are sure we are not undersold. Give us a look through and see our goods. We will not unduly press you to buy.

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Corner Front and Br... e streets

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—FOR—
XMAS - TRADE
—AT—
BRASIER'S

We are showing for the Holiday Trade our usual fine stock of Furs in Ladies'

CAPES, COLLARS, MUFFS, CAPS, } In all the leading styles and in every kind of Fur.

Gent's Fine Collars and Cuffs, Caps, Gauntlets and Coat Linings.

Ladies' Fine Jackets made to order in Seal, Persian and Grey Lamb in the latest style.

Our stock of Robes and Coats is very large and pric... ry low.

Musk Ox Robes Extra Fine Quality.

Gent's Gloves and Mitts—a large assortment

For a nice Christmas Present call and see my stock.

J. Brasier,

The Leading Hatter and Furrier.
Front Street Belleville.

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FOR GENTLEMEN!
All those suffering from Nervous Debility and Weakness and having been unsuccessfully treated, will find this famous remedy a certain and speedy cure for Lost Manhood, Premature Decay, Inability, Lack of Confidence, Mental Depression, Palpitation of the Heart, Weak Memory, Exhausted Vitality, Errors of Youth, Secret Diseases, Evil Dreams, etc. Price $1 per box, or six boxes, which will cure most cases, for $5, postpaid. All correspondence confidential. Write for circular. Address QUEEN MEDICINE CO'Y Montreal.

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Books, Fancy Goods, Albums, Bibles, ...yer Books, Musical Instruments, Child...s Carriages, Sleighs, and in fact the ...le of the large and varied stock.

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FOR
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PIC-NIC SETS
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BON-BON BOXES,
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Perfume in Cut Glass and Fancy Bottles.

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Chemist and Druggist,

1870—ESTABLISHED—1870
25 PER CENT. OFF
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For Xmas week only for the following lines

Shoulder Capes
In all kinds of Furs.
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In all kinds of Furs.
FULL LENGTH RUSSIAN CIRCULARS
AND ¾ LENGTHS.
AT
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MANUFACTURING FURRIER
☞ Highest price paid for Raw Furs.

WANTED

Ladies and young men to take our work at their own homes; constant employment; work forwarded by mail and we pay good prices; experience not necessary; no canvassing. Address for particulars, Standard Manufacturing Co., Lock Box 107, South Framingham, Mass. Inclose stamps.

MAYORALTY.

Ladies and Gentlemen.

Having been requested by a large number of influential electors of the city of Belleville to offer myself for Mayor for 1893, I have consented to do so, and now respectfully solicit your votes and influence. I have resided in the city six years, three of which I have served in the city council and school board. I would respectfully refer you to my work therein. I come out as a business man having had 20 years business experience in different parts of Canada, which is of great service to anyone in filling the civic chair. I have chosen Belleville as my home and have invested all my capital in and around the city, and my interests being centered here I will, if elected, do all in my power as I have done heretofore, to advance the best interests of the city. I strongly urge the reduction of the number of Aldermen and shall use every endeavor to carry into effect the proposal made by me to the council in respect to it last year.

I have also in view the grave necessity of getting the city in the best sanitary condition possible to enable us better to cope with the cholera epidemic should it reach us next year.

HARRY FOWELL

Everything fresh and new for Xmas. People tell us, our store never looked so pretty as now. Such a variety of nice Confectionery, Florida Oranges, Valencia Oranges, Almira Grapes, Choice Figs, new Gold en Dates, new Nuts, etc.

H. C. DICKENS & SON

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Lingham street, west of the ...
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Shoes set for 8c; new shoes for 20c.
Lameness and interfering cured.
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FINEST TABLE RAISINS
FINEST TABLE FIGS
FINEST MALAGA GRAPES
FINEST FLORIDA ORANGES
FINE TABLE PRUNES
FINE TURKISH DATES

New Grenoble Walnuts
New Soft-shell Almonds,
New Sicily Filberts,
New Pecan Nuts,

BISCUITS.
VANILLA SUGAR WAFERS
CHOCOLATE SUGAR WAFERS
LEMON SUGAR WAFERS
RASPBERRY SUGAR WAFERS
SALTED SEAFOAM WAFERS
SALTED SNOWFLAKE WAFERS

CHEESE.
Genuine Roquefort Cheese,
MacLaren's Imperial Cheese [in small
Canadian Stilton Cheese [crocks]
Prime old CheddarCheese, 1st prize

CROSSE & BLACKWELL'S JAMS AND JELLIES!

CANNED FRUITS & VEGETABLES
Canned Pineapples, Canned Peach
British Columbia Egg Plums,
French Mushrooms, French Mushrooms,
[In glass bottles] [In tins]
French Peas, [In tins]
Canned String Beans, Canned Green Peas,
Canned Sugar Corn, Canned Tomatoes.

CROSSE & BLACKWELL'S PICKLES
Pickled Walnuts, Pickled White Onions,
Pickled Girkins, Pickled Chow Chow
Mixed Pickles, Olives

Christmas Confectionery.
A FINE ASSORTMENT.

FINE BREAKFAST TEAS,
COFFEES, COCOAS,
AND CHOCOLATES

Fearman's and Lowry's Celebrated Christmas Hams and Bacon.

BALTIMORE OYSTERS
[Direct from the Packers]

Christmas Wines.
POMMERY SEC CHAMPAGNE
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SPARKLING SAUMUR

FINEST OLD PORTS AND SHERRIES.
California Angelica, California Port, Native Wines, St. Augustine, White Catawaba.

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ALES AND PORTER.
Bass' English Ale. Guiness' Dublin Stout, Dow's India Pale Ale, Dows Sand Porter, Labatts Pale Ale, Carlings Ale, Davies Ale, etc.
IMPORTED GERMAN LAGER BIER.
IRISH AND SCOTCH WHISKIES.
Burke's Old Irish, J. Jamieson's Old Irish, W. Jamiesons Dublin Whiskey, Highland Blend, Bullock Lade & Co's Loch Katrine Camlachie Malt, Sheriff's Old Islay, Old Gaelic Whiskey, Andrew Usher & Cos Old Vatted Glenlivat Whiskey;
BRANDIES!
Hennessy's V. O. Brandy,
Martell's V. O. Brandy,
Jules Robin & Co's Brandy
LIQUORS, Etc.
Booth's Old Tom Gin, Plymouth Gin,
Fine Old Jamaica Rum Angostura Bitters,
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Soda Water, Apollinaris Water
Vermouth Bitters.

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Beautiful Dress Patterns,
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Miss Lettie Huntley

Is the sister of Mr. W. S. Huntley of Cortland, N. Y., a well known carpenter and builder. Her frank statement below gives only the absolute truth concerning her illness and marvelous recovery by the aid of Hood's Sarsaparilla. She says:

"C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.:

"Dear Sir: Twelve years ago I began to have hemorrhages and four years ago became so low that the physicians told me

There Was No Hope

and I should soon die. I could not be moved from my bed. Under my face were napkins continually reddened with blood from my mouth. **I could eat nothing** and had no action of the bowels for a week. The doctors said the cause was ulcers in the stomach. At this time my mother said she wanted to make one more trial, and asked if I would take Hood's Sarsaparilla. I told her it would be

A Waste of Money

but finding it would comfort her, I began taking it. In a few days the bloating began to subside, I seemed to feel a little stronger, but thought it only fancy. I was so weak I could only take ten drops of Sarsaparilla at first. In two weeks I was able to sit up a few minutes every day. In a month **I could walk across the room.** One day I asked what they were to have for dinner, and said I wanted something hearty. My mother was so happy she cried. It was the

First Time I had Felt Hungry for Two Years

I kept on with Hood's Sarsaparilla and in six months was as well as ever in my life. It is now four years since I recovered, and I have not had a day's sickness since, nor any hemorrhage. If ever a human being thanked the good Lord on bended knees it was I. I know that Hood's Sarsaparilla, and that alone, unquestionably **Saved my Life.**"

Messrs. Sager & Jennings, the well known druggists of Cortland, say that Miss Huntley "is a highly respected lady; her statement of what

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Has done for her is worthy the highest confidence." Hood's Pills cure Liver Ills.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE.

A meeting of the members of the Hastings Reform Club will be held at the Club Rooms on Friday, 23rd inst., at 8 p. m., for the election of officers for the ensuing year and for other business.

J. WILLIAMS, Secretary. J. G. FROST, President.

Flowers for Decoration
—o—
The subscriber has a quantity of cut flowers and bulbs suitable for Christmas decoration purposes.
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To the Municipal Electors of Murney Ward

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN: —

For the third time I respectfully ask for your votes and influence to secure my return as one of your representatives.

During the year I have been honored with the chairmanships of two important committees for the whole of the time, and a third —the Executive—for the last half of the year.

You are the judges whether I have attended faithfully to duty and acted conscientiously.

Whatever works for the city's good, if possible from the standpoints of economy and prudence are the objects of my aim. I renew my pledges of attention to duty and fidelity to our city's welfare, and remain

yours obediently
J. E. WALMSLEY.

MAYORALTY.

To the Electors of my Native City:

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

For years past I have had the offer of support for the Civic Chair, but at the present time to many of my old friends have brought more pressure to bear than I can decently withstand I have been asked to stand for the highest position that the citizens can confer on any one. Among the men who offer me their support are to be found Irishmen, Englishmen, Dutchmen, Frenchmen and now and then a Scotchmen, besides a good many Canadians. To the electors I am no stranger. I have been a member of the City Council for the greater part of a quarter of a century and during that time have done what I felt was for the best interest of the city and will continue on the same line if successful at the coming election. I am in favor of strict economy in city affairs and decrease of our indebtedness. At the nomination I will freely give my views on the situation, and with much respect ask that when you mark your ballot you will not forget

A. T. PETRIE.

Belleville, Dec. 20, 1892

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The Kingston General Hospital is fully equipped for Massage and Electric Treatment. A special nurse, trained under Dr. Weir Mitchell of Philadelphia, has charge of this department.

For general medical and surgical treatment a staff of nine physicians and fifteen nurses, Address DR. KILBORN, Superintendent, Kingston, Ont.

A SARNIA SAFE ROBBED.

THE CANADIAN EXPRESS COMPANY OUT A NICE LITTLE SUM.

Seven Thousand Dollars Taken — The Agent Was Ill and at Home — The Clerk Was at Dinner—A Duplicate Key Was Used to Open the Safe.

SARNIA, Ont., Dec. 21.—A bold robbery was perpetrated yesterday during the time the employes were at dinner, whereby a large sum of money, estimated at $7000, was stolen from the office of the Canadian Express Company here.

The agent, T. H. Cook, had been ill for about a week and confined to the house. The clerk in charge of the office locked the safe and office at 12.20 and returned at 12.55 and found the safe and office door open and the contents of the safe gone.

The entrance was effected by the basement door at the back and the safe opened by a duplicate key, which would go to show that the robbery was concocted by some person entirely familiar with key and office. Up to the present nothing has transpired to throw any light on the mysterious affair.

ANXIOUS FOR WEALTH.

A Nursery Man Who Is Charged With Unprincipled Acts.

CHATHAM, Dec. 21.—Frank W. Wilson, the owner of an extensive nursery in Harwich township, near Chatham, is being tried in the Kent County Court upon a charge of employing fraudulent and dishonest methods to extort money from his customers. He has been in the nursery business for 17 years, and has lately been making a specialty of importing, cultivating and disposing of spruce trees. His agents have for months been traveling the side lines between Owen Sound and Windsor.

It is alleged that farmers and others were induced to sign an order for one or more boxes at the rate of five cents per tree, believing the box to contain possibly 100 plants. But when delivered, the boxes were found to contain from 600 to 3000 trees, most of which proved to be about the size of knitting needles, and the purchasers were required to pay for that number.

J. B. Rankin is conducting the case for the plaintiffs. Several witnesses were called yesterday, and the accused was put into the box. He explained that when he began packing the trees in boxes he had in the neighborhood of 400 orders. Though the orders were identical he put 600 trees in some boxes and 3000 in others, notwithstanding that the capacity of the boxes was the same. This he explained was due to the differences in the size of the trees and most of the boxes were made one foot square and 25 inches long. His instruction to his men was to cover the trees with moss and then tramp them in because the contract called for a full box.

The witness said that the profit to him was about 3½c a tree. He imported the trees from France, and then grew them at his nursery for a year or perhaps longer. They cost here about $12 a thousand, while he paid in France $3 or $4 a thousand for them, the difference being made by the cost of importation.

The cross-examination of Wilson will be continued to-morrow. He maintains that the farmers bought with their eyes open.

CIVIL ACTIONS.

They Have a Legal But Not a Literary Significance.

HAMILTON, Dec. 21.—A couple of civil actions, which promise sensational developments, have been or will soon be entered for trial at the coming assizes in this city.

A couple of days ago Messrs. Biggar & Lee, representing Mrs. R. J. Woods, wife of "Bob" Woods, who formerly kept hotel in this city and afterwards was proprietor of the Half-way House on the Dundas-road, issued a writ against R. J. for alimony.

Yesterday Messrs. Nesbitt, Bicknell & Gauld, representing Mr. Woods, issued a writ against Rev. J. M. Webb of Palmerston and Mr. M. M. Buckley of Niagara Falls, claiming $5000 damages for enticing his wife away from his home and harboring her.

The defendant Buckley is father of Mrs. Woods. He is a Niagara Falls hotelkeeper. Rev. Mr. Webb has come in for a great deal of notoriety lately. He was in this city for some time in charge of a Baptist mission church, and went from here to Niagara Falls.

The trouble there in connection with the cutting down of Mrs. Goring's clothes-line which was in the way of the workmen who were engaged in the building of a church for Rev. George Webb, J. M.'s brother, is fresh in the minds of the people.

NOVA SCOTIA STRIKERS.

Thirteen Hundred Men and Boys Are Idle and On Strike.

SPRINGHILL MINES, N.S., Dec. 21.—The miners' strike continues. Thirteen hundred men and boys are walking the street idle. There was an enthusiastic meeting of Pioneer Lodge last night and a large number of non-union men were initiated. Pending the arrival of Grand Secretary Drummond for consultation a conference with the manager was postponed.

Representatives of Mechanics' Lodge were present. This lodge comprises pumpmen, firemen, engineers and others employed in the mechanical department. The pumps are still at work, but it is reported that the strike will become general to-morrow and the pits be endangered by flooding if matters are not satisfactorily adjusted to-day. The workmen seem determined.

DRANK VERY HARD.

Miss Henderson Testifies at the Trial of the Man Who Shot Her.

ST. THOMAS, Ont., Dec. 21.—John D. Sullivan, aged 44, is on trial on a charge of shooting Miss Elizabeth Henderson, aged 55, with intent to murder, on September last. Sullivan boarded with Miss Henderson for 12 years. He was jealous of W. Webb and fired three revolver bullets into Miss Henderson.

At the court yesterday Miss Henderson gave evidence. She was very weak, but gave her evidence in a strong voice at first, although she almost broke down before finishing her testimony.

Her evidence would lead to the belief that the prisoner was not in his right mind for several days before the shooting. He had been drinking to excess and acted in an insane manner on several occasions. The case was not finished.

Killed by Dynamite.

LYNN, Mass., Dec. 20.—One man was killed and two others were seriously injured by a premature explosion of dynamite in a sewer trench to-day.

Steamship Movements.

Date.	Name.	Reported at.	From
Dec. 20	State of California	New York	Glasgow
"	Suevia	New York	Hamburg.

A Tooth for $10,000.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Dec. 19.—Mrs. Rebecca Flynn has sued Dr. Hill of Scranton, for $10,000 damages. She says he fractured one of her front teeth while performing a dental operation.

THE BOY POISONED.

An Heir to $50,000 Removed in a Startling Way.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Dec. 21.—Little 4-year-old Joseph Guthrie was laid to rest in the McKeesport Cemetery Saturday, and the story goes that he was murdered almost before he had passed the age of infancy because he was heir to $50,000 and stood in the way of another's mere chance to obtain the fortune.

His mother is now suffering from nervous prostration at the home of her sister, Mrs. H. D. Darbacker of McKeesport, brought on by the tragic death of her little son. The supposed murderer is a man who was an aspirant for the hand of Mrs. Guthrie and thought the boy not only stood in the way of his getting the fortune, but also thought the little fellow occupied too warm a place in the heart of the mother and prevented her from forming any new attachments.

John Guthrie, sr., the father of the dead boy, was a wealthy civil engineer and lived with his family on a farm about four miles east of Latrobe. Four years ago, shortly after the birth of his son, he was taken ill with typhoid fever and died soon afterward, leaving $50,000 to his infant son, which, however, was to revert to the mother in case the son died before reaching maturity.

After the death of the father everything ran along smoothly until about one year ago, when on the day preceding Thanksgiving, 1891, the boy was suddenly taken ill. He vomited and had griping pains in his stomach, but as he soon recovered nothing was thought of it at the time. Shortly prior to the boy's sickness Mrs. Guthrie, who was still young and said to have been quite pretty, commenced to receive the attentions of a man whose name the friends of the family refuse to mention.

However, the would-be suitor found but little favor in the eyes of the widow, whose heart was wrapped up in the love of her only child.

The boy soon regained his former health and strength, and Mrs. Guthrie, finding farm life too lonely, moved to Latrobe. On March 14 last the boy was again taken suddenly sick with similar symptoms, only the second illness was far more severe than the first.

His mouth became sore and he vomited freely, and on the third day Dr. H. W. Hitzrot of McKeesport, a trusted physician of the family, was sent for. After making a thorough examination, the doctor stated that the child's illness was caused by some powerful drug that had been administered to him. Dr. Donnelly of Latrobe, was also called in, and he expressed himself to be of the same opinion as Dr. Hitzrot. Dr. Birchfield, who attended the case from the first, reluctantly admitted that the symptoms indicated poisoning.

The little fellow, after hovering between life and death for weeks, slowly began to recover, and by June 1 was able to walk again.

After he had so far recovered that he was able to talk he said to his mother: "Mamma, Mr. ——— gave me a drink and said, 'Here, Joe, is something good for your cough,' and it burned my throat when it run down." He repeated this several times to different friends of the family. Until that time there was no clue to indicate who had administered the poison. Suspicion now fell upon the man whom the child had named as the giver of the strange drink, and he was immediately dismissed from the good graces of Mrs. Guthrie.

As a result of the extensive ulceration of the stomach due to poisoning the boy's whole system was deranged and weakened, making him an easy prey to any disease which he might contract. Acting under the advice of physicians his mother took him to Toronto, Canada, but the change made little or no improvement in his health. Remaining there but a short time they returned, going to the home of her sister, Mrs. H. D. Darbacker of McKeesport.

Little Joe seemed to be growing weaker instead of stronger, and thinking that the warm, balmy climate of California might possibly improve his health, on Nov. 14 his mother started for Pasadena, Cal., taking little Joe with her. He was taken seriously ill soon after they arrived there. The California physicians stated that an abcess had formed in his stomach, caused by the ulcerated condition of that organ, which the Eastern doctors claim was due to poisoning. He died Dec. 17, and his remains was brought to McKeesport for interment.

Dr. Hitzrot was interviewed by a Times reporter yesterday. He corroborated the above story and stated that the boy's death was, beyond a possible doubt, indirectly caused by poison administered to him last March. Dr. W. F. Knox, also of McKeesport, who visited the boy during one of his sick spells with Dr. Hitzrot, also stated that poison was the indirect cause of death.

It is said the California physicians held a post-mortem examination over the remains, the result of which is not yet known. The family think that the evidence in the case is far too strong to be called suspicion, and will at once institute legal investigations to enquire into the cauce of death.

Skating Races.

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 21.—The first of the series of three skating races between Harol Hagen of Norway and Hugh McCormick of New Brunswick for the world's championship and $1000 took place last evening. Hagen won by about 40 feet. The race was three miles and the track four and a half laps to the mile. Hagen's time was 3.03⅔, 6.32, 9.47.

Financial Flurry Over.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—Information was received at the Treasury Department to the effect that the financial flurry in New York is practically over for the present, and that there is no longer any prospect of a panic. Money is reported easy and exchange has fallen below shipping point, so that heavy exportations of gold are not likely to continue.

The Jim Crow Law.

NEW ORLEANS, La., Dec. 21.—The Supreme Court yesterday declared constitutional the law passed two years ago and known as the "Jim Crow" law, making it compulsory on railroads to provide separate cars for negroes.

Scared to Death.

MONTREAL, Dec. 21.—An old woman named Dauphin has been scared to death by a street car accident.

Recently a trolley car got off the track and ran into a house at the open window of which Mrs. Dauphin was sitting. The fright was so sudden that she died this morning.

A Farmer Suicides.

PETROLEA, Ont. Dec. 21.—James Nichol, a farmer living about two miles from Oil City, was found dead with a rope around his neck in his stable Monday morning.

Strike of Weavers.

WOONSOCKET, R. I., Dec. 20.—One hundred and fifty weavers at the Blackstone Woolen Company's factory struck Tuesday, alleging excessive fines for poor work.

Denouncing Freemasonry.

ROME, Dec. 16.—The Pope will shortly send to the Italian bishops and the Italian people a circular letter denouncing Freemasonry. His Holiness will declare that the Freemasons are pursuing the Satanic aim of replacing Christianity by naturalism...

WORLD'S FREIGHT...

ARE ENGAGED AT PRES... LOSING BUSINES...

The Number of Idle Vessels ... Never So Large—Freight ... a Profitable Basis in Am... Ships.

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—The ... says: Ocean freight traffic for ... has been much depressed, but ... reports from the offices of diff... ship lines the depression late... growing worse and worse, until ... sent time it is almost unpreced...

Abroad it is said the numbe... lying idle was never so larg... this country the competition ... or charterers of vessels is ... bring freight rates far below ... basis.

In fact, many shippers, it is ... doing business at a loss. In ... tramp ships, if they are not ti... are flitting to and fro among t... harbors wherever a chance to o... presents itself, in hope of ... cargo.

Cause of Depression...

The cause reported to be at ... of this depression is said to be ... tion throughout the world. ... quence the foreign demand for ... the United States has been g... and less, as, adding to the d... freight business caused by the ... lack of orders from the overst... abroad, it is pointed out that lab... being in large part unemployed ... sume as much breadstuffs as usu... almost caused a cessation of t... for grain and flour from abr... which made up a large propo... export trade. But the wareho... are well stocked, so foreign m... being well supplied are not now ... the high prices. In addition t... are apparently too many steam... trans-Atlantic trade.

THE SCHEDULE WAI...

A Cattle Vessel, Delayed f... Lands the Cargo in Eng...

OTTAWA, Dec. 21.—The last ... ing cattle from Canada has ar... the exceptionally long voyage ... from Montreal, and her cattle ... allowed to land under the old ... although the scheduling of Can... went into effect on Nov. 21. T... stances are as follows:

The steamship Ontario left M... Avonmouth on Oct. 28 laden w... At that time there was ... slightest fear of Canadian c... scheduled and she would pr... reached port before there was a... of scheduling, had not her mach... en down, which compelled her t... St. John's, N.F., for repairs. T... not completed until Nov. 28, w... St. John's for Avonmouth, whe... rived on Dec. 10, nearly three w... the scheduling order carried into ... the day her arrival was announc... the Montreal Board of Health ... the Minister of Agriculture to ... Charles Tupper to endeavor t... cattle exempted from the sched... This was done at once, but n... heard from the High Commissi... to-day, when he cabled to the ef... Board of Agriculture had allowe... tario's cattle to land under the o... tions.

The Railway Committee of ... Council has been reorganized ... change of Ministry and now ... Hon. John Haggart, Minister o... and Canals, chairman; Sir John ... Minister of Justice; Hon. Mack... ell, Hon. G. E. Foster, Sir Adol... Hon. J. A. Ouimet and Hon. T... The Minister of Railways and ... the Minister of Justice are mem... committee by statute, the oth... are named by order in council.

A BEER SYNDICATE...

The Small Breweries to Be C... of Existence.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec. 21.—... European financiers, the Roth... the leaders in an enterprise wh... line, surpasses anything of the ... conceived in this country. It is ... pose to establish an immense b... with headquarters in New York ... business offices and warehouses i... dozen New England cities, as we... same number of western towns.

Many millions of capital are t... in backing the scheme, which h... ultimate end the extinction ... smaller similar concerns of the c... their absorption by the Rothschi... cate.

Sites have been already secure... city, in Bridgeport, Hartford, W... Chicago, Columbus, San Francis... eral other cities, and the organ... the gigantic enterprise is being p... successful outcome.

An Uncertain Product...

HARTFORD, Conn., Dec. 21.—... of Hop Meadow in the County of ... was shaken by four successive ... at 3.15 yesterday afternoon. T... Bickford fuse factory had been bl... A Tarifville girl, Miss Hattie ... had her head crushed and she wil... die. The cause of the explosi... known. The others seriously ... are: William O'Brien, who t... dryer, badly injured and will lose ... Annie Carrer, badly burned, ... bruised.

Immigration Restriction...

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—W... Griffin, who has been doing im... work for the United States in E... the past three years, reports to a ... general desire to emigrate by an... means. The result will probably ... legislation against immigration t... cholera being imported next sprin...

Something of a Fatalist...

NANAIMO, B.C., Dec. 21.—Sing... Chinaman who shot and killed L... has had the sentence of death p... him. The prisoner said the Ch... nesses had sworn falsely and the ... had been bribed to lie against h... the "big tyhee" said he must die, ...

Time to Stop It.

LONDON, Dec. 21.—A decision ... ed down yesterday in the case of ... against Pearson's Weekly, which ... running a guessing contest contrar... ing laws. The contest was stopp... court, and the money paid in by ... £24,000, will probably revert to t...

Mrs. Blaine, jr., to Marr...

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—A specia... Herald from Washington says ... sentative was informed last night ... James G. Blaine, jr., is again to be ... The gentleman who is said to have ... affection is the surgeon who atte... during her last severe illness.

...will Remain At His Po...

VIENNA, Dec. 19.—President ... says a despatch from St. Peter... informed the Czar that he w... his post under any circum... France from internal dis...

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Both the method and results when Syrup of Figs is taken; it is pleasant and refreshing to the taste, and acts gently yet promptly on the Kidneys, Liver and Bowels, cleanses the system effectually, dispels colds, headaches and fevers and cures habitual constipation. Syrup of Figs is the only remedy of its kind ever produced, pleasing to the taste and acceptable to the stomach, prompt in its action and truly beneficial in its effects, prepared only from the most healthy and agreeable substances, its many excellent qualities commend it to all and have made it the most popular remedy known.

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New goods just arrived at Goldsmith's fish store, Bridge street—groceries, fish, fruits, cigars, oysters, cider, candies. Refreshments and lunches at all hours.

You will save money by getting your stoves and ranges from Deacon & Doyle.

Geen is showing a very nice line of perfumes in plain and fancy bottles, also in bulk.

How to save money is a problem that interests everybody. One way to do it is to invigorate the system with Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Being a highly concentrated blood medicine, it is the most powerful and economical. It is sold for a dollar a bottle, but worth five.

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If you die of consumption without having tried that celebrated cure, now being talked about by every one, and known as Miller's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil, you are not entitled to any pity. If you want to stay with your friends in the flesh, do not let an hour pass by without sending to the nearest drug store for Miller's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil. Read about the wonderful cures it has wrought. This is the electrical age of wonders, and this Emulsion is the product of the latest researches in science. In big bottles, 50c and $1, at all drug stores.

Lyman Jones, whose barn with its contents was destroyed by fire yesterday morning at five o'clock, will be a loser by $8,000. A lantern was left on a fanning mill when it exploded. Besides his crop and implements he lost ten cows and four horse.

A Complete Collapse

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What She Said

Mrs. R. Peck, 15th street, New York City, visited Canada year, and had the good fortune to pick up something which not only suited her, but her neighbors also. Writing the manufacture of Nerviline she says:—"I bought three bottles of Nerviline while in Canada and treated my neighbors to some of it, and all think it the best medicine for internal or external pain they have ever used." Nerviline deserves such commendation, for it is a most powerful, penetrating, and certain remedy for pain of all kinds. Take no substitute

It is not unlikely that an electric street railway system for Belleville, will assume definite shape before spring. Already there is a movement on foot to have such a line onerated in the city.

No Return.

After a lapse of seven years the following letter explains itself: Toronto, Ont., April 17, 1887. "I would state that your remedy. St. Jacob'es Oil, had the desired effect of curing me effectually of rheumatism, with which I suffered in 1880. I have never had any return of the pain which I endured for months previous. It affords me great pleasure to say I have recommended it to a number of friends. Too much praise cannot be devoted to its healing qualities." J. ABRAHAM, Passenger Agent, 51 York St. Hundreds certify that once cured, the cure is permanent.

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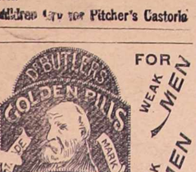

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Dr. Silas Lane wh[illegible] Mountains discovered [illegible] combined with other h[illegible] and certain cure for c[illegible] the form of dry roots a[illegible] known as Lane's Fa[illegible] I cure sick headach[illegible] he blood, liver and ki[illegible] ng up the complexion[illegible] Druggists sell it at 50[illegible]

As an after dinner p[illegible] stomach, assist digesti[illegible] bilious tendencies, Ay[illegible] ered the best. Being [illegible] ere as agreeable as [illegible] may be taken by the [illegible]

Never hump yourself up to die of Piles until after you have given Magic Pile Lotion a fair and reasonable trial. If it fails then go on with your humping for your case is incurable.

THE BARBARIC CUSTOMS

OF THE YANKEE NATION ASTONISH GERMANY.

German Papers Say Hard Things About the United States and Restriction Laws —Money Grabbers Without Any Spirit of International Honor.

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—Emil L. Boaz, general passenger agent of the Hamburg-American Packet Company, returned yesterday from Hamburg, where he went to consult with directors about the threatened stoppage of immigration.

"The people in Germany are greatly stirred up," Mr. Boaz said to-day, "over the orders of the United States Government stopping steamship passengers and detaining vessels. You cannot appreciate here the strong feeling that prevails in the Fatherland. The press of Germany is only too glad of some opportunity to criticise the American Government for what papers term the medieval customs of the Yankee nation.

"They call us a nation of barbarians and money-grabbers, without any spirit of international honor. The articles, as a rule, strongly advise Germans not to visit the United States during the World's Fair this year, as the Yankees only want rich foreigners to fleece them, closing their doors against the poor.

"I found German merchants greatly perturbed over the recent orders of the Treasury Department threatening to hold steamers 20 days in quarantine. They were afraid to ship merchandise and could not carry out the orders received from America. Commerce between the two countries is suffering greatly and enemies of Republicanism sneer at the American Government as the cause."

SIGNED A NOTE.

He Thinks His Women Folks Could Have Saved Him.

HAMILTON, Dec. 21.—A farmer named Robert Martin, residing near Langford, called at police headquarters to complain of the way in which he had been taken in by a cloth peddler yesterday. During the absence of his "women folks," in whose good judgment he seemed to place great confidence, he turned a willing ear to the blandishments of a slick [illegible] who sold him goods which were to be made up into clothing in the course of a few days. The stuff was worth about $20, and Martin gave a note for $48, payable in nine months.

Fight With Horse Thieves.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., Dec. 21.—Meagre particulars of a desperate fight between two deputy United States marshals and a band of five horse thieves at Hyattsville, Johnson County, in which five of the participants were killed, have been received.

James Huff and William H. Nucher, the deputy marshals, attempted to arrest Ira Walker, Ace Achmica and another horse thief, and during the fight that followed the five named were killed. The other two desperadoes have disappeared, but a posse will start after them at once.

Whitman's Admirers.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Dec. 21.—A reunion of friends of the deceased poet, Walt Whitman, will be held in Camden, Jan. 15. Their idea is primarily to discuss the purchase, endowment and preservation of Whitman's famous two-story frame home at 330 Mickle-street, Camden, where the poet-philosopher did the most of his literary work. At present about $500 has been raised toward the endowment, but from $1500 to $2000 more is needed.

Too Fond of Chips.

CINCINNATI, O., Dec. 21.—A shortage of $50,000 in the freight depot of the Louisville and Nashville Railway was discovered yesterday. Agent John C. McCourt and Cashier Shotwell, young men, have been removed. Each blames the other. They played faro and the races to a considerable amount. The Guarantee Company of North America was surety for both men.

Stanford Has Engaged Ben.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 21.—The statement is published that President Harrison, at the expiration of his term of office, will become a member of the faculty of the Stanford University, having accepted a proposition to deliver a series of lectures on law as a non resident professor.

The Cook Arrested.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 21.—Patrick Gallagher, the missing cook who confessed to having been implicated in the Homestead poisoning conspiracy, was arrested yesterday.

Late this afternoon James Davidson, one of the self confessed poisoners, was arrested.

Welton Has a Respite.

ST. JOHN, N.B., Dec. 21.—In the graveyard insurance case the jury could not agree on a verdict, and Rev. Mr. Welton has been freed from jail on his own recognizance of $10,000. The case will probably be resumed.

Hanged for Wife Murder.

LONDON, Dec. 21.—Joseph Meller was hanged yesterday for the murder of his wife in September last. The crime was an atrocious one, the woman being literally chopped to pieces with a carving knife and the remains buried in a cellar.

Meller wished to be rid of his wife so that he could marry another woman. He met his fate coolly and the execution was uneventful.

Blaine's Condition.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—At 1 a.m. Mr. Blaine is sleeping and is no worse. The doctor says there is no danger of his dying yesterday.

The Nubian Aground.

LONDON, Dec. 21.—The steamship Nubian, while entering Lisbon harbor yesterday during a fog, ran aground at high water. A hole was stove in her hull. Her passengers and mails have been safely landed. She lies in a critical position.

Should Be Flayed.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec. 21.—In a quarrel with his wife last night Richard Martin poured kerosene over her and set it afire. When the woman attempted to extinguish the flames Martin assaulted her with a razor. She cannot live.

A Negro Lynched.

HOPKINSVILLE, Ky., Dec. 21.—Jim Bond, a negro, was lynched at Guthrie yesterday afternoon for attempting to outrage Mrs. Clarence Covington. Bond confessed his guilt.

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[illegible]—The Ontario Box [illegible] Main-street was [illegible]oss about $10,000.

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[illegible]worth 50, and our 45c Tie is sold all o[illegible]
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[illegible]member we sell all our goods retail at [illegible]

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If you have a cough, procure at once a bottle of Holden's Expectorant, put up for sale at Geen's Drug store, the old reliable cough medicine.

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Hemstitch Handkerchiefs
Linen Hankerchiefs in Boxes
Silk Braces
Fancy Braces
Silk Cuffs
Wool Cuffs
Cuff Buttons
Scarf Pins
Collar Buttons
White Dress Shirts
English Dress Shirts
Flannel Shirts
Linen Collars and Cuffs
Celluloid Collars and Cuffs
Silk Umbrellas, Fancy Handles
Walking Sticks
Waterproof Coats
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Lined Kid Gloves
Astrachan Gloves, Kid Mitts
Wool Mitts
Cardigan Jackets, etc

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Initial Silk Handkerchiefs
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Windsor Ties, etc.

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White and Flannel Shirts.
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Scarf Pins
Cuff Buttons
Collar Buttons.
Kid Gloves
Astrachan Gloves
Silk Handkerchiefs
Linen Handkerchiefs
Fancy Handkerchiefs
Windsor Ties
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Headache, yet CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS are equally valuable in Constipation, curing and preventing this annoying complaint, while they also correct all disorders of the stomach, stimulate the liver and regulate the bowels. Even if they only cured

HEAD

Ache they would be almost priceless to those who suffer from this distressing complaint: but fortunately their goodness does not end here, and those who once try them will find these little pills valuable in so many ways that they will not be willing to do without them. But after all sick head

ACHE

is the bane of so many lives that here is where we make our great boast. Our pills cure it while others do not.

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS are very small and very easy to take. One or two pills make a dose. They are strictly vegetable and do not gripe or purge, but by their gentle action please all who use them. In vials at 25 cents; five for $1. Sold everywhere, or sent by mail.

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DR. WILLIAMS' PINK PILLS FOR PALE PEOPLE

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WEAK MEN

(young and old), suffering from mental worry, overwork, insomnia, excesses, or self-abuse, should take these PILLS. They will restore lost energies, both physical and mental.

SUFFERING WOMEN

afflicted with the weaknesses peculiar to their sex, such as suppression of the periods, bearing down pains, weak back, ulcerations, etc. will find these pills an unfailing cure.

PALE AND SALLOW GIRLS

should take these Pills. They enrich the blood, restore health's roses to the cheeks and correct all irregularities.

BEWARE OF IMITATIONS. These Pills are sold by all dealers only in boxes bearing our trade mark or will be sent by mail, post paid, on receipt of price—50 cents a box or 6 for $2.50.

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For general medical and surgical treatment a staff of nine physicians and fifteen nurses, Address DR. KILBORN, Superintendent, Kingston, Ont.

READY FOR REVOLUTION.

A Signal for a General Fight Between the Royalists and Masses.

LONDON, Dec. 21.—It is expected here that at any moment a revolution will break out in Paris and extend over France.

The exposures of corruption in the Chamber of Deputies have thrown broadcast the belief that the Royalists are determined to carry the next elections by secret operations, and it is believed that it is only necessary for a small crowd in the streets of Paris to start the row, and the city and nation would join in and give France another taste of the power of the people when maddened with desire to wade in the blood of the wealthy classes.

The people of Paris are now in an extremely excited condition over the disclosures and accusations made in the Chamber of Deputies yesteday over the Panama Canal scandal.

ROUVIER CONFESSES.

He Received Loans of Money For the Secret Service Fund.

PARIS, Dec. 21.—There was great excitement in the Chamber of Deputies yesterday when M. Rouvier denied any personal connection with the Panama Canal scandal and stated that he had received loans from private friends to use in the secret service fund in order to retain his government in power.

The effect of this confession was tremendous.

IN A BAD MESS.

Two London Money Lovers May Pay Dear For Their Wealth.

LONDON, Dec. 21.—J. W. Hobbs, the London builder, and J. W. Wright, a solicitor, who were arrested on charges of forgery in connection with the recent failure of the Liberator Permanent Building and Land Investment Trust, have had additional charges preferred against them.

Hobbs will also have to answer for theft of a large sum of money belonging to his own firm, J. W. Hobbs & Co.

The new charge against Wright is that he stole a check for £2500 belonging to the Liberator Society. Wright was formerly financial manager of the society and Hobbs was its managing director. It is said Hobbs & Co. owe the society £2,099,000.

WEBB'S MISSION.

The People of the United States To Be Taught Islamism.

BOMBAY, Dec. 21.—Alexander Russell Webb, who recently resigned his office as United States consul at Manila to preach Islamism, is now at Hyderabad soliciting contributions to a fund to be spent in sending Islamite missionaries to the United States.

He is having immense success. He will use much of the money secured in India to establish Islamite newspapers and lecture courses in American cities. He will also publish a new translation of the Koran. Mr. Webb says he was converted to Islamism by a careful study of the Koran and the works of the interpreters.

He made this study during his leisure hours in Manilla. He has resolved, he says, to devote the remainder of his life to preaching to the people of the United States the true religion and endeavoring to convert as many as possible from their present false belief. The western world, he says, is waiting to be Islamised.

BOOTH VINDICATED.

The Committee of Investigation on His Affairs Report Favorably.

LONDON, Dec. 21.—The report of the committee of which the Earl of Onslow is chairman, and which was appointed to investigate the affairs of the Salvation Army as concluded by Gen. Booth, was made public yesterday.

The report speaks favorably of Gen. Booth's enterprise for the redemption of "Darkest England," but qualifies the general verdict of approval with the criticism to the effect that too much cash has been sunk in building operations at the beginning of the enterprise.

The report is a great victory for General Booth, whose management of the Salvation Army finances is thus found to be correct by a committee of unimpeachable character and standing, and the appointment of which was prompted in the first place by hostile critics of the Salvation Army.

The Work of Fiends.

MADRID, Dec. 21.—Anarchists appear to be resuming their activity in Spain. Three petards were exploded in Seville on Sunday last with disastrous results to the mansions of a merchant named Pous and of the Marquis of Villapanes, two of the most prominent residents of Seville. The residence of the Marquis was considerably damaged, but no person was hurt.

The Deacon Case.

PARIS, Dec. 21.—Edward Parker Deacon has won in the suit brought against him by the proprietor of the Hotel Splendide at Cannes for damages done on the occasion of the shooting. Each party to the action is to pay his own costs.

Gladys, the daughter whom Mrs. Deacon abducted from the Convent of the Assumption, has been placed in the Dominican Convent at Neuilly.

Tennyson's Will.

LONDON, Dec. 21.—The probate of Lord Tennyson's will has been granted. The gross personal estate amounts to £57,200. The entailed estates descend from Hallam Tennyson to the succeeding male heirs. The will was executed in 1884.

An Impoverished Estate.

LONDON, Dec. 21.—A meeting of the creditors of the Marquis of Ailesbury was held yesterday. It is announced that the estate would not realize more than seven shillings and sixpence in the pound.

Using Canada's Wealth.

MONTREAL, Dec. 21.—The Canadian banks have been making money lately by lending their surplus funds in New York, where high rates for money have prevailed during the past two or three months.

Money has been loaned at as high as 20 to 40 per cent. in New York during the past week.

Out of the amount loaned by Canadian banks in the United States to the end of October, which was $22,792,466, the Bank of Montreal loaned $12,574,000; Canadian Bank of Commerce, $3,000,000; Dominion Bank, $1,288,000; Merchants' Bank, $764,900.

Preacher and Teacher Burned.

ALBANY, N.Y., Dec. 21.—A special from Warrensburg says: Philippe E. Herrie of Schoon Lake, a teacher of vocal music and a local Methodist preacher, was burned to death here early yesterday morning.

J. S. Woodward, Louis Goutney and Edward Branch were also seriously burned, the latter probably fatally. The men were removing furniture from the burning residence of J. L. Labrum when a chimney and wall fell, burying them in the debris.

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All through the Provinces the rapid increase of La Grippe, is causing great alarm. A report was received here to-day, of a new development of the disease, which is worse, perhaps than any other. Wm. Hanley of N. Y. City, died in terrible agony after sickness of only four days. His tongue swelled to such an extent as to make it impossible for him to close his jaws or swallow any food. The report is causing the people in this district to inquire into the noted Grip-cure, recently referred to in so many papers. In Cape Breton the disease has spread very rapidly and with fatal results. D. J. Killop of L'Archeveque writes Feb. 11th that this cure has been tried in his neighborhood and with such success that all those residing there are obtaining a supply believing it to be the only remedy affording relief and effecting a certain cure. He finished his letter by asking for a large quantity of the Medicine (Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills) to supply the demands of the community for the relief of LaGrippe.

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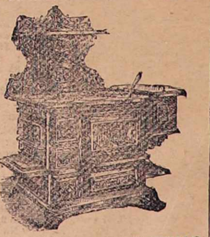

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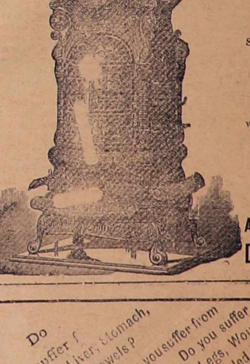

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BELLEVILLE, WEDNESDAY, DEC. 21st

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TOLD IN A LINE OR TWO

There was no police court to-day.

For Bargains on Christmas goods, go to E. Harrison.

Segt. Downs at 4 p.m. yesterday found a striped horse blanket on Front St. in Front of C. F. Smith's hardware store.

The Reformers of North Hastings will probably bring out Peter Vancleek to contest the riding for the Commons against A. W. Carscallen.

The Fuller stock will be kept open Thursday evening next till 9 o'clock. Good bargains can be had in all kinds of boots and shoes and the rush on Thursday will not be so great as on Saturday.

John Bell's horse ran away at the G.T.R. depot about 5:30 last night. Miss Bell was able to jump out of the rig without serious injury to herself. The horse ran two or three miles into the country and when found nothing was damaged.

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WEDDING BELLS

Two Thurlow Young People Married in the City Yesterday

James H. McCreaary, of the seventh concession of Thurlow, was married at 2 p. m. yesterday, at the parsonage, by Rev. J. L. George, pastor of John street Presbyterian church, to Miss Kathleen Hall of the same township. The groom was assisted by his brother John McCreaary and the bride by her sister, Charlotte Hall. The bride is an estimable young woman and is popular among a large number of friends in Thurlow township. The happy couple left for Hastings where they will visit friends for a few days.

The Mythological Fates

"Somewhere on the unknown shore,
Where the streams of life their waters pour
There sit three sisters, ever more
Weaving a silken thread."

Lovers of classic paintings are familiar with that famous group, called the "Three Fates" Fate seems cruel when it deprives women and girls of health. But in Dr. Pierce's Favorite Perscription they find a cure of untold value for nervous prostration, sick headache, bearing-down pains, bloating weak stomach, anteversion, retroversion, and all those excruciating complaint that make the lives miserable. All who use it praise it. It contains no hurtful ingredients and is guaranteed to give satisfaction in every case, or its price ($1.00) will be refunded.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

KINGSTON PRESBYTERY.

CONSIDERABLE BUSINESS TRANSACTED BY THE ASSEMBLY.

Rev Mr. Porteous Resignation Accepted —The Next Meeting to be Held in Napanee

The regular quarterly meeting of the Presbytery of Kingston opened in St. Andrew's church last night at 7.30. Mr. D. Wishart, of Madoc, was appointed moderator for the ensuing six months. There were 14 ministers and 5 representative elders present. A motion to discontinue the printing of the minutes was lost. Mr. Wilkins gave notice that "he will move at the next meeting of the Presbytery for a consideration of regulation, requiring special contribution to the Presby ery Expense Fund, from Professors in Queen's college."

Mr. Mackie reported on behalf of the committee appointed to visit Glenvale, etc., to secure more hearty co operation on the part of the different congregations forming the charge, or a re-arrangement of this field. The question of Mr. Porteou's resignation of his charge laid over from the meeting on Nov. 15th was taken up. He pressed for its acceptance with a view to his being free to enter upon work in another portion of the Presbytery. Presbytery agreed to sever the pastorate tie between Mr. Porteous and his present charge, his connection to cease on and after 25th January. Mr. Boyd was appointed to preach on 1st January and declare the pulpits of Glenvale, Harrowsmith and Wilton vacant and act as moderator of the session.

A communication from Mr. MacGillivray stating that owing to sickness in his family he would be unable to attend this meeting but that Mr. Russell would take charge of matters with which he had been entrusted. The presbytery expressed its sympathy with Mr. MacGillivray in view of the reason assigned for his absence.

On motion by Mr. Russell, the resolution passed in September 1891, with reference to the appointment of the clerk annually was re inded and the appointment made a permanent one, and Mr. Wilkins appointment on such tenure was affirmed.

Mr. Gracey reported the moderation of a call at McDonald's Corners in favor of Mr. Jas. Binnie and tabled the call, together with a guarantee for stipend of $900 with a free manse. The call was sustained and ordered to be forwarded to Mr. Jas. Binnie, and arrangements were provisionally made for his ordination and induction at McDonald's Corner at a special meeting of Presbytery on Tuesday 10th January at 10.30 a.m. Mr. Boyd to preach. Mr. Gracey to address the minister and, Mr. Jas. MacGillivay, the people, with Mr. Jas. McElroy as alternate for Mr. MacGillivary.

The clerk submitted a call from the congregations of Hillsdale and Craighurst in the Presbytery of Barrie in favor of Mr. W. S. Smith, of Centerville, stipend $800 and a manse. The call was placed in the hands of Mr. Smith and it was resolved to cite the congregations of Camden and Tamworth to appear in their interests at a meeting of Presbytery to be held in Napanee on Thursday Jan 12th at 2p.m. when the question of Mr Smith's translation will be considered.

The Presbytery called for reports from those appointed to visit mission stations and administer the sacrament. Most encouraging reports were given by the clerk on behalf of Mr. James Cumberland, who had visited Earnestown, etc. Mr. Porteous reported his visit to Matawatchin, Mr. Childerhose his visit to the Ridge and Fhanet, Mr. Gray his visit to Sidney. Several of these stations are looking forward hopefully to the speedy settlement of ordained missionaries. Reports from the other mission fields (twenty in all,) were given at last meeting, and all of them very encouraging. Mr. Childerhose gave notice that he will move at next meeting, that the July meeting of Presbytery shall be held in St. Peter church, Madoc.

Mr. Gracey submitted report from the Home Mission committee, which was read and its recommendations adopted:—1 That Mr. Porteous be appointed for a period of two years as ordained missionary in the North Hastings field at a salary of $800 with manse or rented house.—2 That a grant of $3.00 per Sabbath be asked from the Assembly's committee for the new mission station in Deseronto. The Presbytery appointed the Home Mission committee to make arrangements for visiting augmented congregations as required by the assembly.— A deputation was appointed to visit Fuller with a petition for station.

The Presbytery adjourned to meet in Napanee at 2 p.m. on Thursday, 12th January, and thereafter in Kingston and within St. Andrew's church there on the 3rd Tuesday in March.

AFRICAN MISSIONS

Rev W M Edwards Delievered An Interesting Lecture

Rev. W. M. Edwards, late of Qu'Apelle diocese and formerly of the Universities Mission, at Zanzibar, Africa, lectured in St. Thomas church hall last night. While the audience was not large those who were present were treated to an able and instructive lecture, lasting two hours. He described the horrors of the slave trade and told of the efforts that were being made to suppress the evil. He referred at length to the work of the English church on the African coast and in the interior, where a large number of natives have been brought to God. The lecturer spoke in eulogistic terms of the late Bishop Steere and also the present Bishop Smythies, who was now in England on account of ill health. The latter hoped in the near future to be able to resume his work in the Neyanza district assisted by another bishop. Mr. Edwards was today the guest of Rev. D. F. Bogart. He leaves to-morrow for Fon du Lac, Wis., where he will assist the bishop of that diocese.

A POPULAR DANCING MASTER.

Mr N J Sage Finished His First Quarter Last Night.

N. J. Sage, of Montreal, who has charge of a dancing class in Belleville finished his first quarter last night and left for home to day for the Christmas holidays. Mr. Sage will resume his class here and at Picton after New Years. In Belleville Mr. Sage has a class of over fifty pupils, all of whom speak in the highest terms of their instructor. He has introduced several new dances, among them being the Oxford minuette and the waltz minuette. As an easy and graceful dancer Mr. Sage has no equal in Ontario and young people who would learn the art perfectly should take a course with Mr. Sage.

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A THING OF BEAUTY.

THE HIGH SCHOOL ASSEMBLY ROOM MADE TO LOOK ARTISTIC.

Handsome Work Executed by the Pupils in Anticipation of the Presentation of Certificates This Afternoon.

The old assembly room at the city high school has put on an unusually artistic appearance. It has been decorated by the pupils in anticipation of the presentation of certificates this afternoon and the graduates reception. The attention of the visitor is attracted on entering by the arms of the several provinces of the Dominion executed in colored crayon on the walls while below running all round the room is a decorative border in beautiful design. The blackboard of this room has two fine designs, on the right a Christmas design by Miss Hunter, in which the holly, mistletoe and other Christmas emblems are used with fine effect, and on the left the graduat designs, enlivened with laurel, maple and motto and the city arms executed by Miss Crysler and Miss Pretty. Proceeding around the room the attention is first caught by a bust of Milton by Miss Perry, between the windows, and beyond between two beautiful sprays from natural flowers, a fuchsia and a begonia by Miss Pretty, is a design for a flower pot by Miss Chysler. On the north wall are two designs by Miss Perry, for which the medal was awarded by the education department. The first is for a rose window in stained glass and the second is a design for a carpet. Farther on is a design for antique urn (Greek) by Miss Blanche Crysler and a design for wooden scroll work for piano front by Miss Johnson. Between these is a spray of geranium in fl wer by Miss Ewen. On the south wall near the entrance is a horseshoe design and an ornamental hinge by Miss Pretty, and beyond an ornamental star by Miss Blanche Crysler. Then comes a design for the covering of a drawing book by Miss Crysler, and next this, Miss Brown has a design for tile to be repeated for ornamental border. The last on this side is a beautiful design for oilcloth by Miss Lazier. On the west wall near the south entrance is a highly ornamental panel by Miss Yaurex flanked on either side with sprays of maple barberry. Besides the young ladies named, the work of the border and arms owes much to Miss Huffman, Miss Allen, Miss Calhoun, Miss Walker, Miss Jones, Miss Rous, Miss Pontou and others. The engrossed program in the bulletin board is from the skilful hand of Miss Calhoun and is well worthy of a flattering notice.

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MONTREAL MARKETS.

Montreal, Dec. 21st.—Flour—Receipts, 3,800 bbl; market quiet and unchanged. Quotations are:—Patent winter, $3.90 to $4.15; do, spring, $4.20 to $4.30; straight roller, $3.65 to $3.75; extra, $3.00 to $3.-10; superfine 2.80 to 2.90; strong bakers $4.00 to 4.10; Ontario bags $1.65 to $1.80. Grain, wheat, No. 2 manitoba hard, 81 to 82; corn 60 to 62c; peas 71 to 73c; oats 31 to 33c; barley, 50 to 55c; rye 52 to 54c; oatmeal $1.90 to $2; cornmeal $1.30 to $1.40; provisions—pork $19 to $20 cwt; lard 8½ to 9c; bacon 11 to 12c; hams 11 to 12½; cheese 10 to 11c butter, townships, 19 to 21c; western, 17 to 19c; eggs 15 to 18c.

TORONTO PRODUCE MARKETS.

Toronto, Ont. Dec. 21st.—Market improved. Quotations: Flour, straight roller, $2.95 to $3.30; extra, $2.68 to $2.70; wheat, white, 63c to 64c; spring No 2 60 to 62c; red winter, 62c, 68c; goose 55c to 56c; Man. No. 1 hard 80c to 81c; do No 2, 78c to 78½c; do No 3, 71c to 72c; No 1 frosted, 61c; do No 2, 53 to 55c; do No 3, 47 to 48c. Peas No 2, 54 to 55c. No 1 barley 50 to 51c; do No 2, 42 to 44c; do No 3, extra, 38 to 39c; do No 3, 35 to 37c Corn 57c to 58c. Oats No 2, 29½ to 31c. Sales: Straight roller flour here at equal to $3.05; white and red outside at 62c; spring outside at 57c; goose outside at 55c; No 3 frosted North Bay at 59c; oats here at 30c; outside at 26½c to 27¼c, and on track at 29c; No 3 extra barley outside at 33c; peas outside at 53c.

CAMPBELLFORD MARKETS.

Fall wheat, standard, 60 to 65c; peas 54 to 56c; barley 30 to 40c; rye 50c; oats 25 to 26c; potatoes, per bag 55 to 60c eggs 16 to 17c; lard 11c; butter 16 to 17c pork, per lb. 9 to 10c; wood, per cord $2 to $3; hay, per ton $6 to $8.

DESERONTO MARKET.

Barley 40 to 45c; butter 20c per lb; buckwheat 45 to 50c per bus; chickens, 35 to 60c per pair; ducks 60 to 80c per pair; eggs 18 to 20c per doz; geese 40 to 50c each; hay $6 to $8 per ton; oats 22c to 25c per bus; potatoes 85c to 95c per bag peas 60c per bus; rye 80c per bus; straw $2 per load; wheat 65 to 70c per bus.

PICTON MARKETS.

Butter 17 to 22c; buckwheat 35c; barley 35c to 40c; chickens 30 to 50c per pair; ducks 40 to 70c per pair; eggs 18c to 20c per doz; geese 50c to 60c; oats 27 to 30c; peas 50 to 52c; potatoes, new, 75 to 90c per bag; rye 40 to 50c; straw $2 per load; wheat, fall 60c to 68c per bus; spring 55 to 67c; wood $2 to $4.50 per cord.

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MILK FACTORY FRAUDS

J J B FLINT P M SAYS THE ACT IS RENDERED VALUELESS

Crude Legislation Introduced by Rural Legislators With a View to Curry the Good Will of Constituents

Recently I have in North Hastings been obliged to consider the effect of the act of the Ontario Legislature for 1892 relative to "Frauds on butter and cheese factories." My opinion is that the recent act referred to has rendered the prior act and all other acts in Ontario referring to frauds in supplying milk to factories of little or no value. I am of the opinion from experience in trying very many cases of fraud in supplying milk, that it is now under the act of 1892 almost impossible to procure a conviction in any case. Factories are practically so far as regards the Ontario Act unprotected.

No matter how positive may be the evidence of the Inspector, no matter how certainly the tests demonstrate the presence of a large percentage of water or the deprevation of cream, no conviction can be secured where the party declares an oath that he was not in any way a party to the crime, and backs his own oath up by the evidence of his household. It is true the magistrate or judge must be satisfied as to the truth of the defendant's statement, but where such evidence has been given, unless some one comes forward and swears he saw defendant water milk or abstract the cream or other persons discredit the evidence by their oaths, declaring the defendant unworthy of belief the magistrate would feel bound as against the prima facie evidence of the Inspector to give the defendant the benefit of the doubt and discharge him. Tinkering with Acts of Parliament is dangerous business. Too many rash legislators, anxious to please their constituents, by their prentice hand and the result is destruction of the law they only intended to amend.

My impression is that parties who do water milk may possibly be reached under the general law of fraud, but certainly not in the great majority of cases brought under the recent act.

I never knew a man to admit that he had watered milk or stolen cream. Every man declares his inncoense and what people so strenuously assert they will generally swear to. So far as the Dominion Act is concerned it contains the words, "knowingly and wilfully." I will not now discuss that act because, I have not preceeded under it of late and I may at any moment be called upon to do so. I would like to point out what I fear has been practised to a considerable extent by factories, and I do so in order that others may avoid what may cause serious trouble. I have been informed the practice is for an inspector to make his tests, inform the factory officers of the result and then notices are sent out stating to the persons notified that their milk has been found defective and the delinquents upon coming to the factory are then fined or charged whatever sums the authorities may see fit to impose. Now this course is illegal No one but the properly constituted authorities has the right to impose a fine for a crime committed. Every dollar obtained in this manner can be recovered back and every person who has been instrumental or a party to imposing and receiving these fines is in a very dangerous position. My very strong impression is that he is guilty of a serious crime.

What I think should be done is to have the Act of 1892 repealed. Pass an Act which will compell the farmer to enclose his cans with a lattice like structure which would admit the necessary air for cooling and aeration, have this cage locked, each lock should have two keys, one kept by the farmer and one given to the milk drawer. The expense would not exceed two or three dollars, the farmers would then be protected against tramps, strollers and enemies from emptying buckets of water in the can, the factories would then be certain of securing conviction in cases where the tests showed water added or cream taken away. As it is now the present law is valueless, it protects the individual farmer from conviction, but it will have the effect of robbing and defrauding the factories to an enormous extent. This evening's paper states Inspector Rollins had thirty persons this season fined watering milk. I am satisfied if the parties had not settled no conviction would have been secured since the statute of 1892. The inspector's evidence establishes only a prima facie case which is sufficient until rebutted, place the defendant in the witness box, let him den he did the act, or countenanced it and the prima facie case is fully met, and displaced and judgment must be for the defendant. In Ancient Greece so great was the rage for tampering with laws that a statute was passed enacting that whoever desired to propose an amendment to an existing law should stand up in the assembly with a rope about his neck, if the assembly decided the amendment was a good one the change was made, if it decided the amendment should not be made the daring legislator had the rope tightened and he was speedily assisted to another tribunal. I trust that the old Grecian custom will be adopted in our Ontario Assembly as I think it will require some short and summary mode of procedure to put a stop to this flood of crude legislation that is impuring and destroying many good laws I do not wish to say that I think the Ontario Act as it stood before the amendment of 1892 was a fair and just Act in every respect. I do not think so, but it was better than none. In all the cases tried before me where the defendants contested, I acquit them. The arguments of their learned Counsel, Mr. Anderson, suggested many points which are unnecessary for me to enumerate. The grounds of my judgment sufficiently appear in what I have written.

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As we are desirious of completely clearing out our Xmas goods we have greatly reduced the prices for the balance of the week.

We have also just opened another lot of Blk. Jackets at $6.00 and $10.00.

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Books, Fancy Goods, Albums, Bibles yer Books, Musical Instruments, Child s Carriages, Sleighs, and in fact the le of the large and varied stock.

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MAYORALTY.

Ladies and Gentlemen.

Having been requested by a large number of influential electors of the city of Belleville to offer myself for Mayor for 1893, I have consented to do so, and now respectfully solicit your votes and influence. I have resided in the city six years, three of which I have served in the city council and school board. I would respectfully refer you to my work therein. I come out as a business man having had 20 years business experience in different parts of Canada, which is of great service to anyone in filling the civic chair I have chosen Belleville as my home and have invested all my capital in and around the city, and my interests being centered here I will if elected, go all in in my power as I have done heretofore, to advance the best interests of the city. I strongly urge the reduction of the number of Aldermen and shall use every endeavor to carry into effect the proposal made by me to the council in respect to it last year.

I have also in view the grave necessity of getting the city in the best sanitary condition possible to enable us better to cope with the cholera epidemic should it reach us next year.

HARRY FOWELL

Everything fresh and new for Xmas. People tell us, our store never looked so pretty as now. Such a variety of nice Confectionery, Florida Oranges, Valencia Oranges, Almira Grapes, Choice Figs, new Golden Dates, new Nuts, etc.

H. C. DICKENS & SON

P. S.—Xmas Cakes going very fast but a nice lot to choose from yet.

MAYORALTY

To the Electors of the City of Belleville :

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN :

I respectfully solicit your votes and influence for Mayor of the City of Belleville for 1893. I was born in Belleville have lived among you all my life, and am personally known to most of you.

I have been an alderman in the City Council for four years and during that time have endeavored to represent you straightforwardly and faithfully. My platform is "Economy" in city affairs. If elected I will exert myself to further the best interests of the city.

Yours respectfully,

Francis S. Wallbridge.

MAYORALTY.

To the Electors of my Native City :

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN :

For years past I have had the offer of support for the Civic Chair, but at the present time to many of my old friends have brought more pressure to bear than I can decently withstand. I have been asked to stand for the highest position that the citizens can confer on any one. Among the men who offer me their support are to be found Irishmen, Englishmen, Dutchmen, Frenchmen and now and then a Scotchmen, besides a good many Canadians. To the electors I am no stranger. I have been a member of the City Council for the greater part of a quarter of a century and during that time have done what I felt was for the best interest of the city and will continue on the same line if successful at the coming election. I am in favor of strict economy in city affairs and decrease of our indebtedness. At the nomination I will freely give my views on the situation, and with much respect ask that when you mark your ballot you will not forget

A. T. PETRIE.

Belleville, Dec. 20, 1892

To the Electors Ketcheson Ward

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,—I respectfully ask your votes and influence as a Candidate for Alderman for 1893. I am in favor of the reduction of aldermen to at least fourteen to be elected by the whole city. The present wards to remain intact. I will support all measures which as a citizen I think to be in the best interest of the present position and future progress of this city, believing neither in undue municipal extravagence nor in false economy.

WILLIAM N. PONTON.

Belleville, Dec. 1892.

Dick's Liniment cures All Lameness and Sprains

CHRISTMAS CHEER
AND
TABLE DELICACIES

FINEST TABLE RAISINS
FINEST TABLE FIGS
FINEST MALAGA GRAPES
FINEST FLORIDA ORANGES
FINE TABLE PRUNES
FINE TURKISH DATES

New Grenoble Walnuts
New Soft-shell Almonds,
New Sicily Filberts,
New Pecan Nuts,

BISCUITS.

VANILLA SUGAR WAFERS
CHOCOLATE SUGAR WAFERS
LEMON SUGAR WAFERS
RASPBERRY SUGAR WAFERS
SALTED SEAFOAM WAFERS
SALTED SNOWFLAKE WAFERS

CHEESE.

...e Roquefort Cheese,
...acLaren's Imperial Cheese [in small ... crocks]
Canadian Stilton Cheese
Prime old Cheddar Cheese, 1st prize

...SE & BLACKWELL'S JAMS AND JELLIES !

CANNED FRUITS & VEGETABLES

Canned Pineapples, Canned Peach
British Columb. Egg Plums,
French Mushrooms, [In glass bottles] French Mushrooms, [In tins]
French Peas, [In tins]
Canned String Beans, Canned Green Peas,
Canned Sugar Corn, Canned Tomatoes.

CROSSE & BLACKWELL'S PICKLES

Pickled Walnuts, Pickled White Onions
Pickled Girkins, Pickled Chow Chow
Mix d Pickles, Olives

Christmas Confectionery.

A FINE ASSORTMENT.

FINE BREAKFAST TEAS, COFFEES, COCOAS, AND CHOCOLATES

Fearman's and Lowry's Celebrated Christmas Hams and Bacon.

BALTIMORE OYSTERS
[Direct from the Packers]

Christmas Wines.

POMMERY SEC CHAMPAGNE
MUMM'S CHAMPAGNE
SPARKLING SAUMUR

FINEST OLD PORTS AND SHERRIES.

California Angelica, California Port, Native Wines, St. Augustine, White Catawaba.

CLARETS, BURGUNDIES AND SAUTERNES

ALES AND PORTER.

Bass' English Ale. Guiness' Dublin Stout, Dow's India Pale Ale, Dows Sand Porter, Labatts Pale Ale, Carlings Ale, Davies Ale, etc.

IMPORTED GERMAN LAGER BIER.

IRISH AND SCOTCH WHISKIES.

Burke's Old Irish, J. Jamieson's Old Irish, W. Jamiesons Dublin Whiskey, Highland Blend, Bu lock Lade & Co's Loch Katrine Camlachie Malt, Sheriff's Old Islay, Old Gaelic Whiskey, Andrew Usher & Cos Old Vatted Glenlivat Whiskey.

BRANDIES !

Hennessy's V. O. Brandy,
Martell's V. O. Brandy,
Jules Robin & Co's Brandy

LIQUORS, Etc.

Booth's Old Tom Gin, Plymouth Gin,
Fine Old Jamaica Rum Angostura Bitters,
Ginger Wine, Ginger Ale,
Soda Water, Apollinaris Water
Vermouth Bitters.

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VERY SUGGESTIVE
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Beautiful Dress Patterns,
Embroidered Felt Skirts
Black Silk Dress for $10
Ladies Mantles & Ulsters
Wool Clouds and Shawls
Chenile Curtains & Covers
Hemstitch'd Table Linens
Ladies Silk and Flannel Blouses
Kid and Lined Gloves
Silk Hdkfs from 25c
Embroid'd Linen hdkfs
Printed hdkfs from 3c ea.
Initial hdkfs, 13c each!
Ladies Hats and Bonnets at greatly reduc'd prices
Gents Neckties, Gloves.
Fancy Suspenders and Mufflers.

Brignall & Thompso[n]

Miss Lettie Huntley

Is the sister of Mr. W. S. Huntley of Cortland, N. Y., a well known carpenter and builder. Her frank statement below gives only the absolute truth concerning her illness and marvelous recovery by the aid of Hood's Sarsaparilla. She says:

"C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.:

"Dear Sir: Twelve years ago I began to have hemorrhages and four years ago became so low that the physicians told me

There Was No Hope

and I should soon die. I could not be moved from my bed. Under my face were napkins continually reddened with blood from my mouth. **I could eat nothing** and had no action of the bowels for a week. The doctors said the cause was ulcers in the stomach. At this time my mother said she wanted to make one more trial, and asked if I would take Hood's Sarsaparilla. I told her it would be

A Waste of Money

but finding it would comfort her, I began taking it. In a few days the bloating began to subside, I seemed to feel a little stronger, but thought it only fancy. I was so weak I could only take ten drops of Sarsaparilla at first. In two weeks I was able to sit up a few minutes every day. In a month **I could walk across the room.** One day I asked what they were to have for dinner, and said I wanted something hearty. My mother was so happy she cried. It was the

First Time I had Felt Hungry for Two Years

I kept on with Hood's Sarsaparilla and in six months was as well as ever in my life. It is now four years since I recovered, and I have not had a day's sickness since, nor any hemorrhage. If ever a human being thanked the good Lord on bended knees it was I. I know that Hood's Sarsaparilla, and that alone, unquestionably **Saved my Life."**

Messrs. Sager & Jennings, the well known druggists of Cortland, say that Miss Huntley "is a highly respected lady; her statement of what

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Has done for her is worthy the highest confidence." Hood's Pills cure Liver Ills.

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TO-LET.

The frame house lately occupied by Mr. Casey on Geddes street. Apply at this Office.

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Brilliant Dialogue,
Clean Comedy
Humorous Situations

Presented by a Capable Company.

BLEECKER WARD

To the Electors of Bleecker Ward.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN :—Having learned that the business of the coming year in the City Council is likely to be very heavy and believe I would not be able to give the time necessary to attend to the duties of Alderman for your Ward and therefore wish to retire from the contest. I thank my many supporters for their kindness in bringing me out and assisting me in my canvass.

PHILIP ACTON

Dated Dec. 22, '92.

Flowers for Decoration

The subscriber has a quantity of cut flowers and bulbs suitable for Christmas decoration purposes.

S J. WEDDEN,
Florist,
Near Albert College. Telephone A 130

To the Municipal Electors of Murney Ward

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN : –

For the third time I respectfully ask for your votes and influence to secure my return as one of your representatives.

During the year I have been honored with the chairmanships of two important committees for the whole of the time, and a third —the Executive—for the last half of the year.

You are the judges whether I have attended faithfully to duty and acted conscientiously.

Whatever works for the city's good, if possible from the standpoints of economy and prudence, are the objects of my aim. I renew my pledges of attention to duty and fidelity to our city's welfare, and remain

yours obediently
J. E. WALMSLEY.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

THE SARNIA ROBBERY.

IN THE HANDS OF A GOVERNMENT DETECTIVE

How the Safe in the Canadian Express Company's Office Was Plundered—$7000 Just Placed Therein To Be Forwarded to Toronto, Stolen.

TORONTO, Dec. 22.—The Attorney-General's Department yesterday despatched Government Detective Joe Rogers to Sarnia to investigate the robbery of $7000 from the safe in the office of the Canadian Express Company in that town, the boldest and most daring robbery that ever occurred. The robber, or robbers, if there were more than one, made good their escape apparently without leaving any tangible clue. The robbery has set Sarnia in a fever of excitement, and rumors as to who were concerned in the affair are many and varied.

Thomas Cook, jr., who superseded Ernie O. Clark about two months ago as the agent of the company, has been sick abed for the past few days, and the office was in charge of James McMahon, who, with the delivery man, comprised the office force.

At 12.25 o'clock McMahon, after having returned from the 12 o'clock train for the east, locked everything valuable into the office safe, which is an old-fashioned key-lock affair, and, after locking the front door, went for his mid-day meal. Upon his return, at five minutes before 1, he found the door of the safe open with a key sticking in the key-hole, and $7000 in currency missing. The money had just been brought into the office at a few minutes to 12, by the local banks, to be forwarded to Toronto.

The perpetrators of the robbery gained entrance through rear a door in the basement, which had been left open for the delivery of some coal. From the basement it was practically an easy matter to get into the office through a trap in the floor, after which all that remained to be done was to unlock the safe and abstract the packages wanted. After getting the booty, the robber made his exit and in the same way as he had entered.

The key was a duplicate, and was evidently made by the robber himself from an impression procured in some way from the original key to the safe. It is a rather crude affair, and is pronounced by a locksmith not to have been made by a mechanic. The robber was evidently well acquainted with the methods and business of the office, as it was an unusual thing to have that amount of money in the office. He seemed also to have been cognizant of the fact that the valuables were sent east on the second express and not on the 12 o'clock train, on which other express matter is sent. If the officers have any suspicion who the guilty parties are, they are keeping it to themselves. Rumors are many, but at the present time it would be an injustice to connect any person's name therewith.

MISSED HER BABE.

Crazed by Grief Mrs. Craig Leaves Her Home and Friends.

TORONTO, Dec. 22.—Twenty-five years ago the infant child of Mrs. Sarah Craig fell down a well and was drowned. It was the unfortunate mother's lot to find her dead child, and ever since she beheld her dead baby's face turned up to hers from beneath the water she has been demented, being continually under the impression that she would one day again enfold her baby in her arms.

Lately her friends have noticed that she was becoming unnaturally excited, and fearful of mishap they watched her closely. Yesterday afternoon, however, she eluded their vigilance and wandered forth from the house, presumably in search of her missing little one.

Although enquiries have been set on foot no word as to the old lady's whereabouts can be learned.

She resides with her brother-in-law, Mr V. Woods, 190 Oak-street, and any clue which will lead to her restoration to her home will be thankfully received.

When Mrs. Craig left the house she was attired in a gray melton wrapper and wore a small black shawl over her head. She is 68 years of age and of fair complexion.

Mr. Woods and his wife are fearful that the old lady may have gone in the direction of the Don, and searching for her drowned baby as she was it is feared she may have plunged into the water.

THE POISON EPIDEMIC.

Drinking Water for Non-Unionists Dosed With Croton Oil.

EAST LIVERPOOL, O., Dec. 22.—A story of attempted and partially successful wholesale poisoning, similar to that alleged at Homestead, comes from New Cumberland, W. Va.

A large number of Hungarians have been imported to take the places of striking workmen in the John Porter Company's tile and brick works. Recently these men have been complaining of sickness and many of them have left in consequence. The trouble was charged to the water kept for drinking purposes in barrels about the works. An investigation leads to the belief that the drinking water of the workmen had been heavily dosed with croton oil.

The Homestead Poisoning.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Dec. 22.—True bills were returned by the grand jury yesterday against Hugh F. Dempsey, Robert Beaty and J. M. Davidson for felonious assult and battery in administering poison to the non-union men at Homestead steel works.

Nicaragua Canal.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—The Foreign Relations Committee has reported favorably upon the Nicaragua Canal bill. The Canal Company want the Government to guarantee $100,000,000 bonds for construction expenses.

Fight with Dacoits.

BOMBAY, Dec. 22.—Advices from Rajote, in the Province of Guzerat, report an encounter between a body of Dacoits and a force of native policemen under British military officers. Lieut. Gordon of the Bombay Lancers and four policemen were killed. No mention is made of the loss sustained by the Dacoits.

The Wife Died, Too.

MARKHAM, Dec. 22.—John Byer, one of the pioneer residents of Markham Township, died on Monday of inflammation.

The sudden shock prostrated his aged wife, who never rallied, but died the following morning.

Railway President Re-Elected.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 22.—Charles F. Mayer was re-elected president of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad yesterday.

Steamship Movements.

Date.	Name.	Reported at.	From
Dec. 21—Majestic		Queenstown	New York
" —Trave		Queenstown	New York
" —Teutonic		New York	Liverpool

A Tooth for $10,000.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Dec. 19.—Mrs. Rebecca Flynn has sued Dr. Hill of Scranton, for $10,000 damages. She says he fractured one of her front teeth while performing a

THE CANAL SCANDALS.

Secret and Hostile Motives Said to Be Operating.

PARIS, Dec. 22.—In the Senate yesterday the special committee chosen yesterday by the standing committee reported in favor of authorizing the Procureur-General to proceed against Senators Renault, Albert Grevy, Beral, Thevenet and Deves on account of their connection with the Panama Canal frauds.

M. Thevenet, who is Ex-Minister of Justice, solemnly affirmed that he had never received a centime from the Panama Canal Company, either directly or indirectly.

The Parliamentary Commission of Inquiry learned to-day a bond of 500,000 francs payable to bearer, was given to Dr. Cornelius Herz as compensation for his services in "advertising."

The commission decided to examine M. Yoes-Guyot, Radical deputy for the Seine, to learn whether or not he had said recently that a list of the compromised members of Parliament had been submitted to President Carnot. This is the first official mention of President Carnot's name in connection with the scandal. Many believe that a secret and hostile motive is responsible for the introduction.

It is stated this evening that 100 checks bearing the names of senators and deputies have been secured by the examining magistrate.

Jules Roche, Ex-Minister of Commerce, who is under prosecution to-day in the Chamber of Deputies, denied that he was implicated in the Panama Canal affair.

As he passed the ministerial bench he exclaimed: "Oh, you hypocrites and scoundrels !"

CODE OF ANARCHISTS.

Social Revolution Is to Be Considered the First of Duties.

MADRID, Dec. 22.—The authorities have found a code of Anarchist laws providing as follows:

The first duty of a companion is absolute disregard of life. He must recognize but that of the social revolution and no enemies but capital and bourgeoisie. Companions recognize no jurisdiction save the tribunal of honor appointed of themselves, the decisions of which are irrevocable.

Every Anarchist is obliged to defend his companions at the peril of his life. The social revolution is to be considered the first of duties and obligations. Every Anarchist must repudiate all revolutionary movements which have not for their direct object the destruction of capital.

No Anarchist can refuse to carry out any mission that can be entrusted to him, except in the case of physical impossibility. No Anarchist can exercise a public function without the authority of the assembly; neither can he take part in any manifestation foreign to the cause.

No Anarchist can belong to any other group unless with the object of discovering secrets in the interest of Anarchism, or unmasking the movements of a false companion—an accomplice of the bourgeoisie.

The latter will be considered the most important service rendered to the cause. All Anarchists accept the revolution with all its consequences, and bring to bear on the propagation of their ideas all their intelligence, courage and energy.

DISASTROUS FIRE.

Fourteen People Either Burned to Death or Killed.

PARIS, Dec. 22.—A disastrous conflagration has occurred at Berson. Fourteen of the villagers were either burned to death in their homes or killed while attempting to escape.

The flames, fanned by a high wind, spread with frightful rapidity, and it was early seen that the efforts of the villagers to fight the flames would be fruitless. Attention was then turned to saving the aged and the little children, and it was in the work of rescue that several of the villagers lost their lives.

The greater part of the village was destroyed and the inhabitants are in great straits, owing to the lack of food and proper clothing.

FIELD OF HONOR.

For a Political Squabble They Will Fight to the Death.

PARIS, Dec. 22.—The coming duel between Clemenceau, editor of La Justice, and Deroulede, who assailed Clemenceau in the Chamber of Deputies yesterday, the latter retorting that Deroulede lied, is arousing much interest.

Deroulede has granted Clemenceau the choice of weapons and preparations for the event are being pushed. Both men intend to fight to the death.

England's Trade Loss.

LONDON, Dec. 22.—The result of the operations of 99 joint stock companies in Lancashire in 1892 is an average loss of £958. This fact is commented on as illustrating the depressed condition of the British trade and industry.

The Captain Drowned.

LONDON, Dec. 22.—The British ship Dundonald, which sailed from San Francisco on Aug. 9, reached Queenstown today. Capt. Hawthorne, her master, was washed overboard and drowned.

She Lacked the Nine Points.

LONDON, Dec. 22.—The dowager Duchess of Sutherland was defeated yesterday in the attempt to gain possession of the estate known as Titters, or Chase, near Trentham, from the possession of which she has been debarred by the present Duke.

Killed Thirteen Infants.

SYDNEY, N.S.W., Dec. 22.—Making and his wife, the baby farmers who killed 13 infants by piercing their hearts or spines with needles, were yesterday committed for trial. Both pleaded not guilty.

Gone to a Lively Country.

LONDON, Dec. 22.—Mr. Gladstone left to-day for a short vacation in the south of France.

The Cotton Strike.

LONDON, Dec. 22.—A break in the great cotton lockout is expected next week, when it is said several mills start up on half time.

In Financial Straits.

TORONTO, Dec. 22.—Susan A. Costello, grocer, of Hawkesbury, has assigned to F. T. Costello.

The sheriff is in possession of the estate of Lavin & Weidman, grocers, etc., of Rat Portage.

L. Goldsmith & Co., cigars, of this city, have been sold out by the bailiff.

Mr. E. J. Little, grocer of Windsor, is offering to compromise at 25c. on the dollar.

Two Children Cremated.

SARGENT, Cal., Dec. 22.—Monday night the boarding house and residence of Mrs. S. Sims and Mrs. R. Hickley at White Pine was destroyed by fire, and Mrs. Hickley's two children, a girl aged 5 years and a boy 12 months, were burned to death.

Denouncing Freemasonry.

ROME, Dec. 16.—The Pope will shortly send to the Italian bishops and the Italian people a circular letter denouncing Freemasonry. His Holiness will declare that the Freemasons are pursuing the Satanic ...

GEN. MYLES IS SCA[RED]

CANADA'S CRUISERS MAY SMASH FRONTIER TOWNS.

Amounts to a Declaration of War ... to Violation of the Treaty of ... Canada Could Burn Every ... States Town on the Great Lakes.

CHICAGO, Dec. 22.—"If Canada has ... and armed three vessels for service ... lakes, as described by the officers ... Revenue Marine Service at Washingt[on] ... amounts to a declaration of war," ... Maj.-Gen. N. A. Myles yesterday, ... ing to the report that the Dominion h[as in]creased its armed force on the great ...

"I do not want to be quoted as ... that Canada or Great Britain means ..." said Gen. Myles. "The fact is, th[e] ... that these three vessels are ... direct violation of the treaty of ... which limits the war vessels that eith[er] Government or Great Britain can mai[ntain] on the lakes to a certain number and ... their gun power. The action of the ... dian authorities in building the ... vessels described by the officers of ... Revenue Marine Service violates the t[reaty] in both particulars.

"England can send a large fleet of ... draught war vessels up the St. Law[rence] River into the great lakes and could ... every town from Duluth to De[troit] ... and the singular thing is that ... United States could do scarcely ... thing by way of defence so fa[r as] doing battle on the water is concerned, while we have some light draught war[ships] that could get through the canal, we c[ould] not get them to the upper lakes fo[r the] reason that they would have to pass thr[ough] British possessions, and that Canad[a or] Great Britain would not allow."

Gen. Myles had a list showing that ... British navy had 35 protected cruiser[s], ... unprotected cruisers, 20 torpedo vessel[s], ... gun vessels, 2 armored vessels, 6 desp[atch] vessels and 5 armed steamers of dra[ught] light enough to allow their passage thr[ough] the Welland Canal.

RECEIVED $15'000.

A Big Purse Presented at a Bishop's ... and Silver Jubilees.

SCRANTON, Pa., Dec. 22.—The gold ... silver jubilees of Rt. Rev. William O'H[ara], Bishop of Scranton and a priest and bi[shop] of the Roman Catholic Church, was c[ele]brated here yesterday with impressive c[ere]monies.

Cardinal Gibbons, accompanied by A[rch]bishop Keane, Mgr. Mangin of the U[ni]versity of Washington and other dignita[ries] of the church were present.

Marching societies and thousands of citi[zens] greeted the cardinal on arrival at Scran[ton]. Five thousand persons attended the chu[rch] services. After the celebration of ... Archbishop Ryan of Philadelphia preac[hed] the sermon. Immediately following ... close of the service the priests of the ... cese gave a banquet to the visiting dig[ni]taries.

During the feast the clergy delivered ... address to the bishop and presented to ... a purse containing $15,000.

The Vote for President.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—The Post prin[ted] yesterday a table of the vote this year ... President, having secured the figures fr[om] all the states. The result is: Clevela[nd] 5,567,990, Harrison 5,176,611, Wea[ver] 1,025,060, and Bidwell 258,347. Cle[ve]land's plurality 391,379.

In Louisiana the Republicans a[nd] People's party, having nominated a fusi[on] ticket, on which there were five Harris[on] electors and three Weaver electors, ... vote for plurality puposes is credited ... Harrison.

Threats Against Negroes.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Dec. 22.—Eighte[en] armed deputies have been sent to the co[al] mines of Brown & Sons at Elkhorn to p[ro]tect the colored non-unionists who recen[tly] took the places of the strikers.

A delegate convention of miners is ... session at Monongahela City to co[n]sider the strike, and threats were ma[de] that after the convention adjourned t[he] delegates and miners would march to El[k]horn and force the negroes to come out ... the mine.

He Made Wealth For Others.

UTICA, N.Y., Dec. 22.—John T. Jone[s], aged about 60 years, died at his home ... this city last evening. He was the i[n]ventor of very many attachments for sew[ing] machines, and it was mainly throug[h] his efforts that the sewing machine w[as] brought to its present state of perfection.

His patents number more than 50, an[d] while he made others immensely wealth[y] he received but little through his royalti[es] and died a comparatively poor man.

An Editor Killed.

JACKSON, Tenn., Dec. 22.—Thomas Ga[s]ton, captain of the police, shot and kille[d] W. C. Strickland yesterday. A car[d] published in yesterday's Evening Tim[es] over the signature of Strickland mad[e] serious charges against Gaston's officia[l] conduct. Gaston gave bonds in the sum o[f] $20,000.

Coal Mines on Fire.

BELAIR, Ohio, Dec. 22.—The Belmon[t] coal mines were set on fire Monday morn[ing], the timbers being saturated with oil. The fire is still raging. It is supposed sev[eral] tramps are entombed. The loss wil[l] reach $40,000.

Another Appointment.

OTTAWA, Dec. 22.—William G. Parmele[e], Commissioner of Customs, has been appointed Deputy Minister of Trade and Commerce. He will also act as Chie[f] Comptroller of Chinese Immigration.

A Desolating Fire.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Dec. 22.—Fire at Du[]quesne destroyed six dwellings and for a time threatened the whole village. Twelve families were left homeless. Los[s] $15,000.

Fire in Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Dec. 22.—The big dressgoods and clothes mills of F. A. Bach[]man & Co. were burned yesterday. Loss $235,000; covered by insurance.

Woolen Mills Burned.

THURSO, Ont., Dec. 22.—The Thurso woolen mills were burned yesterday. Loss $10,000, partly covered by insurance.

President of the Council Ives.

SHERBROOKE, P.Q., Dec. 22.—Hon. W. B. Ives, President of the Council, was elected by acclamation yesterday.

Comptroller Wood.

FRANKLINVILLE, Dec. 22.—John F. Wood, Comptroller of Inland Revenue, was yesterday returned by acclamation.

Solicitor-General Curran.

MONTREAL, Dec. 22.—Mr. J. J. Curran, the Solicitor-General, was elected by acclamation yesterday in Montreal Centre.

Will Remain At His Post.

VIENNA, Dec. 19.—President Carnot says a despatch from St. Petersburg, ha[s] informed the Czar that he will remain [at] his post under any circumstances ... France from internal disturbance.

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THE DAILY ONTARIO

BELLEVILLE, THURSDAY, DEC. 22nd

IMPORTANT TO ADVERTISERS

The ONTARIO has the Largest bona-fide Circulation of any Paper in the Midland District.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Sir Charles Tupper has failed to create any enthusiasm in Canada by his proposition that the Dominion shall be the refuge of such emigrants as are refused permission to land at New York or Boston. Emigrants who are not considered worthy to enter the United States are not of the class that Canada wants.

There is intense excitement in France over the disclosures of corruption in connection with Panama canal affairs. Much sympathy is felt for the aged Count de Lesseps, but the men who are shown to have been connected with the corrupt dealings in connection with the financing of the Panama scheme are being execrated. The monarchists are hoping that the outcome may be the overthrow of the republic through popular disgust over the besmirching of so many prominent republicans, but so far as the French populace have shown no disposition to look to either Bourbons or Bonapartes for relief. The fact that disclosures of official bribe-taking has produced popular excitement and indignation throughout France is proof that there is a healthy republic opinion in this country, and sound popular sentiment is the best safeguard of a country.

Barley is selling in Lindsay, Peterboro, and other points in central Ontario for twenty five cents a bushel, or less than half of the price obtained at the time the Tories promised the farmers such glorious things as the result of high taxation. Those who have been trying to raise barley for the English market find the experiment a failure. The unspeakable Yankees pay better prices for Canadian barley than English brewers do, and consequently our farmers are obliged to ship their grain to the United States, paying the McKinley duty of thirty cents per bushel to get it across the international boundary line. In Buffalo and Oswego Canadian barley brings from seventy to eighty cents per bushel and the prices in Canada would be nearly as high as in the places named, but for the tariff wall between Canada and the United States. Canadian barley growers have experienced with two-rowed barley for the English market to their sorrow.

Mr. Bowell's former constituents are of opinion that the duties of the Minister of Trade and Commerce will be both responsible and onerous. They probably are better informed than the general public as to the precise nature of the work Mr. Bowell is to undertake. Hitherto the finance Minister has dealt with the trade question as part of his department, and it seems most naturally to fit into his other duties. Trade and tariff are inseparably linked together. In the Senate a Minister of Trade and Commerce will have his hands tied because he cannot submit to that chamber any proposal effecting the tariff. Mr. Bowell has been placed exactly where he cannot discharge the responsible and onerous duties attaching to the Department of Trade and Commerce.

The Mythological Fates

"Somewhere on the unknown shore,
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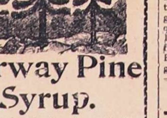

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Our endeavors to make the Fair headquarters for Christmas supplies is more marked this fall than at any other previous time. Our store though large, is not sufficient to accommodate the great crowds at Christmas times. We would therefore urge you to make your selections now while the stock is complete and avoid the crush at Christmas time. We have just received 100 cases of foreign goods, such as albums, dolls, tooth brushes, hair brushes, purses fancy china cups and saucers, vases, jewelery, handsome lemonade sets, glass tea sets beautifully engraved, our assortment of American glassware must be seen to be appreciated. Never have we been able to offer such bargains in albums, ladies workboxes, jewel cases, perfume cases shaving cases, brush and comb cases. Game from 5c up, playing cards from 5c up, beautifull whisk holders, all the latest styles from 49c up. We have something new in dolls, cradles childrens extension tables, sets of furniture, toy picture books, pansy books, magic lanterns 49c up steam engine, skates, doll carriages, childrens sleds and cutters, strong and durable at lowest prices, novels by the best authors 10c worth 35c pocket knives and table cutlery an endless variety to choose from. But perhaps one of the greatest driver is a special line of extra quality writing paper 5 quires (120 sheets) for 17c. We will not attempt to enumerate further, but would invite you to call at Dalton's Fair before purchasing where you can buy good goods at less than bankrupt prices.

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For coughs and colds the old reliabe remedy that has stood the test for more than a quarter of a century and is still a great favorite, is the one to buy, it is Holden's Expectorant, manufactured by A. L. Geen.

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Mr. Hugh Caldwell, Clydesdale, Ont., writes:—"My daughter was under the care of doctors for more than a year for female weakness, without getting relief. I then procured Pink Pills and they cured her." All dealers 50 cnts a box or 6 boxes for 2.60, or mailed on receipt of price. Dr. Williams' Med. Co.. Brockville, Ont. and Schenectady, N. Y.

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If you have a cough or cold do not neglect it; many without a trace of that hereditary disease have drifted into a consumptive grave by neglecting what was on a slight cold. Had they used Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup before it was too late their lives would have been spared. Mr. A. W. Levy Mitchell, writes. "I think Bickel's Anti-Consumptive Syrup the best preparation on the market for coughs and severe colds. About six years ago I caught a severe cold which settled on my lungs, and for three months I had a cough. I had a physician attending me, but gradually grew worse until I was on the verge of Consumption, and had given up hopes of being cured, when I was induced to try Bickel's Syrup. Before I had taken one bottle I found myself greatly relieved, and by the time I had finished the second was completely cured. I always rec for severe colds and consumption

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Dr. Silas Lane while in the Rocky Mountains discovered a root that when combined with other herbs makes an easy and certain cure for constipation. It is in the form of dry roots and leaves, and is known as Lane's Family Medicine. It will cure sick headache in one night, For the blood, liver and kidneys, and for clearing up the complexion it does wonders. Druggists sell it at 60 cents a package

As an after dinner pill, to strengthen the stomach, assist digestion, and correct all bilious tendencies, Ayer's pills are considered the best. Being sugar coated, they are as agreeable as any confection, and may be taken by the most delicate.

Never hump yourself up to die of Piles until after you have given Magic Pile Lotion a fair and reasonable trial. If it fails then go on with your humping for your case is incurable.

THE CHINESE QUESTION.

A Plea for Preserving Peace Between China and the U.S.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—The Post editorially says;

The plan of campaign agreed upon by the Chinese residents of this country to resist the enforcement of the Geary Exclusion Act is, first, to test the constitutionality of the law itself; and so eminent an attorney as Joseph H. Chate of New York is mentioned as one of the counsel retained in the case.

In the meantime the Oriental Club of New York will do whatever it may toward arousing public sympathy in behalf of the proscribed class by a systematic agitation of its grievances and by petitions to Congress for a repeal of the obnoxious statute, a fund sufficient to cover all necessary expenditures to be raised by a per capita assessment of one dollar on the Chinamen now sojourning in the United States.

Failure to secure the intended object by these methods, the law being declared constitutional and Congress refusing to modify or ameliorate existing legislation, will mean in all probability a policy of retaliation on the part of the Chinese Government. No other course would comport with the self-respect and dignity of a nation that believes itself to have been treated by the United States with contumely and bad faith.

The Post cannot doubt that there is brave and honest statesmanship enough in the American Congress to meet the exigencies of this question honorably to itself and satisfactorily to China—in such a way as to preserve unbroken the pacific relations that exist between the two countries and obviate the necessity of a resort to extreme measures on either hand.

Setting aside all considerations of the constitutionality or humanity of the exclusion law, we hold the measure to be objectionable, as contrary to sound public policy. In other words, we do not believe that the alleged evils of Chinese immigration are of such a grave and threatening character as to warrant this Government in permanently alienating the friendship of a great power that, so far as it seeks commercial alliances abroad at all, or has any disposition to grant outside concessions, naturally inclines to the United States as ... profess ... iation. ... and ... view ... narrow ... and ... United ... ds so ... se, to ... nat in ... ent is ... tor in ... world.

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TORONTO, Dec. 22.—C. Bartlett, accountant of the Bank of Hamilton at Hamilton, has just returned from Mexico, where he went to give evidence in the extradition proceedings in the case of C. Hilton Davidson, the Burlington forger, and to identify the prisoner. Davidson was held at a small Mexican town across the Rio Grande from El Paso, Texas. The local alcalde took the evidence in the case and forwarded it to the Solicitor-General at the City of Mexico and after much delay the necessary papers were received to have Davidson handed over to the British authorities. On Tuesday of last week Detective Murray started for the coast with the prisoner, but it will likely be January before he gets home, as he will have to wait his chance to get a steamer to Jamaica and come up to Halifax on one of Pickford & Black's line of steamers.

Mrs. Davidson was with her husband in Mexico. She did not accompany him to the coast, but will probably return direct by rail. The probabilities are that Davidson will be taken direct to Milton jail, as the offence occurred in Halton County.

AN UGLY NEIGHBOR.

Congress Is Considering a Measure to Prevent Canadians Going Over.

WASHINGTON. Dec. 22.—Dr. Stump, Chairman of the House Committee on Immigration, has amended his immigration bill of Tuesday so as to make it apply to immigrants coming by land or water. The amendment was made in order to allow the suspension of immigration from Canada, Mexico and South American countries.

Actor Townsend's Condition.

HAMILTON, Dec. 22.—The watchers by the bedside of John Townsend, the veteran actor who is making such a brave fight with death, thought he could not live through last night, and they telegraphed to his daughter, Mrs. Captain Allen, Toronto, to come on the midnight train if she wished to see her father alive. She did not receive the despatch in time.

Old Mr. Townsend, who had survived the night, recognized his son-in-law, and Mrs. Allen, who is expected this afternoon, may yet see her father before death claims him.

The old gentleman has not tasted nourishment for four weeks, and is very much wasted in flesh. He suffers a great deal, and his speech is becoming less and less articulate.

Found Lying Dead.

HAMILTON, Dec. 22.—Mr. Bernard McGovern died very suddenly at his home in West Flamboro yesterday. He went out to the barn to do some work, and not returning to the house at dinner time as usual, his brother walked out to see what had become of him, Mr. McGovern was found lying on the floor, breathing his last. Deceased was aged 64. He had occupied the position of treasurer of the township for a long time and was widely known and generally respected.

Blitzen Only Ran Third,

GUTTENBERG, Dec. 22.—First race, 6½ furlongs—Woodchopper 1, Tammany Hall 2, Bob Arthur 3. Time 1.24½.

Second race, ¾ mile—Mohammed 1, Freemason 2, Vespasian 3. Time 1.18.

Third race, 4½ furlongs—Van S 1, Bon Voyage 2, Benjamin 3. Time .56½.

Fourth race, ⅞ mile—Little Fred 1, Mohican 2, Blitzen 3. Time 1.29½.

Walter Raleigh 2, Mollie Davis 3. Time 1.45½.

Fifth race, 1 mile—Reporter 1, Sir Sixth race, 4 1-2 furlongs—Red Elm 1, Peralto 2, Coldstream 3. Time .57½.

McAuliffe to Fight.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—Jack McAuliffe has signed articles of agreement to fight Dick Burge at the Coney Island Athletic Club for a purse of $45,000. His backer must first consent.

Tacoma is Surprised.

TACOMA, Wash., Dec. 22.—The heaviest snow storm in Puget Sound for two years prevailed last night. All street car traffic is paralysed.

Hello!—You fellow there.—Don't go limping about as if your back was broken. Go off at once and get a bottle of Magic Pile Lotion—use it according to directions and you will walk as straight as any body in 24 hours.

Get along with you! To McKeown & Co's or D. M. Wate

Every testimonial regarding Hoo Sarsaparilla is an honest, unpurchased statement of what this medicine actually done.

"Save who can!" was the frantic cry of Napoleon to his army at Waterloo Save health and strength while you can by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, is advice that applies to all, both young and old. Don't wait until disease fastens on you; begin at once.

If you have a cough, procure at one bottle of Holden's Expectorant, put ... old reliable cough medicine.

A LITTLE GIRL'S DANGER.

Mr. Henry Macombe, Leyland St., Blackburn, London, Eng., states that his little girl fell and struck her knee against a curbstone. The knee began to swell, became very painful and terminated in what doctors call "white swelling." She was treated by the best medical men, but grew worse. Finally

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THE FORGERY IN HALTON

MONEY WAS WANTED FOR WEDDING PRESENTS.

A Report That Mrs. Dixon Is To Be Proceeded Against—What She Did With the Money That She Raised by Forging Her Husband's Name.

MILTON, Ont., Dec. 22.—D. A. Robson, the young broker, appeared before Mayor Dice at Milton yesterday for examination on two charges. The first was for obtaining money under false pretences on the Campbell forged note for $300, for uttering which he was tried last week before Judge Kingsmill and discharged. The charge was based on his alleged statement to Mr. Campbell, to which the latter swore, that he had seen the note signed in his office. John Dixon and his wife, Matilda Dixon, swore as they did last week that they had not signed the note. The second charge was uttering another Dixon forged note for $300, alleged to have been sold by Robson to William McLellan, farmer, of Trafalgar about Oct. 27 last. McLellan swore to the purchase of the note and said that Robson told him when he bought it that Miss Dixon was about to be married and the money was wanted for wedding purposes. The Dixons both swore that they had not signed the note.

Robson was committed for trial on both charges, and bail was accepted.

The friends of the accused talk of prosecuting Mrs. Dixon for the forgeries which she has admitted, but it is not likely that any action of this kind will be taken, as it is improbable that in view of all the circumstances a jury could be secured in Halton who would convict her.

Mrs. Dixon is well-known to many Toronto merchants, with whom she has been dealing for four or five years past, and from several of whom she monthly ordered large bills of goods for her daughters.

For two or three years she conducted a milk business, and the C.P.R. loaded up scores of cans at the "fourth line" for transhipment to Toronto. Her business in connection with the milk trade brought her to Toronto two or three times a week.

The manner in which she disposed of the $2600 raised by forging her husband's name to notes, which she discounted, is no longer a mystery. The World learned yesterday that as long as three years ago she began speculating in Toronto realty, and like many another investor her equities vanished.

TELLERS' TROUBLES.

When They Overpay Checks They Are Out Of Pocket.

WINDSOR, Ont., Dec. 22.—When Teller J. W. Waddell of the Windsor branch of the Merchants' Bank counted up his cash the other night he was surprised to find that it was short to the amount of $2500, and all efforts to trace the missing money proved abortive.

Whether the money was stolen or overpaid is at present a mystery, but the officials of the bank are investigating the facts in connection with the disappearance of the cash, which was made up of three $500 bills and ten $100 bills. Although it is claimed that small sums, which the teller has made good, have been disappearing mysteriously from the teller's box for months, it is generally believed that Waddell overpaid the amount, as many similar cases have occurred at various banks throughout the province; and while the banks have in no cases been the losers the tellers have, in most instances, been compelled to make good the shortages, as the recipients of the increased amounts have, in no few cases, made restitution.

A few months ago the teller of a bank in this city found that his checks and cash did not correspond by $1200. He could not account for the discrepancy, cudgel his brains as he might, and as a result he had to make good the sum.

Not many years ago the teller of this very bank in Windsor where the present discrepancy exists overpaid a customer to the extent of $5000, and he also had to make good the loss. A case which attracted attention in the Hamilton law courts some years ago, and in which one of the best known of Hamilton's citizens was the victim, was of a similar nature. The gentleman was teller of a Hamilton bank, and one busy Saturday morning a farmer from over the mountain came in to cash a check for $2500. The sum was paid in $500 bills and accidentally the teller dropped on the counter six bills instead of five. The farmer grabbed the bills and made off like a flash. Unluckily the teller was the only witness of the affair and although proceedings were taken against the dishonest farmer nothing could be recovered. He was not captured with the money on him and he swore he had only received $2500. The teller had to put up the money lost.

Another case occurred in Hamilton a short time since, where the teller of a bank inadvertently paid out $2000 more than the check called for. The farmer to whom the money was paid discovered the mistake and, being an honest man, returned to the bank to restore the money. "You made a mistake," he remarked to the teller. The latter, who differed from most tellers in that he had a lofty idea of his own cleverness, replied, "Oh, no! nothing of the kind; we never make mistakes here," and refused to listen to the farmer. When he counted up his cash he discovered his mistake and at 2 o'clock next morning awoke the farmer from bed, and with tears in his eyes prayed for the restoration of the overpaid amount. Fortunately the farmer was an honest man and the amount was restored.

Still another case occurred at a bank in this city within a month, but as the sum overpaid was only $250 the teller made good the amount, but where the money went was never discovered.

The case in which a teller of the Queen-street west branch of the Dominion Bank claimed to have paid 80 ten dollar bills instead of 80 ones to Ald. Verral and the suit arising therefrom is familiar to Torontonians.

The disappearance of a package containing $7500 from a Queen-street west bank a few years ago and the mysterious departure of a $5000 parcel from the Merchants' Bank at Winnipeg also explains the disadvantages under which tellers labor.

In several of the banks it is the custom to set aside a teller's risk fund of $200 to provide for losses of this nature, for no matter how careful a teller is, it is only a question of time when his turn comes. Handling from $10,000 to $20,000 a day it is the easiest thing in the world for him to hand out a parcel of large bills instead of a package of the smaller denomination which the check calls for, and too frequently the recipient is not honest enough to restore the overpaid amount and the poor teller has no more success than the fabled miserly man of Athens.

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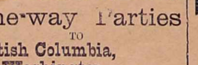

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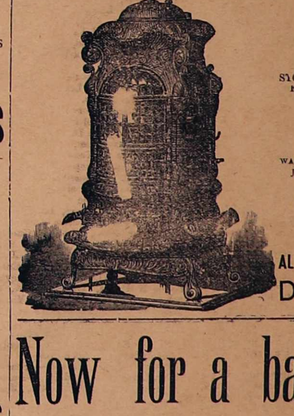

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A fine assortment of Rugs,
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Carpets.

Bargains in carpets for the Xmas trade. If you require a carpet purchase before Xmas and we will give you a bargain.

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THE DAILY ONTARIO

BELLEVILLE, THURSDAY, DEC. 22nd

TOLD IN A LINE OR TWO

For Bargains on Christmas goods, go to E. Harrison.

To turn gray hair to its natural color and beauty use Hall's Vegetable Sicilian Hair Renewer, the best and most reliable preparation science has given us.

Catarrh in the head is a constitutional disease, and requires a constitutional remedy like Hood's Sarsaparilla to effect a cure.

Mrs. Willet Hawkins, of Picton, who about three weeks ago was taken to the Belleville hospital, is recovering so rapidly that she will be able to come home shortly.

The W.C.T.U., will hold a meeting to-morrow at 3 p.m. in the R.T. hall Front [st]reet.

D. Ritchie & Co

W. B. Coulter, of Huntingdon, was married last night to Miss Annie Reynolds of Hungerford by Rev. Wm. Johnston at Tweed. The happy couple have the best wishes of a large number of friends.

Very Special line of silk umbrellas with fancy handles. Solid leather collar and cuff boxes, and Smoking Jackets, came in to-day—will make a splendid Xmas present.—A. E. Fish & Co.

The Grand Trunk Fire Brigade gave the City Mission a large quantity of cakes etc., which were much appreciated by the children of the night school last evening. It would have done the brigade good to see the pleasure their gift afforded.

If sick headache is a misery, what are Carter's Little Liver Pills if that will positively cure it? People who have used them speak frankly of their worth.

Christmas Tree and literary entertainment will be held at Bleecker Street church on Friday evening next 23rd, commencing at 8 o'clock. Also the review of the quarter's lesssons will take place on Sabbath the 25th at 11 o'clock, instead of the regular service. A cordial invitation is given by the officers of the Sabbath school to attend the above services.

Nominations take place in Madoc to-morrow to fill the vacancy in North Hastings. Peter Vancleek one of the strongest men in North Hastings will carry the standard for the Liberals. The meeting to-morrow is likely to be a lively one.

Philip Acton, as will be seen by a card in another column, has withdrawn from the aldermanic contest in Bleecker ward.

The nomination for Wallaston was held at Coe Hill on Monday, resulting as follows: For reeeve, Wm Elliott, R S Tivey; for councilors, A H Gunter, R H Waddington, James Henderson, J R Hardinge and J P Hill.

Remember Mr. Colville's address in the Baptist church this evening at 8 o'clock. Mr Colville is a very interesting speaker. No one should fail to hear him. A collection will be taken up to defray expenses.

Last week assistant superintendent Riddell, of the G.T.R., and superintendent H. B. Sherwood, of the Bay of Quinte Railway, held an investigation into the recent collision at the foot of Brock street, Kingston. It was decided that two employees—one on each line—were guilty. One may get discharged and the other reprimanded.

Mr. F. Landenberger, has offered himself for aldermanic honors in Coleman Ward. Mr. Landenberger is a good busiman and a conscientious citizen. His election would bring to the city's support an able executive officer, well versed in matters of finance.

L. Prang & Co., of Boston, Raphel Tuck & Sons., of London, Paris and New York, E. P. Dutton & Co., of New York, make the most artistic and dainty lines of flat Christmas cards, Booklets and Calenders in the world, every card a work of art, from the best artists employed in this class of work. If any person should intimate that Christmas cards have gone out, just walk them up to Fairyland and we will show them into the best Booklets, art Christmas cards and art Calender corner, where we are showing a most handsome assortment of above makers' goods. C. B. Scantlebury.

Samuel Crozier, who was charged with bigamy at St Ola a few days ago, the particulars of which have been published in the ONTARIO, yesterday gave himself up and was brought to the city by Constable Morton of St. Ola. He was arranged before Magistrate Flint to-day and his case adjourned for trial until next Tuesday. The prisoner is a well built man about twenty-seven years of age and of light complexion.

SUCCESSFUL PUPILS.

ARE PRESENTED WITH CERTIFICATES AMID MUCH CEREMONY

The Old High School Assembly Room Converted Into a Bower of Beauty—An Interesting Program Carried Out Last Night.

The Ninth Annual commencement exercises in connection with the High school was yesterday observed with more than usual ceremony. As stated in yesterday's ONTARIO the assembly room was converted into a bower of beauty until its gray, old walls would hardly be recognized under the delicate and artistic touch of the fair decorations. The departure this year from the usual custom has been so gratifying to both teachers and pupils as to encourage them to even greater efforts in the future.

The presentation of certificates and prizes was commenced yesterday afternoon. Rev. Canon Burke occupied the chair and made a short address after which Wm. Johnson made a few remarks.

The entrance certificates were presented by Rev. Canon Burke.

Following were the successful pupils: Walter Belair, Harry Bull, Harry Chislett, Russell Chown, Fred. Clarke, Peter Doyle, Herbert Fish, David Fleming, Thos. Foley, W. W. Grant, W. G. Harwood, Wm. Heinrich, Noel Hyman, Sidney Hyman, Daniel Kerby, David Lazier, Jos. Lesard, Wm. T. Lowe, Jas. Meagher, Robt. G. Moore, Edward Phippen, Bert. Robertson, E. Vandewater, Harry Walker, Bertha Ackerman, Maggie Arnott, Anastatia Artis, Bertra Calhoun, Eva Chatterson, Edith Cooke, Nellie Foley, Madeleine Fraleck, Celestina Geen, Bessie Lingham, Olive Maybee, Maggie McCrodan, Emma Mikel, Effie Sanford, Florence Sargent, Bessie Sargent, Alice Sullivan, Martha Thomas, M. Wallbridge.

Rev. R. Marshall presented the drawing certificates in free hand drawing as follows:—Percy Allen, Fred Ashton, Blanche Baker, Irene Brignall, Clara Brown, Edgar Brazier, Harry Bull, Fred Burrows, Harry Carre, Grace Clarke, Masor Clarke, Thos Clarke, Fred Carscallen, Frank Carscallen, Eva Clute, Bessie Cooke, Alice Corby, Mabel Doughan, Maggie Drumm, Emma Dunbar, Clarence Durand, Mary Egan, Clifford Elvins, Herbert Fish, Violet Fitzpatrick, Harry Forward, Dora Frost, Wm. Frost, Cora Frost, Edith Frost, Ernest Fry, Erwan Gordon, Bessie Greene, Ada Greenleaf, Harry Hamilton, Ethel Harris, Thos Holden, Noel Hyman, M B Jamieson, David Kane, Georgie Knox, David Lazier, Carrie Lingham, Bessie Lingham, John R. Matheson, Maggie McCullough, Chas Ostrom, Laura MacNider, Ethel Phillips, Ed. Phippen, Wm Reid, Bert Robertson, Mamie Reeves, Effie Sandford, Harry Spry, Howard Sharpe, Grace Steele, Eric Sutherland, Frank Taylor, Harry Thompson, E. Vanderwater, Geo. Vivian, Harry Walker, Lewis Wallbridge, Grace Webster, Russell Weller, Claire Wilkins, Frank Wolever, Mabel Wilson.

The following students were presented with certificates in practical geometry by Rev. J. L. George: Percy Allen, Bert Armistead, Blanche Baker, Geo. A. Benson, Edgar Brasier, Lillie Brown, Alex Calhoun, Grace Clarke, Thos Clarke, Bessie Cooke, Alice Corby, Maxton Davies, Jno D Doyle, Izzie Dunnett, Clarence Durand, Mary Egan, Theresa Egan, Clifford Elvins, Violet Fitzpatrick, Dora Frost, Wm Frost, Bessie Greene, Ethel Harris, Thos Holden, Byron Hudson, Georgie Knox, Carrie Lingham, Lulu Macdonald, Maud McFee, Harry McKay, Maud McNelles, Laura McNider, Maggie McCullough, Annie Morton, Mary Nash, Chas Ostrom, Katie Phillips, Jennie Petrie, Alex Petrie, Wm. Reid, Howard Sharpe, Herman Sierichs, Jessie Sherman, Harry Spry, Eric Sutherland, Harry Thompson, Allan Twining, Stella VanBlaricom, Geo. Vivian, Claire Wilkins Mabel Wilson.

The certificates for model drawing were presented by Rev. E.N. Baker, as also those in linear perspective and drawing from memory: Maggie Backas, Lillie Bateman, Irene Brignall, Fred Carscallen, Alice Corby, Phelinda Doctor, John Doyle, Emma Dunbar, Izzie Dunnett, Wm. Frost, Maggie Galey, Ethel Harris, Wesley Howe, M. B. Jamieson, Wm Johnson, Ida Lynn, Elsie McKeown, Laura McNider, Chas Ostrom, Jennie Petrie, Gertie Post, Julia Penton, Grace Steele, Eric Sutherland, James Thompson, Allan Twining, Lena Walker, Russell. Weller.

Linear Perspective:—Jessie Bruce, Maggie Drumm, Leoa Lazier, Mary McKenna, F. McClatchie.

Drawing from memory:—Clara Brown Jessie Bruce, Alice Coleman, Alice Corby, Phelindi Doctor, John D. Doyle, Maggie Galey, Maggie Falconer, Wesley Howe, Ida Lynn, Elsie McKeown, Gertie Post, Helen Rous, Jas. Thompson, Lena Walker.

Rev. D. Crossley presented the following students with certificates in the primary art course: Maggie Bateman, Lillie Black, Ed Clarke, Floral Davidson, Amy Denmark, Arthur Frost, Frankie Gardner, Agnes Gibson, Alfred Holton, Maud Huffman, Minnie Johnson, Edith Jones, Cassie McArthur, Oscar McCurdy, Rachel McLean, Ella Marsh, Karl Moynes, Blanche R Pretty, Owen Redick, Ida Thompson, Jno Thompson, Edith Yourex.

Ald. Diamond presented these students with certificates in advanced art: Industrial Design.—Blance Crysler, Katie Elliott, Lilian Ewen, Harry W Creenleaf, Minnie Johnson, Blanche Pretty.

Drawing From Flowers—Jessie M Crysler, Lilian Ewen, Harry Greenleaf, Minnie Johnson, Lucy MacRae, Jennie Perry.

Advanced Perspective—Jessie M Crysler, Lavonia R Hunter, Lucy D MacRae, Jennie Perry.

Ornamental Design.—Clara Brown, Lilian Ewen, Harry W. Greenleaf, Minnie Johnson, Blanche R. Pretty, Jennie Perry, James Thompson.

Ex-Ald. Petrie presented the commercial certificates as follows:—Jessie Bruce, Ed. Clarke, Blanche J. Crysler Mary A. Egan, L. M. Huffman, Annie B. McKenna, Ella Marsh, Frankie McClatchie, Edith A. Yourex, Oscar McCurdy, Jennie Perry, Owen S. Redick, Agnes Walker.

Last Night's Program

The assembly room was crowded to the doors last night with pupils and their friends. The chair was occupied by Thos. Wills, who presented the following nonprofessional certificates: Third Class.—Katie Bosely, Jessie Bruce, Grace Calhoun, Minnie Johnson, Ella Marsh, Agnes Walker.

Second Class.—Annie Bosely, Bert Barragar, Walter Frost, Lavonia R. Hunter, Vivian Moynes, Carl W. Rous.

Matriculation.—Fred Dafoe, E. L. Fraleck, Fred J. Lingham, J. A. M. MacFee, Ethel B. Ridley, Chas M Reeves, H. L. Vandervoort.

Matriculation with Honors.—Arthur R. Clute, Henry Hartman.

Graduates—Bert Barragar, Annie J. Bosely, Arthur R. Clute, Fred H. Dafoe, E. L. Fraleck, Walter Frost, H. Hartman, L. R. Hunter, F. J. Lingham, Jno A. McFee, V. M. Moynes, E. B. Ridley, Carl W. Rous, Chas. M. Reeves, H. L. Vandervoort.

Medals—For excellence in Industrial Design. Competition by the High Schools and Collegiate Institutes of Ontario: Miss Jennie Perry.

During the evening the following program was very successfully carried out:

Address .... Chairman
Duett .... Piano .... Miss Elliott
Recitation .... Miss Lazier
Solo .... Vocal .... Miss Holton
Duet .... Banjo
Messrs. Wolever and Bogart.
Recitation .... Miss Lingham
Valedictory .... Miss Moynes
Presentation of Diplomas and Medal.
Colloquy of Nations.... Twelve young ladies
Solo.......... Vocal (violin obligato)
Miss Coleman.
Recitation .... Miss Brignall
Duet .... Violin and Piano
The Misses Hunter
Bar Bell Exercise.......... Four young ladies
Essay .... Xmas .... Miss Pretty
Solo .... Vocal .... Miss McLean

DR H B PETTINGELL,

A Former Belleville Boy is Achieving Distinction in New York

A correspondent writes to the Picton Times: Being in New York recently and calling at the office of a friend there, seeing a copy of the Times, I thought your readers might be interested in the success of Dr. H. B. Pettingell, son of Mr. Joseph Pettingell, of Wellington. The doctor left home when a youth of sixteen years with (as the old adage goes) "blood in his eye" either to attaid the highest pinnacle of success or fail in the attempt. He went first to Belleville remaining there for a short time and failing to see any encouraging outlook took his departure for Detroit, where he succeeded in obtaining a situation as drug clerk. He held this position for some time, after which he went to Elkhart, Indiana, securing there a position and becoming a partner and later on proprietor of a large drug business. Still feeling dissatisfied he sold out his entire business, returned to Detroit and commenced studying medicine. He graduated at the head of a class of 42, receiving the highest honor, that of Valedictorian. He practised his profession for a time but not being satisfied with his acquired knowledge of medicine, concluded to visit Europe, which he did with the most satisfactory results, mingling with many of the most eminent physicians in Paris and London, and frequenting the hospitals. He returned after an absence of a couple of years to locate in the great city of New York, corner of Broadway and 39th street, and is always delighted to receive the visits of any of his friends who may choose to call upon him. He has a fine large practice among the wealthier classes and is highly respected. and judging from his extensive office and city practise one would conclude that he was literally coining money. He is to-day considered one of New York's most skilful physicians."

SURROGATE COURT.

The Will of the Late John Harper Probated—Estate $10 200.

Probate has been granted in the will of the late John Harper, of Madoc village, to D. E. K. Stewart, solicitor, on behalf of the executors John Moore, James E. Dale and Ellen C. Harper. The estate is valued at $10.200

Letters of administration have been granted to Daniel W. Falkiner, as administrator in the estate of the late Stephen Gilbert Falkiner of Sidney township. Estate $3,000. O'Flynn & Campbell, solicitors.

Dame Nature is a Good Book-keeper

She don't let us stay long in her debt before we settle for what we owe her. She gives us a few years' grace at the most, but the reckoning surely comes. Have you neglected a cough or allowed your blood to grow impure without heeding the warnings? Be wise in time, and get the world famed Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, which cures as well as promises. As a blood renovator, a lung-healer, and a cure for scrofulous taints, it towers above all others, as Olympus overtops a mole hill. To warrant a commodity is to be honorable and above deception and a guarantee is a symbol of honest dealing. You get it with every bottle of the "Discovery." By druggists.

Chrisimas Books, Prayer-books Albums, redu ed thirty-three one third per cent. at Harrison's.

NOT A CHEERING EXHIBIT

What a Correspondent has to say of the Extravagance of a Bible Society

A correspondent of the Toronto Churchman has been giving attention to the remarkable cost of managing the Upper Canada bible society. The western branch at London received this past year $4,232, of which $2,453, or over 51 per cent., was absorbed by expenses. Of $1,257 contributed by the people for British and foreign bible society only $648, or about one-half, was remitted to England. The Toronto depository received $39,401, and of this $10,561 was paid for salaries, and only $6,243 remitted to the parent society. Rev. J. G. Manley drew $1,614 for holding 108 meetings, so for each day's duty, 108 days, he drew $14.95. There were 34 provisional agents, who held 309 meetings, and drew $7.32 on the average for each meeting.

The Back-Stitch.

Or in other words, a stitch in the back, or lumbago, was successfully treated in the following way. Baltimore, Md., U. S. A., February 26, 16, 1890: "I suffered a long time with pains in the back, and obtained no relief until I tried St. Jacobs Oil, which cured me completely, and I take pleasure in recommending it as a most valuable remedy." George H. Bornet, 120 N. Eden St.

ORANGE BLOSSOMS

A North West Man Marries a Prince Edward Girl

A happy event took place on Monday last at the home of Mr. S. G. Way, of Ameliasburg, being the marriage of his daughter Mary to Mr. F. W. Bristol, of Gleichen, Northwest territory. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. H. McQuade, in the presence of a large company of guests, after which a bountiful repast was partaken of. The bride was the receipient of a large number of beautiful presents. All festivities being thus happily ended the newly wedded pair hied themselves to Belleville from which point they took the evening train enroute for Calgary near which town the above named residence of the groom is located, and which is to be their future home. Their friends unite in extending congratulations and wish "Bon" Voyage through life.

Prepare For Cholera

Cleanliess, care and courage are the resources of civilization against cholera. Keep the blood scrupulously clean. Eat hot food. Take Burdock Blood Bitters to maintain regular digestion and ensure pure blood which is the very best safeguard against cholera or any other epidemic.

Proved Beyond Dispute

No one now doubts that Burdock Blood Bitters will cure dyspepsia, biliousness, constipation, headache or bad blood. The proof is so thorough and overwhelming that the doubters have been silenced and B.B.B. is secured in its place as the best purifying tonic and regulator extant.

Byron Holt, Princeton, Ont.

DEATH UNDER SAD CIRCUMSTANCES

The Remains of Miss Kathleen Orr were Buried Yesterday

The funeral of Kathleen Stuart Orr, the only child of John R. Orr, editor and proprietor of the North Hasting Review, took place yesterday afternoon at the village of Madoc. She had a wide circle of friends and was one of the best known children in the village. Her death occured under sad circumstances. She had prepared her part for the coming Christmas entertainment and her Christmas presents had been selected. On Wednesday evening last she was taken ill and continued so till Sunday morning when she died. She was very popular in the village and beloved by everyone who knew her. Great sympathy is felt for the parents in their sad bereavement. Beautiful floral offerings gave evidence of the desire of the citizens to express their sympathy for the parents, among the rest a pillow of white carnations, roses and calla lilies having the name "Kathleen" inscribed with Forget-me-nots, was received from the members of the Madoc lodge I. O. O. F., of which Mr. Orr is a member. Her school mates came in a body and joined in the last sad rites.

Her funeral was largely attended and it is not often that the death of a child calls forth such marks of sorrow and sympathy from the whole community.

MARRIED IN WEST BELLEVILLE

The Festive Season Develops Matrimonial Tendencies

A happy event took place this afternoon at the residence of Rev. T. J Edmison, B. D., when Wm. D. Cook, of the eighth concession of Tyendinaga, cousin of Officer Cook, was united in marriage to Miss Alice M. Reid, daughter of Haynard Reid of the fourth concession of Thurlow. John Ira Cook acted as groomsman while Miss Alice Cook did the honors of bridesmaid. The happy couple have the best wishes of a large number of friends for a long and happy life.

AMELIASBURG COUNCIL

The Last Meeting of the Year is a Busy One

The municipal council of the Township of Ameliasburg held its last meeting for the year in the Town Hall on Thursday last Dec. 22nd. The reeve John Nightingale occupied the chair and the members were all present. The minutes of the last meeting were adopted. Several communications were read of minor importance and the usual by-law appointing dep. returning officers and polling booths was passed.

The following deputies were appointed: Wilmet Mabee, Geo. Rose, Geo. Maidens, John G. Germ in and A. Harvey.

On motion of Coun. Andersen, Walter Dempsey was granted a remit of $4.00 on taxes charged for statute labor undone—he (Dempsey) having performed the work.

On motion of dep-reeve Peck the Town Hall was granted to the singing class and Sabbath school of the Methodist church for the entertainment.

On motion of Coun. Anderson an order was drawn on the treasurer in favor of A. G. Stafford for $15 for gravel bought in 1883.

The collector's time was extended until next meeting of council.

E. C. Wannamaker was paid $3.33, for sheep killed.

David Gibson made application for loan of $1050.

The clerk was authorized to compute the detailed statement.

On motion the second deputy reeve took the chair and the usual vote of thanks was tendered the reeve, treasurer and clerk, for services during the year.

The following accounts were ordered paid: Mrs Mason, $6.50; mrs Benson, $5; Coleman & Roblin, coffin, Mrs Demsey, $12; Dr. Thorton, medical service $25; B. H. $2.80; Dr. Philp, consultation, $ 2; I Kemp, gravel $9.75; A Redner, cedar $1; W. S. Stafford, account, $4.18; I Sager, B. H, $2.30; W C Killip, court room rent, $20; D R Wannamaker for right-of-way gravel, $3; I Wadsworth, for H. Wannamaker $4; D Sager, 75 c. yds stone, $3.75; C D Gibson, 115 c yds gravel, $5.75; Geo Graves, gravel, $4; W A Brickman, salary, $100; postage, etc, $3.08; I Crosby, bal. salary, $12.50; W J Robinson, 410 c yds gravel $20.50; P M Weese, former grant $20; Geo Bolter, 32 yds gravel, $1.60; S Fulford, cedar, 1.05; Weese & Brickman, grant $50, W C Delong, grant, $25; Fred Redner, cedar, $11,25; H G Stafford, 500 c yards gravel '83, $15; Dr. File, medical services, $26; B. H. $4; Asa Brickman, attending court, $1.50; Herman Weese, gravel $5; John Nightingale, signing school cheques, $2.80; B H $2.80; sundry com-work, $10; Wm Anderson, sr., for Dempsey boys $4; Jas Benson, 8 mos. salary $30; preparing bonds, $1.50; B H $2; serving notices, $6; 1 day at court, $3; 19 appeals, $152; complainent, 8c; 95 names on notices $1.90; 1 day at statement, $2.25; postage, 79c; indemnity, $14.10.

Council adjourned Sine Die.

Don't miss Harrison's discount sale. Everything reduced one third.

Catarrh in the Head.

Is undoubtedly a disease of the blood, and as such only a reliable blood purifier can effect a perfect cure. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the best blood-purifier, and it has cured many severe cases of catarrh. It gives an appetite and builds up the whole system.

Hood's Pills act especially upon the liver rousing it from its torpidity to its natural duties, cure constipation and assist digestion.

Overcoats Must Go

You will find us at the Oak Hall these days hustling out the overcoats in great shape. Our stock is going down, but that is a proof that we sell the goods. Our assortment is yet good. In boy's and childrens we are driving a tremendous trade this season.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Miss Lena Stinson is visiting friends in Woodstock.

Miss Maud Padgington, who has been visiting friends in the city for the past two weeks, returned to her home in Colborne last evening.

Mr. Alex. Embury, of the Kingston Medical college, is home for Christmas.

Alex. Rae, who has been attending the college of Phramacy, at Toronto, is home for three weeks holidays He is accompanied by his friend R. M. Johnston, son of Dr. Johnston, of Charlottown, P.E.I.

Frank Ketcheson, of Chicago, is visiting his father W. H. Ketcheson, of the Front of Sidney.

A Complete Collapse

Is occasioned in our feelings by the derangements of the liver, stomach and bowels. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pelle[ts] cure sick and bilious headache, bow[el] complaints, internal fever and health [of] body and mind. A dose, as a laxati[ve] consists of one tiny sugar-coated Pell[et] Cheapest and easiest to take. By drugis[ts] 5 cents a vial.

SEVENTEENTH

CHRISTMAS

AT

FISH'S

Our Holiday Goods are all in Stock and we think we can truthfully say that in our seventeen years of catering for the Xmas trade we have never equalled or approached the display we are making this year.

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FOR GENTLEMEN

Leather Collar and Cuff Boxes
Leather Companions
Leather Brush Cases
Smoking Jackets
Dressing Gowns
Four-in-hand Ties
Knot Ties
Windsor Ties
Silk Coat Scarfs
Cashmere Coat Scarfs
Silk Handkerchiefs
Initial Handkerchiefs
Hemstitch Handkerchiefs
Linen Hankerchiefs in Boxes
Silk Braces
Fancy Braces
Silk Cuffs
Wool Cuffs
Cuff Buttons
Scarf Pins
Collar Buttons
White Dress Shirts
English Dress Shirts
Flannel Shirts
Linen Collars and Cuffs
Celluloid Collars and Cuffs
Silk Umbrellas, Fancy Handles
Walking Sticks
Waterproof Coats
Fine Kid Gloves
Lined Kid Gloves
Astrachan Gloves, Kid Mitts
Wool Mitts
Cardigan Jackets, etc

FOR LADIES

Silk Shawls from Japan
Silk Handkerchiefs from Japan
Initial Silk Handkerchiefs
The new White Crepe Hdkfs
Windsor Ties, etc.

FOR BOYS

Gloves and Mitts
Wool and Silk Cuffs
Braces
White and Flannel Shirts
Collars and Cuffs
Scarf Pins
Cuff Buttons
Collar Buttons
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Linen Handkerchiefs
Fancy Handkerchiefs
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Our prices are the Lowest, our goods are the Newest, and our Stock is the Largest. See our 10c, 15c, 25c, 35c and 50c Tie Tables, and our Silk Handkerchiefs at 25c. Come and look through even if you don't want to buy. We take a pleasure in showing our Novelties

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Have a complete stock, Raisins of all varieties. Currants, Figs, Dates, Citron, Orange and Lemon Peels, Batgers, Jellies, all flavors, Choice Confectionery, Almonds, Walnuts, etc. Use the "Elevator" Baking Powder, It is the best.

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We will be most happy to have you call and inspect our stock.

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JUST THINK

This is the 28th Time Santa Claus has visited and made J. C. Overell's his Headquarters!

We are now ready with our Display.

The Presents you want at Prices you like.

Our Elegant Holiday Stock is a Popular Stock in all respects.

Full of New Novelties and Pleasing Attractions.

We are glad to welcome visitors, pleased to show our Goods, and ready to make close prices to all.

J. C. OVERELL,

LEADER OF THE HOLIDAY TRADE,

SHOP EARLY.

And often this week. Thursday and Saturday the farmers will demand a large share of our attention Our display don't include raisins or tea, pills or perfumery, books or dolls but if you want a piece of SILVER WARE, A LAMP, a DINNER or TEA SET or anything in china crockery why see us—that's where we shine—so much better choice in such a store as this than shops where there's a little of everything and not much of anything. Nine hanging and five parlor table lamps sold Saturday. This shows how the main stream of trade keeps the old channel

Open every night this week.

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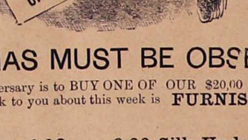
OF THE SEASON

To All Our Patrons.



CHRISTMAS MUST BE OBSERVED

And the best way to observe the Anniversary is to BUY ONE OF OUR $20,00 FINE TAILOR MADE SUITS FOR $12.00. But what we want to talk to you about this week is **FURNISHINGS** for Holiday Trade. Read our Price List:—

$1.50	Kid Gloves we sell for	1.00,
1.25	" "	90.
75	" "	50.
1.00	Heavy all-wool under'wr	65.
6.00	Silk Underwear we sell for	$3.00
5.00	Natural Wool Underwear	2.75
3,00	Scotch Underwear "	1.75
40	Cashmere Socks "	25

Silk Handkerchiefs, in beautiful patterns, 20, 25, 50, 75 and $1.00. Ties we commence at 10c, worth 25. Our 25c Tie is worth 50, and our 45c Tie is sold all over for 75c. In Ties we carry the largest range in the County, and whilst we are Clothing First, Last and Always, we show the largest and Nobbiest range of Furnishings in Belleville. Remember we sell all our goods retail at wholesale prices. A call is solicited.

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Associated Stores: Toronto, Br... Lindsay and Kingston

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The Leading Hatter and Furrier, Front Street Belleville.

The Reformers of North Hastings probably bring out Peter Vancleek to test the riding for the Commons against A. W. Carscallen.

WHITE LILLY
Brand of PASTRY FLOUR is unexcelled at the Price.
ASK YOUR GROCER FOR IT.
THE RATHBUN CO'Y

The Daily Ontario.

PORTLAND - CEMENT
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Equal to the very best imported,
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OPPOSITE HOTEL STREET

Silk Handkerchiefs, Table Linen,
Linen Handkerchiefs, Table Covers,
Table Napkins, Fans,
Linen Towels, Pocket Books
Also a full Line of Fancy Goods

VISIT FAIRYLAND !

Is there another store in which you can get such variety of Christmas Gift Goods ? NO !

WE HAVE

Leather and Plush Albums	50 to $10 00
" " Companions	75 to 10 00
Persian Silver "	2 50 to 25 00
Oxidized Silver Companions	2 00 to 7 00
Ivory Manicure and Companions	1 00 to 13 00
Travelling Cases	1 25 to 7 50
Glove and Handkerchief Sets	1 00 to 10 00
Collar and Cuff Cases	25 to 5 00
Chatalaines	1 00 to 6 50
New Boston Shopping Bag	4 00 to 7 50
Handsome Purses	25 to 6 00
Music Cases	1 65 to 6 00
Ladies' and Gentlemen's Card Cases	25 to 4 50
Gentlemen's Wallets	25 to 4 00
Cigar Cases	25 to 5 00
Tobacco Cases	35 to 5 00
Paper Knives	15 to 3 50
Opera Glasses	1 50 to 15 00
Gold Headed and Other Canes	50 to 12 50
Gold Pens and Holders	1 50 to 5 00
" Pencil Cases	75 to 5 00
Fountain Pens—Gold Nib	1 50 to 5 00
Fans—Gauze and Feather	25 to 8 50
Photo Frames—Metal	25 to 8 65
Bibles—Family and Pocket	10 to 15 00
Art Gilt Books from	25 to 10 00
3893 Art Calenders	15 to 1 50

Hymn Books for English, Presbyterian and Methodist Church, Prayer Books—All Styles. Poets—A complete Line.

Devotional and Birthday Books—all kinds. Also a complete line of Annuals, Board Books and Toy Books cheaper than ever. Sunday Library and Prize Books special Lines and Prices.

Games, Dolls and Sleighs in Endless Variety and at closest cut prices.

Christmas Cards and Books, large variety, new and cheap.

Art Novelties in Fancy Goods of German, Austrian and American importation comprising Art Brass Goods, Bisque Figures, Japanese Novelties in Oxidized Brass and Rare China.

In fact everything that can be shown in a well-equipped Book and Fancy Goods House.

FAIRYLAND open every evening until 9 o'clock.

VISIT FAIRYLAND

Dolls and Sleighs—all new—but we have too many. They must be sold, so away they go and at just half price.

Christmas Cards gone out ? Well no ! If you have been told that, it has not been by an authority. The new artistic Fete Cards, as those we are showing from 10c to 35c, are the talk of the city. In cheaper cards we have an assortment of from 10,000 to 12,000 at 5c ea.

In choice new Stationery, suitable for Xmas gifts, we are showing 25 different styles of Hurd & Co's goods, which are the finest manufactured on the American continent, in fact there is none superior made in the world.

Handsomely done up we sell any of the score of styles 1-10 envelopes and ½ Ream paper for $2.50.

27 Cases of Dolls arrived almost too late for Xmas trade. We will let them go at just half price.

A case of goods from Prang, of Boston, containing prize pictures, produced by Prang, the world renowned artist.

We realize these are late and they too go at just half their published price from

C. B. SCANTLEBURY,
FAIRYLAND.

FEARMAN'S
Prepared Mince Meat
READY FOR PIES
YOUNG
THE GROCER.

THIS MATTER CHANGED DAILY
Friday Dec 23rd.
MARKED DOWN.

The balance of our plush cases, baskets, etc. have been greatly reduced in price in order to clear them out. Give us a look through before buying. Remember our silk handkerchiefs at 15c, 20c. 25c, 30c, 40c, 50c all very good value. And if you want fancy matts, table covers, toilet sets etc. we have them. Please come early to morrow,

W. FLINT JONES
Corner Front and Br e streets

GIVING UP BUSINESS
For One Week Longer.
THE
SPECIAL - REDUCTION
OF 33 1-3 PER CENT
DISCOUNT SALE

Books, Fancy Goods, Albums, Bibles, Prayer Books, Musical Instruments, Children's Carriages, Sleighs, and in fact the whole of the large and varied stock.

BARGAINS FOR EVERYBODY.
NOTHING RESERVED
E. HARRISON

To the Electors Ketcheson Ward

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,—I respectfully ask your votes and influence as a Candidate for Alderman for 1893. I am in favor of the reduction of aldermen to at least fourteen to be elected by the whole city. The present wards to remain intact. I will support all measures which as a citizen I think to be in the best interest of the present position and future progress of this city, believing neither in undue municipal extravagence nor in false economy.

WILLIAM N. PONTON.
Belleville, Dec. 1892.

Dick's Liniment cures
All Lameness and Sprains

NOVELTIES
FOR
XMAS !

PIC-NIC SETS
TRAVELLING SETS,
CURLING SETS,
BRUSH AND COMB SETS
BON-BON BOXES,
JEWEL BOXES
HANDKERCHIEF SATCHETS
Perfume in Cut Glass and Fancy Bottles.

R. TEMPLETON
Chemist and Druggist,

85C WILL BUY

1 Set Mrs. Pott's Irons, (full weight and finely finished) containing 3 Irons, one Handle and Stand.
Or it will buy 1 Set Plated Glass Bread and Cake Knives, These goods are the best.

JOHN LEWIS, HARDWARE
IMPORTER.

WANTED

Ladies and young men to take our work at their own homes ; constant employment; work forwarded by mail and we pay good prices ; experience not necessary ; no canvassing Address for particulars, Standard Manufacturing Co., Lock Box 107, South Framingham, Mass. Inclose stamps,

MAYORALTY.

Ladies and Gentlemen.

Having been requested by a large number of influential electors of the city of Belleville to offer myself for Mayor for 1893, I have consented to do so, and now respectfully solicit your votes and influence. I have resided in the city six years, three of which I have served in the city council and school board. I would respectfully refer you to my work therein. I come out as a business man having had 20 years business experience in different parts of Canada, which is of great service to anyone in filling the civic chair. I have chosen Belleville as my home and have invested all my capital in and around the city, and my interests being centered here I will, if elected, do all in in my power as I have done heretofore, to advance the best interests of the city. I strongly urge the reduction of the number of Aldermen and shall use every endeavor to carry into effect the proposal made by me to the council in respect to it last year.

I have also in view the grave necessity of getting the city in the best sanitary condition possible to enable us better to cope with the cholera epidemic should it reach us next year.

HARRY FOWELL

Everything fresh and new for Xmas. People tell us, our store never looked so pretty as now. Such a variety of nice Confectionery, Florida Oranges, Valencia Oranges, Almira Grapes, Choice Figs, new Gold en Dates, new Nuts, etc.

H. C. DICKENS & SON

P. S.—Xmas Cakes going very fast but a nice lot to choose from yet.

MAYORALTY

To the Electors of the City of Belleville :

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN :

I respectfully solicit your votes and influence for Mayor of the City of Belleville for 1893. I was born in Belleville have lived among you all my life, and am personally known to most of you.

I have been an alderman in the City Council for four years and during that time have endeavored to represent you straightforwardly and faithfully. My platform is "Economy" in city affairs. If elected I will exert myself to further the best interests o the city.

Yours respectfully,

Francis S. Wallbridge.

MAYORALTY.

To the Electors of my Native City :

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN :

For years past I have had the offer of support for the Civic Chair, but at the present time to many of my old friends have brought more pressure to bear than I can de withstand. I have been asked to stand for the highest position that the citizens can confer on any one. Among the men who offer me their support are to be found Irishmen, Englishmen, Dutchmen, Frenchmen and now and then a Scotchmen, besides a good many Canadians. To the electors I am no stranger. I have been a member of the City Council for the greater part of a quarter of a century and during that time have done what I felt was for the best interest of the city and will continue on the same line if successful at the coming election. I am in favor of strict economy in city affairs and decrease of our indebtedness. At the nomination I will freely give my views on the situation, and with much respect ask that when you mark your ballot you will not forget

A. T. PETRIE.
Belleville, Dec. 20, 1892

CHRISTMAS CHEER
AND
TABLE DELICACIES

FINEST TABLE RAISINS
FINEST TABLE FIGS
FINEST MALAGA GRAPES
FINEST FLORIDA ORANGES
FINE TABLE PRUNES
FINE TURKISH DATES

New Grenoble Walnuts
New Soft-shell Almonds,
New Sicily Filberts,
New Pecan Nuts,

BISCUITS.

VANILLA SUGAR WAFERS
CHOCOLATE SUGAR WAFERS
LEMON SUGAR WAFERS
RASPBERRY SUGAR WAFERS
SALTED SEAFOAM WAFERS
SALTED SNOWFLAKE WAFERS

CHEESE.

Genuine Roquefort Cheese.
MacLaren's Imperial Cheese [in small crocks]
Canadian Stilton Cheese
Prime old CheddarCheese, 1st prize

CROSSE & BLACKWELL'S JAMS AND JELLIES !

CANNED FRUITS & VEGETABLES

Canned Pineapples, Canned Peach
British Columb. Egg Plums,
French Mushrooms, [In glass bottles] French Mushrooms, [In tins]
French Peas, [In tins]
Canned String Beans, Canned Green Peas,
Canned Sugar Corn, Canned Tomatoes.

CROSSE & BLACKWELL'S PICKLES

Pickled Walnuts, Pickled White Onions
Pickled Girkins, Pickled Chow Chow
Mixed Pickles, Olives

Christmas Confectionery.
A FINE ASSORTMENT.

FINE BREAKFAST TEAS, COFFEES, COCOAS, AND CHOCOLATES

Fearman's and Lowry's Celebrated Christmas Hams and Bacon.

BALTIMORE OYSTERS
[Direct from the Packers]

Christmas Wines.

POMMERY SEC CHAMPAGNE
MUMM'S CHAMPAGNE
SPARKLING SAUMUR

FINEST OLD PORTS AND SHERRIES.
California Angelica, California Port, Native Wines, St, Augustine, White Catawaba,

CLARETS, BURGUNDIES AND SAUTERNES

ALES AND PORTER.
Bass' English Ale. Guiness' Dublin Stout, Dow's India Pale Ale, Dows Sand Porter, Labatts Pale Ale, Carlings Ale, Davies Ale, etc.
IMPORTED GERMAN LAGER BIER.

IRISH AND SCOTCH WHISKIES.
Burke's Old Irish, J. Jamieson's Old Irish, W. Jamiesons Dublin Whiskey, Highland Blend, Bullock Lade & Co's Loch Katrine Camlachie Malt, Sheriff's Old Islay, Old Gaelic Whiskey, Andrew Usher & Cos Old Vatted Glenlivat Whiskey.

BRANDIES !
Hennessy's V. O. Brandy,
Martell's V. O. Brandy,
Jules Robin & Co's Brandy

LIQUORS, Etc.
Booth's Old Tom Gin, Plymouth Gin,
Fine Old Jamaica Rum Angostura Bitters,
Ginger Wine, Ginger Ale,
Soda Water, Apollinaris Water
Vermouth Bitters.

WALLBRIDGE & CLARKE

VERY SUGGESTIVE
FOR
Xmas Presents

Beautiful Dress Patterns,
Embroidered Felt Skirts
Black Silk Dress for $10
Ladies Mantles & Ulsters
Wool Clouds and Shawls
Chenile Curtains & Covers
Hemstitch'd Table Linens
Ladies Silk and Flannel Blouses
Kid and Lined Gloves
Silk Hdkfs from 25c
Embroid'd Linen hdkfs
Printed hdkfs from 3c ea.
Initial hdkfs, 13c each!
Ladies Hats and Bonnets at greatly reduc'd prices
Gents Neckties, Gloves,
Fancy Suspenders and Mufflers.

Brignall & Thompson

Dep. Sheriff Wheeler
Does Not Care to Live
If He Cannot Have
HOOD'S
Sarsaparilla

It would be difficult to find a man better known in the vicinity of Burlington, Vt., than Mr. R. D. Wheeler of Winooski Falls, the efficient Deputy Sheriff of Burlington county. He says: "C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.:

"Dear Sirs: If Hood's Sarsaparilla cost

$10.00 a Bottle

I should still keep using it, as I have for the past ten years. With me the question as to whether life is worth living depends upon whether I can get Hood's Sarsaparilla. I don't think I *could* live without it now, certainly I should not wish to, and suffer as I used to. For over ten years I suffered the horrors of the damned with

Sciatic Rheumatism

for if ever a man suffers with anything in this world it is with that awful disease. It seems to me as if all other physical suffering were compressed into that one. I took about everything man ever tried for it but never got a dollar's worth of help until I began taking

Hood's Sarsaparilla

I have taken it now pretty regularly for ten years and have no more pain and can get around all right. I have advised a good many to try Hood's Sarsaparilla." R. D. WHEELER, Deputy Sheriff, Winooski Falls, Vt.

Hood's Pills Cure Liver Ills

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE.

I am prepared to haul ice for any parties in the city wishing their ice houses filled. I have four horses and will attend all orders promptly and at cheap rates.
2t GEO. IRVINE,

QUEEN'S OPERA HOUSE
W. W. POWER, Manager

ONE NIGHT ONLY
THURSDAY EV'G, DEC 29
The Latest Comedy Success
BY WITS OUTWITTED
BY EDWARD OWINGS TOWNE
Preceded by a Beautiful Curtain Raiser
FOR SWEET CHARITY'S SAKE
BY E. O. TOWNE.
Brilliant Dialogue,
Clean Comedy
Humorous Situations
Presented by a Capable Company.

BLEECKER WARD

To the Electors of Bleecker Ward.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN :—Having learned that the business of the coming year in the City Council is likely to be very heavy and believe I would not be able to give the time necessary to attend to the duties of Alderman for your Ward and therefore wish to retire from the contest. I thank my many supporters for their kindness in bringing me out and assisting me in my canvass.

PHILIP ACTON
Dated Dec. 22, '92.

Flowers for Decoration

The subscriber has a quantity of cut flowers and bulbs suitable for Christmas decoration purposes.
S. J. WEDDEN,
Florist,
Near Albert College. Telephone A 130

To the Municipal Electors of Murney Ward

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN :—

For the third time I respectfully ask for your votes and influence to secure my return as one of your representatives.

During the year I have been honored with the chairmanships of two important committees for the whole of the time, and a third —the Executive—for the last half of the year.

You are the judges whether I have attended faithfully to duty and acted conscientiously.

Whatever works for the city's good, if possible from the standpoints of economy and prudence, are the objects of my aim. I renew my pledges of attention to duty and fidelity to our city's welfare, and remain

yours obediently
J. E. WALMSLEY.

NOTICE.

A meeting of the members of the Hastings Reform Club will be held at the Club Rooms on Friday, 23rd inst., at 8 p. m., for the election of officers for the ensuing year and for other business.

J. WILLIAMS, Secretary. J. G. FROST, President.

GEN. BOOTH'S DAUGHTER

DYING AMONG HER CONVERTS IN INDIA.

Ill of Fever Where She Led a Revival—Head Men of the Village Tore Down the Idols in the Temple—She Has Written a Number of Army Songs.

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—Special prayers are being offered in all the Salvation Army meetings throughout the world for the recovery of Col. "Ruhani" Booth, the youngest daughter of Gen. William Booth, the founder of the order.

She is lying dangerously ill of fever in Managundy, in the Department of Travancore, India, where she recently led a great revival in which the head man of the village tore down the idols in the temple and turned over the building to the Salvationists.

Her real name is Lucy M. Booth, but she followed the custom of the army folks in India by taking a native name, which means "Spirituality."

She is only 22 years old, and began her career in the army four years ago in London.

She soon became an officer and was put in charge of the Naval Brigade, which consisted of 20 young women who, attired in yachting costumes, cruised up and down the Thames in a steam yacht and held services in the villages and towns and in the fashionable house boats. She was threatened with consumption two years ago and went to Ceylon, where she recovered her health.

She is a very sweet singer and an eloquent speaker and has written a number of army songs, one of which, "Dark India," is sung by the Salvationists everywhere. The cable message received here yesterday intimated that she was dying.

A FIGHT FOR LOVE.

The Girl Acted as Referee and Agreed to Go With the Victor.

MOUNT CARMEL, Pa., Dec. 23.—A fight took place here last night between John Roteski and Michael Lincevitch. Both men are Hungarians. John left Hungary with Mary Dousky, to whom he was married on reaching New York.

Lincevitch was in love with the girl and followed them to this country for the purpose of being revenged.

About 50 railroad workmen witnessed the fray. Mary was selected as referee, and, it is alleged, agreed to take the victor for her husband. The fight lasted 40 minutes, when, completely exhausted and bleeding profusely, Lincevitch was unable to stand up any longer.

A foul was claimed on account of Roteski's chewing his opponent's ear, and a riot began. The girl sided with her husband's friends and she was knocked senseless.

Weapons of all kinds were used, and 10 or 12 were felled with clubs, while several bullets found their way among the crowd.

Nearly all of the 50 were badly cut and bruised and six of them are in a precarious condition. Roteski, with his face all bandaged up, left to-day for Shenadoah, accompanied by Mary.

MOLESTED HIS DIVORCED WIFE.

Oliver Plant Fined $100 and Put Under Peace Bonds.

CHICAGO, Dec. 23.—Oliver Plant, erstwhile of Toronto, Canada, and his former wife, who is known as Clara Fredericks, talked with Justice Lyon in open court at Chicago yesterday morning. They have been divorced for some time, but Oliver does not recognize the legal separation and has fallen into the habit of pestering his former spouse at odd intervals. Clara resents this, and as Oliver was found entering her premises by stealth at an unseemly hour yesterday morning she had him arrested. It was apparent to the most unsophisticated person that Oliver is bad. It was clearly shown that he bore a bad reputation among his countrymen who reside in Chicago, and that two years ago he shot Clara in the region of the right shoulder blade. And when it was shown that he broke out of jail in Canada by means of powder conveyed to him in innocent-looking pies, that settled it. Justice Lyon fined him $100 for his act of stealth, and put him under bonds of $500 to keep him from molesting Clara for the period of one year.

Diamonds in Idaho.

BOISE, Idaho, Dec. 23.—A. Kunnsee, the diamond expert who has been examining the alleged diamond fields here, has gone to Chicago, taking with him several specimens. He said: The geology of the country around the diamond fields is precisely the same as in the South African fields, and not unlike those of Brazil.

The only difference is that these are not as much broken up. In my opinion these diamond fields will be larger than either those of Africa or Brazil, the blow cuts, or shafts, being a great deal larger and more clearly defined.

Shrieked for Help.

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—Fire broke out at 10 o'clock yesterday in the residence of Lloyd Aspinwall, No. 9 Gramercy-park. The flames started up from the basement, and in a few minutes the whole first floor was enveloped in smoke and fire.

The occupants of the house, Mrs. Aspinwall, two children, three servant girls and a butler, were panic-stricken and their escape by the stairways being cut off, they took refuge on the window sills, where they stood shrieking for help. They were rescued. Not much damage was done.

The Flywheel Burst.

MUNCIE, Ind., Dec. 23.—At 5 o'clock yesterday the flywheel at the White River iron and steel works burst, tearing the building to pieces. Head Roller Ed Perkins of Joliet, Ill., was instantly killed, Engineer Dave Collier was fatally injured and Heater Lige Wood was badly cut. The engineer not being at his post caused the accident. Three hundred are out of work pending repairs. The loss is estimated at $10,000.

A Head-End Collision.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Dec. 23.—A head-end collision between two freight trains occurred on the Louisville and Nashville main line near Edgerfield Junction this morning. Ten cars and the two engines were badly wrecked. E. J. Oakes, conductor; T. O'Dell, brakeman; R. O. Johnson, engineer; Frank Poster and Frank Wilkes, firemen, and two tramps were very dangerously hurt

Wants a Divorce.

FLINT, Mich., Dec. 23.—Hattie Humiston wants a divorce from her husband, Reuben, for cruelty and desertion. They were married in Hamilton, Ont., in 1870.

Railway Accident in Mexico.

CITY OF MEXICO, Dec. 23.—A train on the Mexican Southern Railway was derailed here to-day. Four persons were killed and a number injured.

A Desolating Fire.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Dec. 22.—Fire at Duquesne destroyed six dwellings and for a time threatened the whole village. Twelve families were left homeless. Loss $15,000.

OLD SOLDIER

He Saw Military Service in the Exciting Times of 1837-38.

HAMILTON, Dec. 23.—Col. John Land died peacefully and painlessly last evening at the family homestead, Wentworth-street north. By his death Hamilton loses a citizen whose life in this district runs parallel with the whole history of Hamilton from the time when it was a nameless and straggling settlement of a few huts.

Colonel Land was the eldest son of the late Colonel Robert Land and was born Nov. 11, 1806. He grew up tough and wiry rather than strong, and was noted for his endurance, which was severely tested in the exciting times of 1837-38, when, as lieutenant of cavalry under the late Colonel Servos, he took part in the expedition against Dr. Duncombe in Scotland Township, which resulted disastrously for the doctor.

Lieut. Land was sent with despatches from the front to Sir Allan McNab, and delivered them without resting. After two hours' rest here he was sent on to Toronto, returning to sleep in his own bed the same night.

When his troop was sent to Chippewa he was in command, owing to the captain having been disabled, and was kept busy carrying despatches, guarding trains, etc., till the rebels gave up and the troops came home.

In 1839 he married Esther, only child of the late John Morris, by whom he had eight children, six of whom are still living. They are: John H. of this city, well-known as secretary of the Royal Templars; Capt. Peter M. of Nanaimo, B.C.; Mrs. David Lucas of Trafalgar; Mrs. J. G. Y. Burkholder of this city, who has been living with and caring for him since the marriage of the youngest daughter, Mrs. J. F. Webster, of this city, and Mrs. David Reid, jr., of Brooklyn, N.Y. Of his three sisters and two brothers, only his youngest sister, Mrs. George K. Chisholm, of Oakville, survives him.

CROZIER, THE BIGAMIST.

He Has Given Himself Up and Will Be Tried.

BELLEVILLE, Ont., Dec. 23.—Samuel Crozier, a man about 25 years of age, was brought to the city yesterday from St. Ola, in the Township of Limerick, and placed in the county jail on the serious charge of bigamy.

About two years ago the accused went to St. Ola in order to get out some timber for an Ottawa firm. He became acquainted with Miss Mattie Holmes, daughter of Mr. D. Holmes. In August, 1891, they were married.

About two weeks ago a lady appeared in the neighborhood and claimed to be the wife of Samuel Crozier. He at first denied the charge, but it is stated that she produced the marriage certificate. His first wife was a Miss Neill, her home being in the vicinity of Carleton Place.

The accused was brought before the P.M. this morning and remanded until next Tuesday. In answer to a question he said that he had no children by his first wife, or by the woman he has lately been living with.

AMERICAN CAPITAL.

Continues to Find Investment in Canadian Enterprises.

WINDSOR, Ont., Dec. 23.—W. M. Boomer of the Windsor and Walkerville Electric Street Railway has sold his road. The consideration is to be $15,000 and the purchasers are a syndicate of Detroit capitalists.

At present the road will be run as it is, but the syndicate will equip the road with electricity and extend it to the M. C. R. depot, beginning not later than May 1st and will also extend it through Walkerville to a point on the lakes about five miles east.

Windsor capitalists are interested in the deal and it is quite possible that the S. W. & A. Railway will also pass into the same hands.

DR. RYERSON

The Conservative Candidate For Election in West Toronto.

TORONTO, Dec. 23.—Dr. George Sterling Ryerson was the unanimous choice of the Conservative convention called for last evening at Temperance Hall to select a candidate for the vacancy caused by the death of N. G. Bigelow, M.L.A. Mr. Barlow Cumberland's name was equally well received with that of the doctor, but, as he declined to stand, the latter was made the unanimous choice.

Badly Broken Up.

HAMILTON, Dec. 23.—An employe of the Bridge and Tool Company named J. O'Connor met with a serious accident there yesterday. He was attending a drill when in some unexplained manner he became caught in it, and before the machinery could be stopped his right arm was crushed, his right leg broken and he sustained other painful injuries. O'Connor was taken to the hospital.

Annie Ferguson Case.

OWEN SOUND, Dec. 23.—The inquest on the death of Annie Ferguson is over. The jury returned an open verdict to the effect that she died from inflammation of the bowels, the result of a miscarriage. The cause of the latter the jury could not determine.

Candidate for Terrebonne.

MONTREAL, Dec. 23.—At a convention held at St. Jerome yesterday Pierre Leekiere, advocate of Montreal, was chosen as the Conservative candidate for the vacancy in the House of Commons caused by the elevation of Mr. Chapleau to the Lieutenant-Governorship.

Gas at Kingsville.

WINDSOR, Dec. 23.—A fourth gas well has been struck on W. A. Wigle's farm near Kingsville. Capacity 6,000,000 gallons daily.

An Extradition Case.

PORT HURON, Mich., Dec. 23.—The petition for the extradition of George Vickers, wanted at Mitchell, Ont., for forgery to the amount of $1400, will be heard before Judge Vance next Tuesday. Vickers was arraigned last night and pleaded not guilty. Joseph E. Rogers, Ontario Government detective, was here last night to see about the Vickers case and will return next week.

Anarchy in Seville.

MADRID, Dec. 23.—Considerable alarm was occasioned in Seville yesterday by the explosion of a bomb in the entrance of a house occupied by one of the wealthiest citizens of the place. The force of the explosion was very great, but nobody was hurt.

Mangled by a Trolley.

WINDSOR, Ont., Dec. 23.—An old man named Joseph Denison was struck by a Walkerville electric car at the corner of Glengarry-avenue and Wyandotte-street, run over and horribly mangled. Both legs were broken and his skull fractured. The old man was slightly demented and somewhat deaf. He was seen by the motorman and the bell rang to warn him. The doctors think he cannot survive.

Another Appointment.

OTTAWA, Dec. 22.—William G. Parmeele, Commissioner of Customs, has been appointed Deputy Minister of Trade and Commerce. He will also act as Chief Comptroller of Chinese Immigration.

SUICIDE IN HAMILTON

WM. M'AULAY FOUND HANGING FROM A BEAM.

Suffered From Rheumatic Fever—Had Sold Out His Business—His Clerk Found Him at the Rear of the Store and Cut Him Down—Death Had Come.

HAMILTON, Dec. 23.—One of the saddest events of the year took place yesterday in the suicide of Mr. William McAulay, wholesale woolen goods merchant, No. 100 King-street east, and the city has lost one of its most highly respected business men.

For a long time Mr. McAulay had been in poor health. A year and a half ago he went to the Old Country, and while there had a very severe attack of rheumatic fever. For months it affected him, and he has never since been the same. After returning he was troubled with constant and intense pain in his left hand, just at the top of the thumb, and this growing worse rendered two or three operations necessary, and the final cutting out of the bone.

The intense and continued suffering wrought seriously upon his mind, and his friends were always anxious on his behalf, he having intimated that death was preferable to such a state, when there was no hope for ultimate recovery. His friends saw that it was necessary that he should go to more suitable climates, and for some time have been busy in making arrangements to wind up the business.

Only yesterday Mr. Seneca Jones completed all arrangements for the sale of the business to Toronto parties, and the sale was considered very satisfactory. In a few days, had he preserved his mental force, he would have been freed of business cares and would probably have gotten relief from his physical infirmities too.

This morning Mr. McAulay gave instructions to have some custom house business attended to and then checked over the goods which had been sold. Between 11.15 and 11.30 o'clock he sent his clerk to Mr. R. B. Spera's store, King-street east.

The young man was only away about 15 minutes, and when he returned Mr. McAulay was not to be seen. Going to his desk he found a sealed envelope addressed to Mrs. McAulay. He thought his employer had likely gone into the cellar and shot himself, and, not caring to go into the cellar alone, he rushed for Mr. Seneca Jones, whose office is less than 200 yards away.

In a couple of minutes the two returned and, going behind a glass partition at the rear of the store, they saw Mr. McAulay hanging to a beam at the side of the stairs. He was suspended by a strap thrown over the beam and looped around his neck.

Young Thompson cut the strap and allowed the body to sink to the cellar floor. Mr. Jones felt for the pulse and thought that death had taken place. Dr. Day Smith was immediately summoned and arrived in a few minutes, only to confirm Mr. Jones' belief.

Mr. N. D. Galbreaith, brother-in-law of deceased, opened the note to Mrs. McAulay, and found that it asked her to forgive him for the act and commended her and their children to God's blessing. Coroner MacKelcan was notified, but an inquest was deemed unnecessary.

Mr. McAulay was 52 years of age. He was formerly a traveler for Messrs. Knox, Morgan & Co., and afterwards went into business in the firm of McAulay, Robertson & Munro. A little over two years ago he and Mr. Pratt started the wholesale business, which he has been carrying on alone for over a year.

He leaves a widow and two daughters.

A QUICK ACTION.

Hamilton's Fire Chief Does a Clever Trick at Driving.

HAMILTON, Dec. 23.—Chief Aitchison had another of his miraculous escapes yesterday. Coming down Hughson-street from the wood market the chief heard the fire alarm, and at once set the pace for his mare. On reaching King-street, south of the Gore, a woman and child suddenly emerged on to Hughson-street and stood looking after the Bay-street reel.

The chief, in stentorian tones, shouted, but the poor woman heeded not, and came steadily ahead, right in the way of the chief's course. It being impossible to haul the horse up to prevent running the woman and child down, the chief at once turned his course to the east, determined to pass between the telephone post and the Traders' Bank, a narrow path, full of danger to himself.

His vehicle collided with the pole and he was thrown with great violence against the building. Strange, but true, the chief kept his head, and as he emerged from his vehicle he clutched the cushion of his seat and quick as thought inserted it between his body and the sharp projection of the angle of the bank building, saving to some extent injury to himself.

Nevertheless he is bruised considerably and had one rib fractured.

NARROW ESCAPE.

A Driving Pulley Burst While a Dozen Men Were Around.

OTTAWA, Dec. 23.—At least a dozen men had a miraculous escape from being killed at the Standard Electric Light Company's power house on Tuesday afternoon. A large new driving pulley, which was being tried, suddenly broke into pieces, which were hurled in all directions.

Man things were wrecked in the room, including the armature of a new one hundred light machine, which is an expensive requirement. Two of the pieces of the broken pulley went right through the ceiling.

There was a dozen employes in the room at the time, but fortunately, with one exception, none struck the men. Mr. Peare was struck on the leg by a small scrap of iron, but he was not hurt.

A lineman of the Chaudiere Electric Light Company was standing on the stairs into the next flat at the time of the accident. The step below where he was standing was badly smashed, but he came out unscathed.

Eighteen Months for Bigamy.

HAMILTON, Dec. 23.—Charles Stuart Joyes, the young man who pleaded guilty recently to the charge of bigamy, was brought up for sentence before Judge Muir yesterday. He is a handsome and respectable-looking young fellow. When asked what he had to say the prisoner merely asked the judge to be as lenient with him as he could. Judge Muir said the offence was a serious one, and sentenced him to 18 months in the Central Prison.

The prisoner some years ago married a Miss Dart of Stamford. Early last summer he married a Miss Lawrence, daughter of a widow living at 35 Tom-street in this city.

A Carter Killed.

KINGSTON, Ont., Dec. 23.—Andrew Rankin, a carter, while crossing the Kingston and Pembroke Railway track near Anglin's mill yesterday afternoon, was struck by a locomotive and killed. An inquest will be held.

Fire in Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Dec. 22.—The big dressgoods and clothes mills of F. A. Bach man & Co. were burned yesterday. Loss $235,000; covered by insurance.

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ASSESSMENT OF PROPERTY

Assessor McKay is again going about the city with something under his arm and a very wise look from his eyes. He is the absolute arbiter of our destiny in the payment of taxes. There is no appeal from his decision as to the taxable value of property, or if an appeal is taken to the Court of Revision it is usually treated with haughty contempt. A judgment recently given by Judge Muir, of Hamilton, in a case appealed from the Division Court there, must be of much interest to property holders here and elsewhere in Ontario. This judgment, he declared, was given in accordance with the statute, "in such cases made and provided." Briefly stated the case was as follows : Some property that formerly cost a considerable sum of money, but cannot now be sold for more than half the original cost, was assessed higher than the owner thought just and reasonable. The Court of Revision sustained the assessment, and an appeal was taken to a higher court. Judge Muir ruled that the assessor had no right to assess property above its saleable value. If this is law, and we believe it is, there are cases in this city that should be attended to. We know for a fact that assessor McKay puts a value on property for assessment purposes that is nearly double the saleable value of the same property. There are not a few cases where his assessment is above the original cost. An appeal to the Court of Revision secures no redress, unless the appellant is either a widow or a hopeless invalid, where a modicum of compassion is shown. We would advise those who think they have a grievance of this kind to consult their lawyer.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Globe:—In speaking of the condition of London Mr. T. W. Russell, M. P., said that while the rich were growing richer it was not true that the poor were growing poorer. He might have added that it was impossible.

The Woodstock Sentinel Review says : "The Conservative member of The Globe's commission to inquire into the state of the country finds the farmers, Conservatives and Liberals, very largely in favor of tariff reform. It is said that many Conservative members of parliament will also insist on a material reduction of the tariff impositions. A brighter day seems to be dawning."

The Winnipeg Tribune speaks for the prairie province against the abnormal coal oil duty. "Some of our eastern contemporaries," it says, "and notably the Montreal Star and Toronto Globe, are making a strong fight against the tax on coal oil, the poor man's light." After painting a picture of the home of the poor man, compelled to burn bad oil at ruinous prices, the Tribune continues : "The finest American oil's can be bought in American cities for 10c, 12½c, and 15c per imperial gallon, while in Manitoba the price of common Canadian oil is 30c to 35c for the same measure. How long is this barbarous and unequal tax to be allowed to remain on the statute book, not merely on oil, but on intelligence, enjoyment, health and safety. The coal oil monopolists have had their innings, let the poor man now have his, and with free admission of his illuminant his home will be brightened and cheerfulness and hope reign within."

If Annexation ever gets to be a live question in Canada, the dear mother land, the old flag, "God Save the Queen," the memory of Blenheim, of Waterloo and of Alma, will cut a small figure in the settlement of the question. The late Malcolm Cameron used to say that "reciprocity meant 50 cents on a turkey and "two dollars on a hog." Those are ideas that will count in the minds of Canadians impoverished by fourteen years of heavy taxation. The prices of barley, fruit and animals ; the wages of labor ; the scarcity of employment ; the profit of capital, and the cost of manufactured goods will have more to do with the acceptance or the rejection of annexation than any ideas of sentiment.—Hamilton Times.

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Never bump yourself up to die of Piles until after you have given Magic Pile Lotion a fair and reasonable trial. If it fails then go on with your humping for your case is incurable.

MME, DE LESSEPS SAYS

HER FINGERS ARE NIPPING WITH THE COLD.

Putting Up Stoves In Her Country Home —Pipes Pass Out Through the Windows —Back to Feudal Times—Answering Letters of Sympathy.

LONDON, Dec. 23.—Writing from her country home to a friend in Paris Mme. de Lesseps says:

"Excuse this scrawl, for my fingers are nearly frozen. We are scarcely able to keep up the fires in this modest home, transformed into a magnificent chateau by our enemies.

"We are now engaged in putting up some plain stoves, whose pipes pass out through the windows. It looks as if we had gone back to feudal times, a fortified chateau provided with loop holes to defend us against our foes, whence issues smoke instead of shot, which would be quite good enough to drive off our present assailants. I am busy answering letters of sympathy which are pouring in from all quarters. Such kindness is touching."

TROUBLES IN FRANCE.

The Masses Are Ready to Checkmate Any Royalist Advance.

PARIS, Dec. 23.—It is the Bonapartists that are stepping to the front to take advantage of the difficulties of the Republic. The activity of the Royalists has aroused the jealousy of the Imperialists, who wish the house of Bonaparte recalled to the throne. The Imperialists have been canvassing earnestly for supporters among the deputies, but not with much success.

The course of the Bonapartists awaits the pleasure of Prince Victor, who has yet to be heard from officially. Should the Bonapartists act, it is expected that they will attempt to strike a blow in Paris rather than in the provinces.

The Government is gratified by the action of the Pope in refusing at this critical time to become a tool of Monarchist plots, and the friendly relations of church and state will undoubtedly be strengthened should the crisis result in a triumph for the Government.

In a duel between Clemenceau and Deroulede yesterday neither was hurt.

The Imperialists have prepared a manifesto calling upon the people to recall the Bonapartists to the throne. The Orleanist party is also active.

M. Floquet told the committee that when he was a member of the ministry he had ordered certain advertisements printed in Parisian newspapers. These advertisements, he admitted, had been inserted not from a business but from a political point of view.

This admission is much commented upon as being tantamount to an acknowledgment that the advertisements were but a cover under which the newspapers were bribed to support the ministerial schemes.

Many rumors are current as to the attitude of the provinces toward the Government because of the Panama scandal, some of the reports going so far as to say that the country districts were upon the verge of revolution.

This morning the Government issued a denial of these disquieting rumors, declaring that the prefects in all the provinces report their districts tranquil with not the slightest indication of an outbreak.

M. Floquet, President of the Chamber of Deputies, appeared for examination before the Panama Investigating Committee today. He declared emphatically that he had never received from the Panama Company money for the secret service or for any other object.

La Lanterne says the papers discovered yesterday in the examination belonging to the company that supplied dynamite for the work on the Panama Canal show that Deputies Naquet, Laguerre, St. Martin and Laur had received sums of money from Arton, the go-between in the corruption, for their votes in the Chamber.

The Matin says 15 more warrants have been prepared against senators and deputies and that public prosecutors in the country districts have been instructed to search residences of accused persons and examine witnesses for evidence in relation to the charges.

M. De la Fosse writes to The Figaro that the parliamentary Republic is ruined and ought to be replaced by a consular Republic, with Prince Victor Emanuel Bonaparte as First Consul. The suggestion is looked upon as an attempt to revive the empire through the same processes by which the First Napoleon arrived at the throne.

Marius Foutaine and Charles de Lesseps were taken from Mazas Prison this morning to the office of M. Franqueville, the examining magistrate, by whom they were questioned for two hours.

They rode both ways in a prison van as explicit instructions have been given that no favors shall be shown them.

M. Sans Leroy, accused of selling his vote when he was a member of the lottery bond commission, was examined this afternoon.

M. Bourgoise, Minister of Justice, appeared before the Parliamentary Commission of Inquiry, after M. Floquet had testified, to explain the seizure of the counterfoils and the Thierree checks.

M. Andrieux, Ex-Prefect of Police, was the next witness. He said that he had a photograph of a statement and account written by Baron de Reinach.

M. Andrieux wrote a list of names on a piece of paper and handed it to M. Brisson, saying at the same time that four other names, one of a very high personage, he was prevented from mentioning by the dictates of discretion.

Dr. Cornelius Herz had shown him a document bearing the names of 104 Deputies who had been bought by the lobbyist Antoine for a total sum of 1,350,000 francs. M. Andrieux could name most, if not all, of the men mentioned in this document.

Proof of the culpability of many men named in the document had been promised him. He would try to obtain the document from Dr. Herz.

Count Caffarelli, Monarchist deputy for Aisne, told the commission he could confirm the report that President Carnot had a list of deputies corruptly implicated in the Panama Canal lobbying. This list, he said, comprised many deputies whose names had not yet been mentioned in connection with the scandal.

Hanged for Murder.

LONDON, Dec. 23.—Thomas Edwards was hanged yesterday at Usk for the murder of Mary Connolly at Abergavenny on Sept. 16 last.

Edwards acknowledged having killed the woman, and he said he murdered her because she was of immoral character and because he made up his mind to kill as many of her kind as possible.

France and the United States.

PARIS, Dec. 23.—The commercial convention between France and the United States was ratified by the Chamber of Deputies yesterday.

Steamship Movements.

Date.	Name.	Reported at.	From
Dec. 22.—	La Bourgogne....	London....	New York

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Get along with you !
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If you have a cough, procure at once a bottle of Holden's Expectorant, put up for sale at Geen's Drug store. It is a reliable cough medicine.

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(young and old), suffering from mental worry, overwork, insomnia, excesses, or self-abuse, should take these PILLS. They will restore lost energies, both physical and mental.

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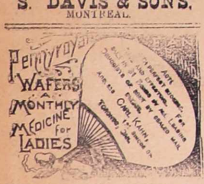

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PIECEMEAL REFORM.

In the German Army is Declared to Be Impracticable.

BERLIN, Dec. 23.—The North German Gazette yesterday published an article on the army bill, in the course of which it says that the Federal Government regards as impossible the introduction of the two year's service system without an increase in the military establishments and cadets. If these conditions are rejected, The Gazette adds, it will be necessary to revert to a universal three years' service, as piecemeal reform in the army is impracticable.

The paper further says that the bill was drafted under the conviction that since 1871 Germany's defensive power has not increased to the same extent as that of Russia and France, and that in the event of war, Germany would have, under present conditions, a relatively small force at her disposal.

The bill is now in the hands of a committee of 28 members of the Reichstag and it is generally conceded that in its present shape it will have become a law.

ANOTHER FAIR EMIGRANT.

Miss Wayne Cuyler of Baltimore to Wed Sir Philip Egerton.

LONDON, Dec. 23.—The marriage of Miss Wayne Cuyler of Baltimore, Md., to Sir Philip Henry Brian Grey-Egerton will take place on Jan. 4. Sir Philip is a nephew of the sixth Earl Selkirk. He has residences at 103 Eaton-square, London; Oulton Park, Tarporley, Cheshire and Broxton, Old Hall, Cheshire. He is a captain in the 4th Battalion of the Cheshire Regiment.

Miss Cuyler is a daughter of the late Patrick Cuyler of the United States Engineering Corps. It is claimed by her friends that she is one of the most beautiful women in the world. Sir Philip is known in American society, he, in company with his mother, who is a daughter of the first Baron Londesborough, having passed part of last summer at Newport and Lenox, where several entertainments were given in their honor.

NOT A FAILURE.

Secretary Foster is Satisfied With The Monetary Conference.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—"I think there is a popular misapprehension in regard to the results so far of the International Monetary Conference," said secretary Charles Foster yesterday afternoon. "It is a grave mistake," he said, "to assume that the conference will be a failure. The taking of a recess till May was expected by the Administration when the American delegates left this country."

"The fact that Mr. Rothschild made any proposition for the increased use of silver, coupled with his declaration that unless something were done to ensure its better use among the nations serious consequences would follow, is in itself a hopeful indication that the prominent bankers of the world feel the necessity of reaching an agreement of such a nature as will secure approximate uniformity in dealing with the question the world over.

"So far as my personal connection with the conference is concerned, all that I expected of the preliminary meeting has been accomplished. The general drift of the conference is even more favorable than we anticipated."

Mr. Harter of Ohio, one of the chief hard money Democrats, says there can be no hope of inducing any other nation to do anything for silver while the Sherman law is in force and the United States is continuing the monthly purchases of bullion provided for by that law.

"Suppose," said he, "you and I are walking down the street together and we come to a wall that is leaning over the sidewalk. I go up to it and try to hold it up, so that it will not fall and crush the passers-by. I call to you and ask you to come and help me, but you say, 'No, you hold the wall up and I will pass on out of danger.'

KNOWN IN AMERICA.

Dr. Herz Was an Audacious Swindler in San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 23.—Dr. Cornelius Herz, who has been prominently mentioned in connection with the Panama scandal in France, figured in San Francisco for a time as an audacious swindler. He burst upon the Pacific coast like a meteor and everybody was dazzled by his presence.

This was in 1874. His success, social and professional, was wonderful and rapid. Incidentally he induced George S. Ladd and M. J. Keating, both now dead, to loan him $90,000. Their widows now hold his note for this amount.

Another of his victims was W. H. Lyon, a brewer of large wealth. Herz treated him for some blood affection, real or supposed, and soon had the old man completely within his power.

Of course Dr. Herz was paid liberally for his services, but it was not known until several weeks after he suddenly left in 1877 to go to Paris how much the doctor had collected.

Note after note, each for $10,000 and each bearing the undoubted signature of Lyon, came pouring in on the brewer. "The total amount," said Lawyer Thomas, who had been Mr. Lyon's attorney, "was over $100,000. As Lyon was known to be responsible Herz had an easy job to discount his notes."

A despatch from Chicago says: Dr. Cornelius Herz, the "American" who is the central figure in the Panama scandal, resided in this city during the years 1871-72. His brother, Joseph Herz, has lived here for 20 years. Joseph Herz is a manufacturers' agent, with an office at 226 La Salle-street.

Dr. Herz is a cousin of Emanuel Mandelin and his brother, the millionaire dry-goods merchant of this city. Dr. Herz struggled hard with poverty during his Chicago experience and then gave it up. He returned to New York in 1872 and shortly thereafter married a Boston woman and went to San Francisco.

TRAFFIC FOR EXPORT.

The Trunk Line Association Agree Upon Keeping Up Rates.

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—The joint committee of the Trunk Line Association met yesterday. Representatives from all the lines were present. The meeting was a brief one. The chief action taken was an agreement on a determination to insist upon the maintenance of rates on export traffic of all descriptions; the through rates to be made in all cases by adding to the seaboard rates the actual ocean rate obtainable at the time from seaboard ports to foreign ports.

It was further arranged that conferences would be held by the commissioners with the managers of western lines at Chicago, St. Louis and Cincinnati on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of next week in order to devise means for the effectual carrying out of the arrangements of the presidents in respect to the maintenance of established rates.

Sail-Loft Burned.

ST. CATHARINES, Dec. 23.—Jarvis' sail-loft, on the canal, was burned last night with all its contents. Loss, $2500; insurance, $1000 in the Phœnix.

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The Lubon Medical Company is now at Toronto, Canada, and may be consulted either in person or by letter on all chronic diseases peculiar to man. Men, young, old, or middle-aged, who find themselves nervous, weak and exhausted, who are broken down from excess or overwork, resulting in many of the following symptoms: Mental depression, premature old age, loss of vitality, loss of memory, bad dreams, dimness of sight, palpitation of the heart, emissions, lack of energy, pain in the kidneys, headache, pimples on the face or body, itching or peculiar sensation about the scrotum, wasting of organs, dizziness, specks before the eyes, twitching of the muscles, eyelids and elsewhere, bashfulness, deposits in urine, loss of will power, tenderness of scalp and spine, weak and flabby muscles, desire to sleep, failure to be rested by sleep, constipation, dullness of hearing, loss of voice, desire for solitude, excitability of temper, sunken eyes surrounded with leaden circle, oily looking skin etc., are all symptoms of nervous debility that lead to insanity unless cured. The spring or vital force having lost its tension every function wanes in consequence. Those who through abuse committed in ignorance may be permanently cured. Send your address for book on all diseases peculiar to man. Books sent free sealed. Heart disease, the symptoms of which are faint spells, purple lips, numbness, palpitation, skip beats, hot flushes, rush of blood to the head, dull pain in the heart with beats strong, rapid and irregular, the second beat quicker than the first, pain about the breast bone, etc., can positively be cured. No cure no pay. Send for book. Address M. V. LUBON, 24 Macdonell Ave., Toronto Ont.

All through the Provinces the rapid increase of La Grippe, is causing great alarm. A report was received here to-day, of a new development of the disease, which is worse, perhaps than any other. Wm. Hanley of N. Y. City, died in terrible agony after sickness of only four days. His tongue swelled to such an extent as to make it impossible for him to close his jaws or swallow any food. The report is causing the people in this district to inquire into the noted Grip-cure, recently referred to in so many papers. In Cape Breton the disease has spread very rapidly and with fatal results. D. J. Killop of L'Archeveque writes Feb. 11th that this cure has been tried in his neighborhood and with such success that all those residing there are obtaining a supply believing it to be the only remedy affording relief and effecting a certain cure. He finished his letter by asking for a large quantity of the Medicine (Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills) to supply the demands of the community for the relief of LaGrippe.

Great Surprise

Is in store for all who use, Kemp's Balsam for the throat and lungs, the great guarantee remedy. Would you believe that it is sold on its merits and that any druggist is authorized by the proprietor of his wonderful remedy to give you a sample bottle free? It never fails to cure acute or chronic coughs. All druggists sell Kemp's Balsam. Large bottles 50 cents and $1.

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How can we raise more corn to the acher? Why, of course by using Putman's Corn Extractor. Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor has given universal satisfaction, for it is safe, sure and painless. Like every article of real merit it has a host of imitators, and we would specially warn the public to guard against these dangerous substitutes offered for the genuine, Putnam's Extractor. N. C. Polson & Co., proprietors, Kingston.

Advice to Mothers

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used by millions of mothers for children teething for over fifty years, with perfect success. It relieves the little sufferer at once, produces natural quiet sleep, and freeing the child from pain, and the young cherub wakes as bright as a button.' It is pleasant to taste, soothes the child softens the gums, allays pain, relieves wind, regulates the bowels, and is the best known remedy for diarrhoea, whether arising from teething or other causes 25cts

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Parmelee's Pills possess the power of acting specifically upon the deceased organs, stimulating to action the dormant energies of the system, thereby removing disease. In fact, so great is the power of this medicine to cleanse and purify that disease of almost every name and nature are driven from the body. Mr. D. Carswell, Carswell, P. O., writes I have tried Parmelee's Pills and find them an excellent medicine,

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"When I was a boy, I had a bronchial trouble of such a persistent and stubborn character, that the doctor pronounced it incurable with ordinary remedies, but recommended me to try Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. I did so, and one bottle cured me. For the last fifteen years, I have used this preparation with good effect whenever I take a bad cold, and I know of numbers of people who keep it in the house all the time, not considering it safe to be without it."—J. C. Woodson, P.M., Forest Hill, W. Va.

Cough

"For more than twenty-five years, I was a sufferer from lung trouble, attended with coughing so severe at times as to cause hemorrhage, the paroxysms frequently lasting three or four hours. I was induced to try Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, and after taking four bottles, was thoroughly cured."—Franz Hoffman, Clay Centre, Kans.

La Grippe

"Last spring I was taken down with la grippe. At times I was completely prostrated, and so difficult was my breathing that my breast seemed as if confined in an iron cage. I procured a bottle of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, and no sooner had I began taking it than relief followed. I could not believe that the effect would be so rapid and the cure so complete."—W. H. Williams, Cook City, S. Dak.

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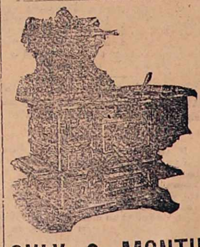

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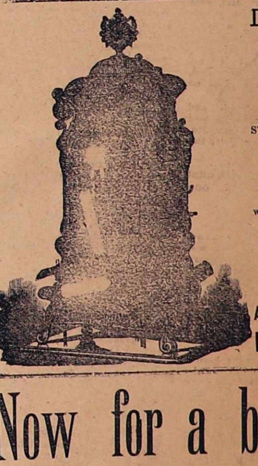

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A TRENTON SENSATION.

ARTHUR BONTER ARRESTED ON A SERIOUS CHARGE.

He Attempts to Elude the the Officers But is Compelled to Su render at the Muzzle of a Pistol—Will be Taken to Toronto for Trial

Trenton was the scene of an exciting episode yesterday which will not soon be forgotten by those who witnessed it. On Sept. 26th last Arthur Bonter, the father of a grown up family and a well-known citizen of Trenton, is charged with having seduced a young orphan girl at Toronto named Mary Eliza Wooley, under the promise of marriage. Bonter is a painter and was working in Toronto at the time. It is alleged that he represented himself to the girl as being an unmarried man. After having destroyed the girl's virtues, Bonter returned to Trenton where he was followed by the girl's friends who placed the facts in the possession of the police authorities and a warrant was issued for his arrest. In company with High Constable Johnston, Chief of Police Hinde went to Bonter's house yesterday. Receiving no answer to repeated knocks at the door the officers went around to the rear where a door was found unlocked. They entered the house and was confronted by Mrs. Bonter who asked them what they wanted. Constable Johnston said they had a warrant for the arrest of her husband. The wife said he was not home. A noise upstairs aroused the suspicion of the constables and while constable Johnston remained below, Chief Hinde went up stairs to investigate the cause. Before he reached the top of the stairs he heard a loud noise, while a man, who proved to be Bonter, was seen to dart from under table, which was covered with flowers, and leap through the window onto the roof of the kitchen. The constables ran into the street but their man had disappeared as completely as if the earth had swallowed him up. While Chief of Police Hinde returned to the house, Constable Johnston reconnoitered about the premises. Looking up towards the roof the building the officer discovered Bonter's head protruding from the cornice which formed the junction of the rear and the front part of the house—an admirable hiding place for a man. He at once drew his revolver and called upon Bonter to surrender. Bonter seeing that resistance was useless crawled from his hiding place and gave himself up to Chief Hinde. The accused was taken before Magistrate Gordon. He will be sent to Toronto for trial.

THE DAILY ONTARIO

BELLEVILLE, FRIDAY, DEC. 23rd.

TOLD IN A LINE OR TWO

For Bargains in Christmas ...ods, go to E. Harrison.

A new lodge of the Sons of England ...ll shortly be instituted at Coe Hill. Dis...ct Deputy Waymark and Bros. Hulme ...d London have been asked by the exe...tive to institute the lodge.

Our druggists keep for sale Hall's Vege...ble Sicilian Hair Renewer, the best ...eparation ever made for restoring the ...tality and color of the hair.

The great value of Hood's Sarsaparilla ...a remedy for catarrh is vouched for by ...ousands of people whom it has cured.

The Hastings Reform club will hold ...eir annual meeting to-night when the ...fficers for the ensing year will be elected. ...usiness of importance will be brought up.

J. L. Clapp, Belleville, has shipped six ...ar loads of evaporated apples from Picton ...ation in the last few days. The apples ...ere purchased within a radius of ten ...iles about Picton.—Picton Times.

Christmas Tree and literary entertain...ent will be held at Bleecker Street church ...n Friday evening next 23rd, commencing ...t 8 o'clock. Also the review of the ...uarter's lesssons will take place on Sab...ath the 25th at 11 o'clock, instead of the ...egular service. A cordial invitation is ...iven by the officers of the Sabbath ...chool to attend the above services.

The Christmas tree entertainment in West Belleville Methodist church last night was very successful. Porf. G. A. Swayze, superintendent of the Sunday School occupied the chair. The choir, under the leadership of Prof. Canfield rendered very efficient music. A Contata entitled "Christmas" in which most of the scholars took part was well put on, after which the children were gladdened by the distribution of the presents. There was a good crowd present.

Charles Gillespie of Campbellford, and John Cummins, of Zion's Hill, were charged before magistrate Flint yesterday afternoon, with shooting a fawn. Both cases were dismissed.

Peter Vancleek was nominated by the Roformers at Madoc to-day to contest North Hastings against A. W. Carscallen, Conservative. Election takes place on Friday Dec. 30th.

John Smith, Charles Smith and Catherine Perry vagrants, were dismissed at the police court to-day. Frank Ho well for assaulting his wife was given two month's suspended sentence.

Don't m'ss Harrison's discount sale. Everything reduced one third.

Early and Late

To-morrow, (Saturday) will be an awful big day at the Oak Hall. We wish the city customers would try and buy early in the morning or in the evening. If possible, leave us with our country friends from 10 o'clock until 4 o'clock; as even then we will not be able to wait on all. This arrangement is as much for your benefit as ours.

To-day.

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RESOLUTION OF CONDOLENCE

The License Commissioners Pay a Mark of Respect to a Departed Member.

At a meeting of the West Hastings License commissioners held in Trenton on Wednesday the following resolution of condolence was adopted: Moved by Henry Bleecker, seconded by L. W. Clark "That whereas through the demise of A. G. Whittier, this Board has lost one of its most useful members, therefore we desire to place upon record our esteem for the deceased gentleman, and also wish to convey through our secretary Jas. St. Charles who joins with us in tendering to the bereaved family our deep and most sincere sympathy for the great loss they have sustained by the death of a kind husband and affectionate father, and that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the widow of the late A. G. Whittier. H. G. Bleecker, chairman."

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

XMAS ENTERTAINMENT

The Pupils of Loretto Have an Enjoyable Evening

The Xmas entertainment held at Loretto convent last evening was by far the most successful event in the history of that institution. The spacious assembly room was very tastefully decorated and looked invitingly charming. To particularize any one number on the program would be unfair to the remaining artists. Suffice it to say that never before had we the privilege of witnessing anything of the kind. At the close of the concert Msgr. Farrelly gave a short address in which he complimented the performers and praised, but not too highly, the good Sisters of Loretto.

An Everyday Story

Brockville Daily Recorder.

Edith Barr, a bright little girl of ten years, living with her father, James W. Barr, on California street, in the town of Brockville, attended public school since she was eight years old. Of late, however, her ill health prevented regular attendance. She would be absent for two or more weeks at a time, then resume and again become unable to attend. As a consequence she fell behind in her studies and was outstripped by her companions. Her condition alarmed her parents. She complained of headache, loss of appetite pain across her eyes, which often dimmed as by a film, her hands and feet were cold, and she suffered from dizziness, ringing in the ears and general lassitude. Her complexion changed almost imperceptibly from a rosy healthful appearance to a pale waxy color. The usual household remedies were ineffectual for any benefit and a doctor was called in who prescribed and visited her for months. She improved so very little that her parents despaired of any permanent cure. Despite all remedies her appetite failed her and she took food irregular and only by great coaxing. She suffered continually from headache and her checks were robbed of any vestige of blood. She became weaker from day to day. One of her neighbors called one day and expressed some alarm at the change in Edith. This lady had tried Dr. Butler's Golden Pills for her little girl with marvellous results and suggested that Edith might be benefitted also. Acting upon this advice a couple of boxes of Golden Pills were procured and Edith began their use, one pill three times a day. Their effect was magical. But one box was taken, when new life and vigor seemed to be infused into her weakened system Her appetite first improved and the potent assimilative properties of Golden Pills here did the good work required. Her strength returned, her face assumed a natural, rosy, healthful color and she again resumed her school studies which she now found a source of pleasure, where before they were a torture. All her classmates can testify to her improved physical condition, and ply her with the question, what cured you? and the answer is always Dr. Butler's Pills. The above related facts should serve as a warning to parents whose children may be effected with any of the symptoms referred to, and instead of adopting other remedies should at once try that truly magical nerve tonic and blood builder, Dr. Butler's Golden Pills.

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THE MATRIMONIAL WAVE.

A Happy Marriage in Sidney Witnessed By 125 Guests.

The residence of Mr. Wm. McCann, River Valley, Sidney, was the scene of a most joyful gathering, on Wednesday evening last, the occasion being the marriage of his daughter, Nettie, to Mr. Alex. Hall, of Campbellford. The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. Wilson, M.A., of Stirling, in the presence of about 125 guests. The bride was handsomely attired in cream cashmere, trimmed with chiffore lace, and the veil reaching to the floor was draped with natural roses. The bridesmaids, who were Miss Hall, sister of the groom, Miss Edith McCann, sister of the bride, and Miss Molly Parker, were attired in pale blue and pink. All wore roses and carnations and primroses. The groom was assisted by Mr. J. D. McCann, brother of the bride. After the ceremony all sat down to a sumptuous supper. The bride was the recipient of a large number of fine and costly presents. The bridal party left on the early morning train for a trip to Niagara Falls and Toronto.

Gay—Clement.

A pleasing event took place at the residence of Rev. D. O. Crossley, Church street, on Wednesday night, when Miss Mary Clement was united in marriage to Mr. Thomas Gay. The bride was very handsomely attired in fawn silk. The principals were assisted by Charles Wooley and Miss Weatherspoon. After the ceremony the party was driven to the home of the bride's mother where a sumptuous repast was partaken of, when the happy couple repaired to their home on Charles street. The bride was the recipient of a large number of presents among them being a gold watch from the groom, a ten dollar gold piece from Thos. Wills, five dollar gold piece from J. F. Wills, ten dollars from Mr. Joyce, a silver butter dish and knife from Miss Weatherspoon, a handsome table drape from Mr. Tickell, silver cake dish from Mrs. Robt. Elliott, and a case of silk handkerchiefs from her sister in Ottawa.

A very pleasing event took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kilpatrick, Brock street, Kingston, Wednesday forenoon of this week, viz., the marriage of their daughter Ida to James Gordon of Lonsdale. The bride was dressed in ruby-colored velvet, trimmed with grey feather-ine. She was assisted by Miss Lizzie Sissions, while the bridegroom had the friendly help of Mr. F. A. Kilpatrick. The ceremony was performed by Rev. James Rattray, pastor of the congregation of which Mr. Gordon is an elder.

The Doctor Orders it

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GORDON SHARP BUGLARIZES HIS MOTHER-IN-LAW'S HOUSE

He Admits his Guilt and Agreed to Pay Back the Money Last Monday—A Warrant Issued for his Arrest

Mrs. Bridget Horrick, of Glen Miller come to Belleville yesterday and laid an information before Geo. E. Henderson, Q. C., Crown Attorney, charging her son-in-law, Gordon Sharpe, of Trenton, with having stolen $90 from her on the 24th Sept. last. It appears that previous to this date Mrs. Horrick's son was seriously injured in Gilmour mill at Trenton. She accordingly locked up her house at Glen Miller and went to Trenton to take care of her son, who was stopping with his sister. On the night of Sept. 24th Sharpe is alleged to have gone to Glen Miller, which is only a few miles north of Trenton, on the Frankford road, and afterforcing an entrance to Mrs. Horrick's house, broke open a trunk and removed from therein $90. When Mrs. Horrick learned of the robbery she at once suspected her son-in-law from the fact that he had been seen in the vicinity of her place on the night in question. Both herself and daughter charged him with having stolen the money, but he positively denies having any knowledge of the buglary. Under the accumlation of evidence Sharpe finally admitted his guilt and asked time in which to pay back the money. He was given until Monday last and failing to keep his promise, Mrs. Horick had a warrant issued for his arrest. Accordingly High Constable Johnston went to Trenton yesterday, but Sharpe could not be found nor had he been since Tuesday last.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Two Correspondents Champion the Cause of Ex-Ald Petrie

SIR.—Our civic elections are close at hand and this reminds us of the stolid indifference too commonly evinced by our citizens in their choice of candidates for municipal honors. This indifference has encouraged a certain class of professional young men to contest the mayoralty of Belleville, who's youth and inexperience disqualify them for the proper and efficient dischaige of its onerous and responsible duties. The mayoralty of the city should be filled by a person of mature age, possessed of good common sense and sound judgment, having a thorough knowledge of municipal affairs, acquired from practical experience. Should the mayoralty be placed in the hands of Mr. Allen Petrie its duties would be faithfully performed. Mr. Petre has all the requisit qualifications for such a purpose. He has been a member of the city council for many years and during that protracted period of his membership he has never been the advocate of bad measures. His course was thoroughly impartial and independent, and on all occasions he endeavored to promote the necessary improvents in the corporations and as far as in his power to see that the funds of the city were appropriated for legtimate and useful purposes Mr. Petre has already given much of his time and labor to his native city and it would only be an act of justice on the part of our citizens at the coming election to place Mr. Petre's name at the head of the poll.

AN ELECTOR

He is an Honest Man

SIR—It is a pleasure to know that an unusual interest is being taken in the selection of a candidate to fill the mayor's chair for the year 1893. With all due respect to Mr. Fowell and to Mr. Wallbridge, who are seeking that position at present, they have no claims compared to those of Mr. Allen F. Petrie's, and if I mistake not the voter will say on polling day, he is an old and respected citizen. He has served you faithfully in the past, and with more than average ability in the deliberations of successive councils, and I defy anyone to put their finger on a single act of his, either in public or private life, that will not stand the severest scrutiny. He has not only served you for many years in the city council, but he has faithfully served you as chief of the Police, having succeeded to the command of that body at a time when rowdyism was much more rampant than it is at present.

In fact he is just the person we are looking for at present. He has no axe to grind, honest in his deliberations, and firm in his convictions. Elect him by all means if you desire a truly good and deserving mayor.

AN OLD RESIDENT.

IS THERE BOYCOTTING

Remarks Made by George Taylor M. P., in a Recent Address

George Taylor, M. P., Gananoque, in a speech the other day before the conservative association of Leeds, spoke regarding the McKenzie boyoott by Rev. Fr. O'Gorman of Gananoque, formerly of Belleville. McKenzie rented his opera house to Mrs. Sheppard, an ex-nun, to lecture in. Here are some of the conservative whip's remarks:

"If credence is to be given to reports the Rev. Mr. O'Gorman went to Mr. McKenzie and asked him not to allow her to use the hall as he considered her lecture to be an attack upon his religion. To this Mr. McKenzie replied by a refusal, giving as his reason that he had entered into a contract. It is said that the Rev. Mr. O'Gorman then told him that if he allowed her to use the hall he would not only withdraw his own patronage but would not permit the Roman Catholics of his parish to patronize him in any way. It is now being said he has carried his threat into execution by telling the people at his different appointments that they must not deal with Mr. McKenzie. I also hear that the affair is being carried further than McKenzie and that others are being boycotted, the result of bad feeling.

"If the facts, as I have stated them, are correct, and the Rev. O'Gorman and his parishoners are going to pursue this course, then I fear the pleasant relations, hitherto existing in our community, between Protestant and Catholics, are at an end, and not only our town but the country generally will suffer from such a state of affairs.

"I suggest that a committee of our mayor and two or three others of our business people be appointed to meet the Rev. Mr. O'Gorman and McKenzie to learn all the facts, as they are, and try to restore that good feeling that there ought to be. If this plan does not succeed, let all the facts as they are, be learned and published, because the Rev. Mr. O'Gorman must know that Protestants will not stand by and see Mr. McKenzie boycotted by his people without other bad results following."

Dame Nature is a Good Book-keeper

She don't let us stay long in her debt before we settle for what we owe her. She gives us a few years' grace at the most, but the reckoning surely comes. Have you neglected a cough or allowed your blood to grow impure without heeding the warnings? Be wise in time, and get the world famed Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, which cures as well as promises. As a blood renovator, a lung-healer, and a cure for scrofulous taints, it towers above all others, as Olympus overtops a mole hill. To warrant a commodity is to be honorable and above deception and a guarantee is a symbol of honest dealing. You get it with every bottle of the "Discovery." By druggists.

Christmas Books, Prayer-books Albums, reduced thirty-three one third per cent. at Harrison's.

No one Need Pity You

If you die of consumption without having tried that celebrated cure, now being talked about by every one, and known as Miller's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil, you are not entitled to any pity. If you want to stay with your friends in the flesh, do not let an hour pass by without sending to the nearest drug store for Miller's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil. Read about the wonderful cures it has wrought. This is the electrical age of wonders, and this Emulsion is the product of the latest researches in science. In big bottles, 50c and $1, at all drug stores.

MUSIC AND THE DRAMA.

By Wits Outwitted.

"By Wits Outwitted," a three act comedy will begin an engagement of one night only at Queen's Opera House on December 29th. Whereever presented the new comedy, "By Wits Outwitted" by Edward Owings Towne has aroused enthusiasm. Its chief success has been derived from the brilliant line that are spoken which are said to be unusually clever. The scene is laid in Spain. The company engaged for the production of By Wits Outwitted, comprise such well-known artists as W. M. Paul, W. S. Battis, Tell. H. Taylor, Mrs. W. M. Paul, Miss Florence Modena, Marie Broughton, Ethel Marion and others. The reserved seat sale opens at Rigg's Music Store to-morrow. Prices 25c, 50 and 75c.

Osgoode Hall News

Re Stevenson, Stevenson v. Stevenson.—An appeal from the report of the Master at Belleville. Smythe, Q.C., for the execution creditors the appellants. Preston, Q.C., for the plaintiff. Morden (Napanee) for the defendants the Merchants' Bank. J. Hoskin, Q.C., for the infants. By consent of counsel the appeal was abandoned without costs, and the usual order made confirming the report and for distribution of the moneys in court.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Paul Lalonde, Belleville's favorite basso, has finished his engagement with the Smith Family and is now home for the holidays.

A Complete Collapse

Is occasioned in our feelings by the derangements of the liver, stomach and bowels. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure sick and bilious headache, bowel complaints, internal fever and health body and mind. A dose, as a laxative consists of one tiny sugar-coated Pellet. Cheapest and easiest to take. By druggists cents a vial.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

SEVENTEENTH

CHRISTMAS

AT

FISH'S

Our Holiday Goods are all in Stock and we think we can truthfully say that in our seventeen years of catering for the Xmas trade we have never equalled or approached the display we are making this year.

READ CAREFULLY FOLLOWING LISTS:

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Leather Collar and Cuff Boxes
Leather Companions
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Windsor Ties
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Silk Handkerchiefs
Initial Handkerchiefs
Hemstitch Handkerchiefs
Linen Hankerchiefs in Boxes
Silk Braces
Fancy Braces
Silk Cuffs
Wool Cuffs
Cuff Buttons
Scarf Pins
Collar Buttons
White Dress Shirts
English Dress Shirts
Flannel Shirts
Linen Collars and Cuffs
Celluloid Collars and Cuffs
Silk Umbrellas, Fancy Handles
Walking Sticks
Waterproof Coats
Fine Kid Gloves
Lined Kid Gloves
Astrachan Gloves, Kid Mitts
Wool Mitts
Cardigan Jackets, etc

FOR LADIES

Silk Shawls from Japan
Silk Handkerchiefs from Japan
Initial Silk Handkerchiefs
The new White Crepe Hdkfs
Windsor Ties, etc.

FOR BOYS

Gloves and Mitts
Wool and Silk Cuffs
Braces
White and Flannel Shirts
Collars and Cuffs
Scarf Pins
Cuff Buttons
Collar Buttons
Kid Gloves
Astrachan Gloves
Silk Handkerchiefs
Linen Handkerchiefs
Fancy Handkerchiefs
Windsor Ties
Knot Ties
Four-in-hand Ties
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Boy's Bow Ties
Etc., Etc., Etc.

Our prices are the Lowest, our goods are the Newest, and our Stock is the Largest. See our 10c, 15c, 25c, 35c and 50c Tie Tables, and our Silk Handkerchiefs at 25c. Come and look through even if you don't want to buy. We take a pleasure in showing our Novelties

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Have a complete stock, Raisins of all varieties. Currants, Figs, Dates, Citron, Orange and Lemon Peels, Batgers, Jellies, all flavors, Choice Confectionery, Almonds, Walnuts, etc. Use the "Elevator" Baking Powder, It is the best.

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HURRAH FOR THE HOLIDAYS!

JUST THINK

This is the 28th Time Santa Claus has visited and made J. C. Overell's his Headquarters!

We are now ready with our Display.

The Presents you want at Prices you like.

Our Elegant Holiday Stock is a Popular Stock in all respects.

Full of New Novelties and Pleasing Attractions.

We are glad to welcome visitors, pleased to show our Goods, and ready to make close prices to all.

J. C. OVERELL,

LEADER OF THE HOLIDAY TRADE,

SHOP EARLY.

And often this week. Thursday and Saturday the farmers will demand a large share of our attention Our display don't include raisins or tea, pills or perfumery, books or dolls but if you want a piece of SILVER WARE, A LAMP, a DINNER or TEA SET or anything in china crockery why see us—that's where we shine—so much better choice in such a store as this than shops where there's a little of everything and not much of anything. Nine hanging and five parlor table lamps sold Saturday. This shows how the main stream of trade keeps the old channel

Open every night this week.

W. J. REID & CO,

Crystal Hall - - - Rous' Old Stand

Greeting and Compliments

OF THE SEASON

To All Our Patrons.

CHRISTMAS MUST BE OBSERVED

And the best way to observe the Anniversary is to BUY ONE OF OUR $20,00 FINE TAILOR MADE SUITS FOR $12.00. But what we want to talk to you about this week is FURNISHINGS for Holiday Trade. Read our Price List:—

$1.50 Kid Gloves we sell for $1.00,
1.25 " " 90.
75 " " 50.
1.00 Heavy all-wool under'wr 65.
6.00 Silk Underwear we sell for $3.00
5.00 Natural Wool Underwear 2.75
3,00 Scotch Underwear " 1.75
40 Cashmere Socks " 25

Silk Handkerchiefs, in beautiful patterns, 20, 25, 50, 75 and $1.00. Ties we commence at 10c, worth 25. Our 25c Tie is worth 50, and our 45c Tie is sold all over for 75c. In Ties we carry the largest range in the County, and whilst we are Clothing First, Last and Always, we show the largest and Nobbiest range of Furnishings in Belleville. Remember we sell all our goods retail at wholesale prices. A call is solicited.

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Brand of PASTRY FLOUR is unexcelled at the Price.
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OPPOSITE HOTEL STREET

Silk Handkerchiefs, Table Linen,
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Table Napkins, Fans,
Linen Towels, Pocket Books
Also a full Line of Fancy Goods

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Is there another store in which you can get such variety of Christmas Gift Goods ? **NO!**

WE HAVE

Leather and Plush Albums	50 to $10 00
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Collar and Cuff Cases	25 to 5 00
Chatalaines	1 00 to 6 50
New Boston Shopping Bag	4 00 to 7 50
Handsome Purses	25 to 6 00
Music Cases	1 65 to 6 00
Ladies' and Gentlemen's Card Cases	25 to 4 50
Gentlemen's Wallets	25 to 4 00
Cigar Cases	25 to 5 00
Tobacco Cases	35 to 5 00
Paper Knives	15 to 3 00
Opera Glasses	1 50 to 15 00
Gold Headed and Other Canes	50 to 12 50
Gold Pens and Holders	1 50 to 5 00
" Pencil Cases	75 to 5 00
Fountain Pens—Gold Nib	1 50 to 5 00
Fans—Gauze and Feather	25 to 8 50
Photo Frames—Metal	25 to 3 65
Bibles- Family and Pocket	10 to 15 00
Art Gilt Books from	25 to 10 00
3893 Art Calenders	15 to 1 50

Hymn Books for English, Presbyterian and Methodist Church, Prayer Books—All Styles. Poets—A complete Line.

Devotional and Birthday Books—all kinds. Also a complete line of Annuals, Board Books and Toy Books cheaper than ever. Sunday Library and Prize Books special Lines and Prices.

Games, Dolls and Sleighs in Endless Variety and at closest cut prices.

Christmas Cards and Books, large variety, new and cheap.

Art Novelties in Fancy Goods of German, Austrian and American importation comprising Art Brass Goods, Bisque Figures, Japanese Novelties in Oxidized Brass and Rare China.

In fact everything that can be shown in a well-equipped Book and Fancy Goods House.

FAIRYLAND open every evening until 9 o'clock.

VISIT FAIRYLAND

Dolls and Sleighs—all new—but we have too many. They must be sold, so away they go and at just half price.

Christmas Cards gone out? Well no! If you have been told that, it has not been by an authority. The new artistic Fete Cards, as those we are showing from 10c to 35c, are the talk of the city. In cheaper cards we have an assortment of from 10,000 to 12,000 at 5c ea.

In choice new Stationery suitable for Xmas gifts, we are showing 25 different styles of Hurd & Co's goods, which are the finest manufactured on the American continent, in fact there is none superior made in the world.

Handsomely done up we sell any of the score of styles 1-10 envelopes and ¼ Ream paper for $2.50.

27 Cases of Dolls arrived almost too late for Xmas trade. We will let them go at just half price.

A case of goods from Prang, of Boston, containing prize pictures, produced by Prang, the world renowned artist.

We realize these are late and they too go at just half their published price from

C. B. SCANTLEBURY,

FAIRYLAND.

A FULL LINE OF
Candies
Oranges
Nuts
Figs, etc.
FOR XMAS
YOUNG

THIS MATTER CHANGED DAILY
Saturday Dec 24th.

HAPPY XMAS !

Every one will be down street to night and we ask our friends to have patience as we will do the best we can. All our Xmas goods are marked down to clear. We wish the reader a very Happy Xmas.

W. FLINT JONES

Corner Front and Bridge streets

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For One Week Longer.

THE

SPECIAL - REDUCTION

OF 33 1-3 PER CENT

DISCOUNT SALE

[Bo]oks, Fancy Goods, Albums, Bibles, P[raye]r Books, Musical Instruments, Child[ren']s Carriages, Sleighs, and in fact the [who]le of the large and varied stock.

BARGAINS FOR EVERYBODY.

NOTHING RESERVED

E. HARRISON

To the Electors Ketcheson Ward

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,—I respectfully ask your votes and influence as a Candidate for Alderman for 1893. I am in favor of the reduction of aldermen to at least fourteen to be elected by the whole city. The present wards to remain intact. I will support all measures which as a citizen I think to be in the best interest of the present position and future progress of this city, believing neither in undue municipal extravagence nor in false economy.

WILLIAM N. PONTON.
Belleville, Dec. 1892.

WANTED.

A General Servant girl. Apply to
4t MRS. GEO. H. POPE.

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FOR

XMAS !

PIC NIC SETS
TRAVELLING SETS,
CURLING SETS,
BRUSH AND COMB SETS
BON-BON BOXES,
JEWEL BOXES
HANDKERCHIEF SATCHETS
Perfume in Cut Glass and Fancy Bottles.

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85C WILL BUY

1 Set Mrs. Pott's Irons, (full weight and finely finished) containing 3 Irons, one Handle and Stand.
Or it will buy 1 Set Plated Glass Bread and Cake Knives, These goods are the best.

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MAYORALTY.

Ladies and Gentlemen.

Having been requested by a large number of influential electors of the city of Belleville to offer myself for Mayor for 1893, I have consented to do so, and now respectfully solicit your votes and influence. I have resided in the city six years, three of which I have served in the city council and school board. I would respectfully refer you to my work therein. I come out as a business man having had 20 years business experience in different parts of Canada, which is of great service to anyone in filling the civic chair. I have chosen Belleville as my home and have invested all my capital in and around the city, and my interests being centered here I will if elected, do all in in my power as I have done heretofore, to advance the best interests of the city. I strongly urge the reduction of the number of Aldermen and shall use every endeavor to carry into effect the proposal made by me to the council in respect to it last year.

I have also in view the grave necessity of getting the city in the best sanitary condition possible to enable us better to cope with the cholera epidemic should it reach us next year.

HARRY FOWELL

Everything fresh and new for Xmas. People tell us, our store never looked so pretty as now. Such a variety of nice Confectionery, Florida Oranges, Valencia Oranges, Almira Grapes, Choice Figs, new Golden Dates, new Nuts, etc.

H. C. DICKENS & SON

P. S.—Xmas Cakes going very fast but a nice lot to choose from yet,

MAYORALTY

To the Electors of the City of Belleville :

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN :

I respectfully solicit your votes and influence for Mayor of the City of Belleville for 1893. I was born in Belleville have lived among you all my life, and am personally known to most of you.

I have been an alderman in the City Council for four years and during that time have endeavored to represent you straightforwardly and faithfully. My platform is "Economy" in city affairs. If elected I will exert myself to further the best interests o the city.

Yours respectfully,

Francis S. Wallbridge.

MAYORALTY.

To the Electors of my Native City :

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN :

For years past I have had the offer of support for the Civic Chair, but at the present time to many of my old friends have brought more pressure to bear than I can decently withstand. I have been asked to stand for the highest position that the citizens can confer on any one. Among the men who offer me their support are to be found Irishmen, Englishmen, Dutchmen, Frenchmen and now and then a Scotchmen, besides a good many Canadians. To the electors I am no stranger. I have been a member of the City Council for the greater part of a quarter of a century and during that time have done what I felt was for the best interest of the city and will continue on the same line if successful at the coming election. I am in favor of strict economy in city affairs and decrease of our indebtedness. At the nomination I will freely give my views on the situation, and with much respect ask that when you mark your ballot you will not forget

A. T. PETRIE.
Belleville, Dec. 20, 1892

CHRISTMAS CHEER

AND

TABLE DELICACIES

FINEST TABLE RAISINS
FINEST TABLE FIGS
FINEST MALAGA GRAPES
FINEST FLORIDA ORANGES
FINE TABLE PRUNES
FINE TURKISH DATES

New Grenoble Walnuts
New Soft-shell Almonds,
New Sicily Filberts,
New Pecan Nuts,

BISCUITS.

VANILLA SUGAR WAFERS
CHOCOLATE SUGAR WAFERS
LEMON SUGAR WAFERS
RASPBERRY SUGAR WAFERS
SALTED SEAFOAM WAFERS
SALTED SNOWFLAKE WAFERS

CHEESE.

Genuine Roquefort Cheese,
MacLaren's Imperial Cheese [in small
Canadian Stilton Cheese [crocks]
Prime old Cheddar Cheese, 1st prize

CROSSE & BLACKWELL'S JAMS AND JELLIES !

CANNED FRUITS & VEGETABLES

Canned Pineapples, Canned Peach
British Columb. Egg Plums,
French Mushrooms, French Mushrooms,
[In glass bottles] [In tins]
French Peas, [In tins]
Canned String Beans, Canned Green Peas,
Canned Sugar Corn, Canned Tomatoes.

CROSSE & BLACKWELL'S PICKLES

Pickled Walnuts, Pickled White Onions
Pickled Girkins, Pickled Chow Chow
Mixed Pickles, Olives

Christmas Confectionery.

A FINE ASSORTMENT.

FINE BREAKFAST TEAS,
COFFEES, COCOAS,
AND CHOCOLATES

Fearman's and Lowry's Celebrated Christmas Hams and Bacon.

BALTIMORE OYSTERS
[Direct from the Packers]

Christmas Wines.

POMMERY SEC CHAMPAGNE
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SPARKLING SAUMUR

FINEST OLD PORTS AND SHERRIES.
California Angelica, California Port, Native Wines, St, Augustine, White Catawaba,

CLARETS, BURGUNDIES AND SAUTERNES

ALES AND PORTER.
Bass' English Ale. Guiness' Dublin Stout, Dow's India Pale Ale, Dows Sand Porter, Labatts Pale Ale, Carlings Ale, Davies Ale, etc.

IMPORTED GERMAN LAGER BIER.

IRISH AND SCOTCH WHISKIES.
Burke's Old Irish, J. Jamieson's Old Irish, W. Jamiesons Dublin Whiskey, Highland Blend, Bu lock Lade & Co's Loch Katrine Camlachie Malt, Sheriff's Old Islay, Old Gaelic Whiskey, Andrew Usher & Cos Old Vatted Glenlivat Whiskey:

BRANDIES !
Hennessy's V. O. Brandy,
Martell's V. O. Brandy,
Jules Robin & Co's Brandy

LIQUORS, Etc.
Booth's Old Tom Gin, Plymouth Gin,
Fine Old Jamaica Rum Angostura Bitters,
Ginger Wine, Ginger Ale,
Soda Water, Apollinaris Water
Vermouth Bitters.

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Beautiful Dress Patterns,
Embroidered Felt Skirts
Black Silk Dress for $10
Ladies Mantles & Ulsters
Wool Clouds and Shawls
Chenile Curtains & Cov'rs
Hemstitch'd Table Linens
Ladies Silk and Flannel Blouses
Kid and Lined Gloves
Silk Hdkfs from 25c
Embroid'd Linen hdkfs
Printed hdkfs from 3c ea.
Initial hdkfs, 13c each:
Ladies Hats and Bonnets at greatly reduc'd prices
Gents Neckties, Gloves,
Fancy Suspenders and Mufflers.

Brignall & Thompson

William A. Lehr

of Kendallville, Ind., says Hood's Hood's Sarsaparilla is

King of Medicines

And His Cure Was

Almost a Miracle

C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

"Gentlemen: When I was 14 years of age I was confined to my bed for several months by an attack of rheumatism, and when I had partially recovered I did not have the use of my legs, so that I had to go on crutches. About a year later, **Scrofula**, in the form of

White Swellings,

appeared on various parts of my body, and for eleven years I was an invalid, being **confined to my bed six years.** In that time ten or eleven of these sores appeared and broke, causing me great pain and suffering. Several times pieces of bone worked out of the sores. Physicians did not help me and

I Became Discouraged

"I went to Chicago to visit a sister, as it was thought a change of air and scene might do me good. But I was confined to my bed most of the time. I was so impressed with the success of Hood's Sarsaparilla in cases similar to mine that I decided to try it. So a bottle was bought, and to my great gratification the sores soon decreased, and I began to feel better. This strengthened my faith in the medicine, and in a short time I was

Up and Out of Doors

To make a long story short, I continued to take Hood's Sarsaparilla for a year, when I had become so fully released from the chains of disease that I took a position with the Flint & Walling Mfg. Co., and since that time have not lost a single day on account of sickness. I always feel well good spirits and have a good appetite. I endorse

Hood's Sarsaparilla

for it has been a great blessing to me, and to my friends my recovery seems almost miraculous. I think Hood's Sarsaparilla is the king of all medicines." WILLIAM A. LEHR, No. 9 North Railroad st., Kendallville, Ind.

Hood's Pills cure Biliousness.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

TAXES !

TAKE NOTICE

That 3 per cent. will be added to all unpaid Taxes after the end of this month, and after January 5 per cent
24th Dec , '92.

J. W. BUTTERFIELD,

COLLECTOR.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the shareholders of the Bay of Quinte Bridge Company will be held at the City Hall building in the city of Belleville, on Monday, the 9th day of January, 1893, at the hour of 8 o'clock, p m., for the purpose of receiving the report of the directors for the past year, for the election of directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of such other business as may be deemed proper and necessary.

U. E. THOMPSON,
Sec'y and Treas.
Belleville, Dec. 15, 1892. 2sd

NOTICE.

I am prepared to haul ice for any parties in the city wishing their ice houses filled. I have four horses and will attend all orders promptly and at cheap rates.

2t GEO. IRVINE,

QUEEN'S OPERA HOUSE

W. W. POWER, Manager

ONE NIGHT ONLY

THURSDAY EV'G, DEC 29

The Latest Comedy Success

BY WITS OUTWITTED

BY EDWARD OWINGS TOWNE

Preceded by a Beautiful Curtain Raiser

FOR SWEET CHARITY'S SAKE

BY E. O. TOWNE.

Brilliant Dialogue,
Clean Comedy
Humorous Situations

Presented by a Capable Company.

Flowers for Decoration

The subscriber has a quantity of cut flowers and bulbs suitable for Christmas decoration purposes.

S. J. WEDDEN,
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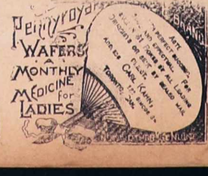
Near Albert College. Telephone A 130



FAST STEAMER SERVICE

TO BE GIVEN ON THE ATLANTIC BY THE C.P.R.

A Probable Arrangement With the Dominion Government by Which This Steamship Service Will be Operated in the Most Modern Style.

OTTAWA, Dec. 24.—It is understood here that the C. P. R. Co. have come to a definite understanding with the Government in the matter of placing a line of fast steamers for Atlantic service, and that the service will be in operation in 1893.

The statement of exports for November is not so favorable as some recent months, the total exports being $11,829,924, as compared with $16,203,075 in November of last year. The falling off in goods the produce of Canada is $2,330,929 and in produce of other countries $2,042,222. The falling off in both cases is principally in agricultural products, the shipments of which in November last year were exceptionally large, and the price of wheat then, it must be remembered, was about 30 cents a bushel more than it is now.

Taking the five months of the fiscal year, however, the outlook is still very encouraging, the total exports of goods, the produce of Canada, showing an increase of $5,256,942. The produce of other countries, however, shows a considerable decrease, being $3,251,793, which is wholly in agricultural products, which shows that the amount of American grain which found an outlet through Canada this year was very considerably less than last year.

The value of goods entered for consumption in November was $9,797,979, an increase of $1,378,263 over last November. For the five months the total entered for consumption was $52,066,414, an increase of $3,572,277 over same period last year.

As the imports show an increase, the duty collected naturally does so too. The amount collected for November was $1,580,873, and for the five months $8,926,818, showing an increase of $814,098.

To-day's Canada Gazette will contain the formal notice of the calling to the Senate of Hon. Messrs. Angers and Kirchhoffer, and of the election of Mr. McInerny for Kent and Hon. W. B. Ives for Sherbrooke.

Chief Justice Sullivan has been appointed administrator of the Government of Prince Edward Island during the absence on leave of Lieutenant-Governor Carvell.

Notice will appear to-morrow of the appointment of F. C. Thompson, postmaster of Sherbrooke, as assistant postoffice inspector of the Montreal postal division of Sherbrooke, and of Hon. J. G. Robertson as postmaster of Sherbrooke.

William Moyes of St. Mary's has been appointed Collector of Customs.

VERDICT FOR $130

Against the Nurseryman Charged With Pretty Sharp Dodges.

CHATHAM, Ont., Dec. 24.—The spruce tree case of Gray and Wilson was resumed yesterday before Judge Bell. The jury brought in a verdict for the plaintiff for $130.

The judge took the question of costs into consideration. Mr. Wilson states that he will appeal the case.

Wilson was charged with taking orders for boxes of trees, each box to contain 100, and that he jammed in several hundred in a box and worked a skin game on his customers.

SUING FOR DAMAGES.

Mrs. Grimason Who Had Such a Thrilling Experience on Suspension Bridge.

TORONTO, Dec. 24.—Mrs. Grimason, who had such a thrilling experience at Suspension Bridge last September, through her solicitors, Messrs. Gibson & Snider, yesterday commenced an action against the Clifton Suspension Bridge Co. for $10,000 damages. It will be remembered that Mrs. Grimason slipped through the bridge and would have lost her life had it not been for the bravery of her companion, an Irish clergyman, who was a delegate to the Pan-Presbyterian Council.

LOOKING FOR HIS FATHER.

The Queer Predicament of a Canadian Boy in Buffalo.

TORONTO, Dec. 2.—Little Jimmie Smith of Toronto told Patrolman McGuirk a queer story when he met him in Main-street, Buffalo, last night.

Jimmie is 14 years old. A week ago his father went to Buffalo to get work as a carpenter. He left a wife and seven children in Canada and soon sent back to have Jimmie come on. His wife wrote Monday and the boy arrived yesterday. The letter had stated that Smith was boarding at 81 South Division-street. The boy had been there, but his father was not known at the house.

One of the boarders went with Jimmie to the postoffice and the letter written by Mrs. Smith Monday was found there. The boy was given a supper and lodged at the police station.

THE STRIKE OVER.

Nova Scotia Coal Miners Have Returned to Work

SPRINGHILL MINE, N.S., Dec. 24.—The strike is over and the men will resume work at once. The strikers won the case.

Death of a Millionaire.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 24.—James Phelan, the capitalist, one of the best-known California pioneers, died Friday, after an illness of several days. He was born at Grantstown, Queen's County, Ireland, in 1821, and came to the United States when a boy.

He shipped the first cargo of wheat from San Francisco to Great Britain, and established the first national bank in this city. Mr. Phelan leaves an estate valued at several millions.

Five Stores Burned.

HAGERSVILLE, Ont., Dec. 24.—A fire at 4 o'clock yesterday laid in ashes the stores of J. J. Smith, tailor; B. Griffith, jeweler; Stuart, butcher; Lindsay, tailor, and his dwelling; Lewis, millinery and dressmaking. Supposedly incendiary.

Gas Exploded.

DULUTH, Minn., Dec. 24.—Yesterday there was an explosion of gas in the Chapin & Wells hardware store. Immediately after flames shot out which destroyed the entire structure and its contents, valued at $200,000.

Eleven Men Injured.

BALTIMORE, Md., Dec. 24.—The supports to the roof of the Porter House, which is building for the City Passenger Railway Company, fell yesterday and 11 men were badly injured, one fatally.

Reduction of Wages.

LONDON, Dec. 24.—The employes of all the glass works in Leeds have received notices of a reduction in wages of three shillings a week. The cause of the reduction is dulness in trade. The men intend to resist.

A Desolating Fire.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Dec. 22.—Fire at Duquesne destroyed six dwellings and for a time threatened the whole village. Twelve families were left homeless. Loss $15,000.

A HUMANE POLICY.

The Irish Secretary is Receiving Many Telegrams of Congratulations.

LONDON, Dec. 24.—Four of the Irishmen convicted in October, 1889, of having been accessories to the killing of Inspector Martin in Gweedore will be liberated to-morrow.

Martin was murdered by a mob while he was trying to arrest Father McFadden.

The Healyites are hopeful that they will secure the speedy release of James Egan, the American dynamiter, and are already boasting that while the Parnellites are spouting from platforms private effort is accomplishing what is most desired.

Mr. Morley, Irish Secretary, is receiving many telegrams of congratulations and thanks in acknowledgment of these last developments of his humane policy.

Cholera Increasing.

VIENNA, Dec. 24.—Cholera is increasing in the Province of Lublin, in Russian Poland. The consternation caused by the ravages of the plague last autumn is again aroused, and many persons are fleeing from the stricken districts.

Two new cases of Asiatic cholera were reported at Hamburg and two of the patients who had previously been removed to the hospital died.

Mrs. Langtry Has a Relapse.

LONDON, Dec. 24.—It is reported that Mrs. Langtry has suffered a relapse and is again seriously ill.

High Price for Poems.

LONDON, Dec. 24.—The original manuscript of "Poems by Two Brothers," by Alfred Tennyson and his brother Charles, were sold yesterday for £480.

Davitt is Unseated.

DUBLIN, Dec. 24.—The court yesterday rendered a decision depriving Michael Davitt as M.P. for North Meath of his seat.

MURDER OVER CARDS.

Two Young Men of the Maritime Province Dispute a Game.

HALIFAX, Dec. 24.—Dennis Hyson and William Mader of Mahone Bay, a village in Lunenburg County, disputed over a game of cards last night. Mader stabbed Hyson in the leg and he bled to death in five minutes. The disputants were aged about 30 and unmarried. Mader is in jail.

Bradstreet's Report.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Some gain in the volume of general trade is reported from the Canadian Dominion, due to cold weather. After a temporary tightness in the Montreal money market, funds there are easier again. The banks have plenty of funds, but are holding large balances.

Toronto reports several lots of flour taken for export. Halifax wires that 1000 Nova Scotia coal miners have struck, and a new tariff to favor importations from France only will go into effect in St. Pierre-Miquelon next month.

Bank clearings at the Dominion cities named, with those at Hamilton, equal $21,097,000 this week, a decrease of nearly 3 per cent. from last week, but an increase of 7 per cent. from the total one year ago.

There are 25 business failures reported from the Dominion this week, against 30 last week.

Actor Townsend Dead.

HAMILTON, Dec. 24.—John Townsend, the veteran actor, died last night. Three of his children survive him. They are Florence, Mrs. Allen of Toronto; George of Toronto, and Harry, who is an actor. The remains will be interred on Sunday afternoon with Masonic honors.

The career of this genial man has been a checkered one. Less than 40 years ago he was in the heyday of prosperity in the British metropolis, and was a noted entertainer of the nobility at his country home in Greenwich, as well as a prince among the benevolent. His popularity got him the nomination for the representation of that city in the Imperial Parliament, and he was elected, defeating his titled opponent by a large majority. His victory, however, was dearly won. It cost him a fortune; it left him bankrupt, and he had to seek on the stage, at home and abroad, that livelihood which might easily have been earned by him if he had remained out of public life. For some years the aged actor lived in a humble way in Hamilton, eking out an exstence by the teaching of elocution. When that failed him he received assistance from kind friends, who took compassion on him in his straits. The ending of honest John Townsend's life is a sad illustration of the ups and downs of the human race.

FOUND A CLAIM IN THE SAFE.

Peculiar Circumstances in Connection With a Case of Alleged Perjury.

TORONTO, Dec. 24.—John Bethel, for many years a carriage builder was arrested last night by Detective Harrison on at the corner of Elizabeth and Albert-streets, a warrant charging him with perjury. He was released on two sureties of $200 each. To the officer he said he owed a firm in Brantford which had lately become insolvent. The party making the charge of perjury against him had bought the assets of the bankrupt firm and claimed the debt owed by Bethel. Bethel made an affidavit that his note was not in the safe the complainant bought, and it was because of this statement that he is charged with perjury.

Will Travel Without Portfolio.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—Secretary of State Foster will resign his portfolio before leaving for Paris, where he goes to act as agent for the United States before the Behring Sea arbitrators, who are to meet Feb. 23. As only three weeks will elapse between the date of the Secretary's departure and the end of the present administration, the vacancy will not be filled. Assistant Secretary Wharton will act during the interim.

Planing Mills Burned.

ST. THOMAS, Ont., Dec. 24.—The extensive planing mills and sash and door factory of J. M. Green, this city, was burned to the ground about 1 o'clock Friday morning. The loss will be very heavy, as the bulk of machinery and completed stock stored in the building was destroyed. Estimated loss over $10,000; insurance about $5000.

Peel County Candidates.

BRAMPTON, Ont., Dec. 24.—Nominations of candidates to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of K. Chisholm in the Legislature were made yesterday. The Liberals nominated John Smith. Miles Washington Cook, an independent Liberal, was also nominated. These men will contest the riding.

Four Prisoners Escape.

WABASH, Ind., Dec. 24.—About 1 o'clock yesterday four of the six prisoners in the Wabash county jail effected their escape by sawing the bars leading into the corridor, removing the bolts which held the grating of an outside window and squeezing through the narrow aperture.

Gotham's Curlers Here Next Week.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Four New York curling clubs will leave for Utica next Tuesday morning. They will play against the Utica Club Tuesday afternoon for the Crawford Cup. They will go to Toronto Thursday, where they will have match games with Canadian clubs.

Another Appointment.

OTTAWA, Dec. 22.—William G. Parmeele, Commissioner of Customs, has been appointed Deputy Minister of Trade and Commerce. He will also act as Chief Comptroller of Chinese Immigration.

MYSTERY OF MAN SOLV[ED]

REMARKABLE SURGICAL OPERATI[ON] IN NEW YORK.

A Boy Practically Dead Brought Back [to] Life—His Intestines Were Remo[ved] and Cleaned—He is Getting Al[ong] Nicely.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—The medical [pro]fession is stirred, so far as it is fami[liar] with the facts in the case, by the detail[s of] a remarkable surgical operation perfor[med] within a few days by Dr. Albert Shou[...] No. 335 West Twenty third-street. [The] fact accomplished is no less than the br[ing]ing back to life of a person practically d[ead] as the term is usually understood.

Among the many wonderful cases repo[rted] in recent years probably not one has b[een] marked by features as unique as tha[t of] which Jimmy McCaughry is the li[ving] example. The patient, 10 years old, is [the] son of a New York merchant, lately [de]ceased, living at No. 440 West 19th-str[eet].

The physician was called to the case in the evening, and when he reached [the] house at 11 p.m. the patient had [all the] marked symptoms of appendicitis, or a[s it] is vulgarly called inflammation of the in[tes]tine. Though the seat of the trouble [was] not apparent, the diagnosis made plain [the] fact that the sufferer was doomed as [far as] could be determined by precedents in s[imi]lar cases.

On the advice of the physician the m[em]bers of the family were told of the gra[vity] of the case, and when next morning a v[ery] sizable lump was observed near the seat [of] the inflammation, the diagnosis was ju[sti]fied and the trouble was said to be an [ab]cess around the vermiform appendix.

An operation was recommended at o[nce] but was delayed until the arrival of r[ela]tives who had been summoned in antic[ipa]tion of the near approach of death. It [was] 3 o'clock the next afternoon when the [sur]geon was called and directed to proc[eed]. When he arrived it was discovered that [the] abscess had broken, thus covering the [in]testines with liberated matter. In this c[ase] it was clear to the scientific mind that [the] boy was dying.

The doctor told the family that dis[solu]tion would take place within an hour, [and] that though it was possible an opera[tion] might result successfully, the chances w[ere] many time against it. Permission to [pro]ceed was given, it being understood [that] in any event of failure to secure relief [the] end would not be hastened more than [a few] minutes.

The patient was placed on a table while under the influence of a slight [an]aesthetic, an opening about eight in[ches] long was made in the walls of the abdo[men]. From the incision there at once w[as a] plenteous flow of pus. No sooner had [this] taken place than the pulse ceased to b[eat], the heart stopped, the jaw dropped [and] every evidence of the most complete lapse betokened the presence of death.

The glassy eyes upturned, the coldne[ss of] the extremities and the death-sweat which the body was covered left no d[oubt] in the minds of those present that the [ex]periment had resulted fatally.

At this point the surgeon's tact was played.

With one hand he tore open the wo[und] while with the other he emptied the [con]tents of a pitcher of hot water into [the] abdominal cavity. For a brief interval fluttering renewal of the action of the h[eart] was apparent only to the practised me[dical] eye, but soon the pulsation grew stro[nger] and ere long the patient gave unmistak[able] signs of returning consciousness.

Then the eyes were opened in a da[zed] sort of way, as if the subject were awa[ken]ing from a deep sleep. The action of [the] hot water having neutralized the effe[ct of] the ether that had been given, the pat[ient] was aided to retain the ground gaine[d by] the administration of hypodermic injecti[ons]. With a new lease of life there was a ch[ance] for the surgeon to look for the seat of [the] abscess. After several fruitless effort[s to] do this it was decided to remove a por[tion] of the intestines.

For their better protection they w[ere] wrapped in a towel warmed by dippin[g it] in hot water and placed on the table by [the] patient's side. Thus, with room to w[ork], the walls of the cavity were explored, the abscess sack being found and suc[cess]fully removed. Then the seat of the tro[uble] was reached and the foreign subst[ance] which had caused all the inflammation, the appendix was removed.

Next the abdominal cavity was thoro[ugh]ly cleansed antiseptically, and after the[y] had been washed from the exposed port[ion] of the intestines they were returned to t[heir] place. Before this was done, howeve[r, a] drainage tube of about eight inches in le[ngth] was inserted so as to lead to the [...] bowels. The wound was then closed [and] the sufferer left in charge of the surge[on's] assistant and a trained nurse.

Remarkable as the operation is, it is more marvelous that every day since [the] patient has gained in strength and is [now] convalescent. Frequent examinations [have] been made of the progress of affairs in [the] patient's abdomen, and as fast as exped[ient] the drainage tube is withdrawn, until only about three inches remain in servic[e].

Operations for the removal of the ve[rmi]form appendix by no means are uncom[mon], but the surgeon's knife rarely is sanctio[ned] by experienced practitioners in the c[ase] with physical conditions as extreme [as] those in the one here cited. Some idea [of] the interest manifested in the case ma[y be] gained from the statement that for sev[eral] days efforts have been made to obtain [the] details without success.

From the points here given it is clai[med] that medical men believe it to have [been] determined that no case of appendicitis [need] necessarily be regarded as fatal.

PLUNGED INTO THE BAY.

A Street Car Accident Fatally Injur[es a] Man and Hurts Three Women.

SEATTLE, Wash., Dec. 24.—A car on West-street and North End electric [line] jumped the track yesterday and pl[ung]ed into the bay. A man named Ga[...] was fatally injured and three female [pas]sengers were severely hurt.

The motor-man and conductor sank [with] the car, but escaped.

The accident was caused by the [...] blockade. The first cars began to ru[n to]day.

Sullivan Shooting Case.

ST. THOMAS, Ont., Dec. 24.—The jur[y in] the Sullivan shooting case failed to [agree] and has been discharged. The case wi[ll be] tried again next court. Sullivan [fired] three bullets into Miss Henderson, [with] whom he boarded, and is charged wit[h in]tent to murder.

Talmage's Tabernacle Released.

BROOKLYN, Dec. 24.—The lien [on] Talmage's church was paid Friday [and the] sheriff who has been in possession [has] moved.

Steamship Movements.

Date.	Name.	Reported at.	
Dec. 23	Nomandie	Queenstown	Ne[w York]
"	City of Chester	Queenstown	Ne[w York]

Fire in Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Dec. 22.—T[he] dressgoods and clothes mills of F[...] man & Co. were burned yeste[rday]. $235,000; covered by insurance.

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The ONTARIO has the Largest one-fifth Circulation of any Paper in the Midland District.

THE COAL OIL MONOPOLY.

The Montreal Star has entered a crusade against the duty on coal oil. In a recent issue it says:—It is apparently difficult for the Canadian people to comprehend how shamelessly they are being overtaxed on coal oil. The figures are staggering; and, when face to face with them, they imagine either that we must be boggling them with jugglery of the wholesale and retail prices and of the two kinds of gallon measures, or else that the statements made are mistaken or false. Some time ago we stated that good coal oil, such as we import here, was sold in Portland at the rate of twelve cents an Imperial (Canadian) gallon; a similar oil being sold here for twenty-eight cents. Some doubt arose as to the ability of this American oil to pass our high Canadian fire test—higher for the American product than our own—which led a Montreal importer to test the question by obtaining samples of the oil sold in American cities and to submit them to our Inland Revenue inspectors. The samples were obtained from the cities of Rochester and Boston.

From Rochester, the wholesale dealer supplying the sample, Mr. Eve est, of the Vacuum Oil Co., writes that the sample is "the better quality coal oil sold in this market." It is delivered from tank waggons to retail grocers at 4½ cents a wine gallon and is retailed from house to house by peddlers at 8 to 10 cents per wine gallon. Translated into Imperial gallons, these latter figures mean 9 3-5 to 12 cents a gallon.

In the case of Boston, Mr. Carter, of the Maverick Oil Co., supplies the sample which he calls "Water White 150 test." "We sell it," he writes, "from tank waggons to the retail grocers at 5¾ cents per gallon, and it is sold to families all the way from 7 cents to 10 cents." Turning the American wine gallon into our Imperial gallon, these retail prices mean 8 2-5 to 12 cents a gallon.

To make sure that this oil could be sold in Canada, these two samples were submitted to Mr. Thos. Fox, Inland Revenue officer; and, after inspecting them, he gave the following certificate:

Inland Revenue, Canada; Division No. 17
Montreal.
December 8, 1892.

DEAR SIR,
I have tested the two samples of American refined oils received here on the 6th inst., one from Boston, the other from Rochester, N.Y.

They are first-rate oils and stand a test much higher than the Governmental requirement.

I am, yours truly,
THOMAS FOX,
Inspector, etc.

This means, taking the lowest prices in both places, that coal oil sells at 8 1-2 cents in Boston which can only be got for 28 cents here. The Boston housewife takes three "dimes" out to the door and comes back with three gallons of coal oil in her can, and four cents in her hand. The Montreal housewife takes out her three "dimes," and returns with only one gallon of coal oil and two cents. This is the result of the Canadian tariff and kindred governmental restrictions on the importation of petroleum.

It is worth while noting, roughly, how this enormous advance in price is built up. It is plain at once that the bare duty cannot do it all. The duty stands at 7 1-5 cents per Imperial gallon, or about 200 per cent. on the wholesale price of the oil in the oil regions. To this there is a legitimate addition for freight, when Montreal is compared with Rochester or Boston; and also Inland Revenue officer's inspection fee of 30 cents a barrel.

But here we leave the plain enactments of the tariff—iniquitous as they are—and enter a region of indirect protection; which, protection itself being indirect taxation, has all the haziness of double indirectness. The requirement that the Canadian importer must bring in his oil in barrels containing not more than fifty gallons each, has several effects:

1. It prohibits the importer taking advantage of the universal method, both in Canada and the States, of having his oil pumped into tank cars at the refiner's, and dealing with it in large tanks down to the retailer's door.

2. It compels him to buy high priced barrels in the oil regions, thus entirely shutting out the Canadian cooper.

3. It makes him pay freight on these barrels from Pennsylvania to Montreal.

4. It hinders him from having economical terminal facilities at Montreal, which do so much to lower the price of oil in large American cities.

5. It brings losses in leakage and compels extra handling several times over.

6. It mulcts him of the duty on the barrel (40 cents each).

These provisions are simply so much more protection given in disguise to the Petrolea industry. With 200 per cent. protection in customs fee, they dared not have asked more; but there are other ways of taxing commerce than the levying of duties. The oil men appeal unto the N.P! But if they were given the N.P., with its five-and-thirty per cent. protection, and without any of the costly restrictions in the shipping of oil, would they be satisfied? Still in the name of common justice to the oil consumers of the country, they should have no protection, direct or indirect, which puts oil at 28 cents in Montreal which sells at 8½ cents in Boston or 12 cents in Ogdensburg.

The Mythological Fates

"Somewhere on the unknown shore,
Where the streams of life their waters pour
There sit three sisters, ever more
Weaving a silken thread."

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Monthly Prizes for Boys and Girls.

The "Sunlight" Soap, Co. Toronto, offer the following prizes every month till further notice, to boys and girls under 16 residing in the Province of Ontario, who send the greatest number of "Sunlight" wrappers 1st, $10; 2nd $6; 3rd, $3; 4th, $1; 5th to 14th 1 Handsome Book; and a pretty picture to those who send not less than 12 wrappers. Send wrappers to "Sunlight" Soap Office, 43 Scott St., Toronto not later than 29th of each month, and marked "Competition"; and give full name address, age, and number of wrappers. Winners names will be published in The Toronto Mail first Saturday of each month

GOD AMONG THE STARS.

AN ELOQUENT SERMON ON THE ASTRONOMY OF THE BIBLE.

"It is He That Buildeth His Stories in the Heavens"—Our World is a Sisterhood of Light Moving Round a Great Homestead Which is Heaven.

BROOKLYN, December 18th.—Rev. Dr. Talmage to-day preached the first of a promised series of sermons on God in the natural world as disclosed in the Bible. The subject chosen for the initial sermon was, "The Astronomy of the Bible; or God among the Stars," the text being from Amos 9; 6: "It is He that buildeth His stories in the heavens." Preceding the sermon the great congregation sang Isaac Watts' hymn:

The heavens declare thy glory, Lord.
In every star thy wisdom shines.

That is first-rate poetry from Amos, the herdsman. While guarding his flock at night, he got watching the heavens. He saw stars above stars, and the universe seemed to him like a great mansion many stories high, silver room above silver room, silver pillars beside silver pillars, and windows of silver and doors of silver, and turrets and domes of silver rising into the immensities, and the prophet's sanctified imagination walks through that great silver palace of the universe, through the first story, through the second story, through the third story, through the twentieth story, through the hundredth story, through the thousandth story, and realizing that God is the architect and carpenter and mason of all that upheaved splendor, he cries out in the words of the text: "It is He that buildeth His stories in the heavens."

My hearers, it is time that we widened out and heightened our religious thoughts. In our pulpits and Sabbath classes and Christian work of all sorts we ring the changes on a few verses of Scripture until they excite no interest. Many of the best parts of the Bible have never yet been preached from or indeed even noticed. Hence I to-day begin a series of sermons, not for consecutive Sabbath mornings, but as often as I think best for variety's sake, on the astronomy of the Bible or God among the Stars, the Geology of the Bible or God among the Rocks, the Ornithology of the Bible or God among the Birds, the Ichthyology of the Bible or God among the Fishes, the Pomology of the Bible or God among the Orchards, the Precious Stones of the Bible or God among the Amethysts, the Conchology of the Bible or God among the Shells, the Botany of the Bible or God among the Flowers, the Chronology of the Bible or God among the Centuries. The fact is that we have all spent too much time on one story of the great mansion of God's universe. We need occasionally to go upstairs or downstairs in this mansion; downstairs and in the cellar study the rocks, or upstairs and see God in some of the higher stories, and learn the meaning of the text when it says: "It is He that buildeth His stories in the heaven."

Astronomy was born in Chaldea. Its mother was Astrology, or the science of foretelling events by juxtaposition of stars. The Orients, living much out of doors and in a very clear atmosphere, through which the stars shone especially lustrous, got the habit of studying the night heavens. In the hot seasons caravans journeyed chiefly at night, and that gave travellers much opportunity of stellar information. On the first page of the Bible the sun and moon and stars roll in. The sun, a body nearly three million miles in circumference and more than twelve thousand times as large as our earth; the moon, more than two thousand miles in diameter. But God is used to doing things on such an omnipotent scale that he takes only one verse to tell of this stellar and lunar manufacture. Yea, in three words all the other words are thrown in. The record says, "The stars also!" It takes whole pages for a man to extol the making of a telescope or microscope or a magnetic telegraph or a thrashing machine, or to describe a fine painting or statue, but it was so easy for God to hang the celestial upholstery that the story is compassed in one verse: God made two great lights, the greater light to rule the day and the lesser light to rule the night. "The stars also!" Astronomers have been trying to call the roll of them ever since, and they have counted multitudes of them passing in review before the observatories built at vast expense, and the size and number of those heavenly bodies have taxed to the utmost the scientists of all ages. But God finishes all He has to say about them in three words, "The stars also!" That is Mars, with its more than fifty-five million square miles, and Venus, with its more than 191 million square miles, and Saturn, with its more than nineteen billion square miles, and Jupiter, with its more than twenty-four billion square miles, and all the planets of our system of more than seventy-eight billion square miles, and these stars of our system, when compared with the stars of the other systems, as a handful of sand compared with all the Rocky Mountains and all the Alps. "The stars also!" For brevity, for ponderosity, for splendor, for suggestiveness, for sublimity piled on sublimity, these words excel all that human speech ever uttered or human imagination ever soared after. "The stars also!" It is put in as you write a postscript—something you thought of afterwards—as hardly worth putting into the body of a letter. "The stars also!"

Read on in your Bibles, and after awhile the Bible flashes with the Aurora Borealis or Northern Lights, that strange illumination, as mysterious and undefined now as when in the book of Job it was written: "Men see not the bright light which is in the clouds. Fair weather cometh out of the North." While all the nations supposed that the earth was built on a foundation of some sort, and many supposed that it stood on a huge turtle, or some great marine creature, Job knew enough of astronomy to say it had no foundation but was suspended on the invisible arm of the Almighty, declaring that "He hangeth the earth upon nothing." While all nations thought the earth was level, the sky spread over it like a tent over a flat surface, Isaiah declared the world to be globular, circular, saying of God: "He sitteth upon the circle of the earth." See them glitter in the scriptual sky—Arcturus, Orion, the Pleiades, and the "Bear with her young." While running your fingers among the leaves of your Bible with the astronomical thought in your mind, you see two worlds stop—the sun and the moon. But what does that Christian know about that miracle who does not understand something of those two luminaries? Unless you watch modern astronomy, put those two worlds in its steelyards and weigh them, you are as ignorant as a hottentot about the stupendousness of that scene in the life of Joshua. The sun over three hundred thousand times as heavy as our earth and going thousands of miles the hour. Think of stopping that and starting it again without the shipwreck of the universe! But I can easily believe it. What confounds me is not that He could stop and start again those two worlds in Joshua's time, but that He could have made the wheel of worlds of which the sun and moon are only cogs, and keep that wheel rolling for thousands of years—the fly-wheel of all eternity! If an engineer can start a long train, it is not surprising that he can stop it. If God could make and move the universe, which is an express train drawn by an omnipotent engine, I am not surprised that for a part of a day He could put down the brakes on two pieces of the rotating machinery. Infidelity is hard up for ground of complaint against the Scriptures when it finds fault with that cessation of stellar and lunar travel. Here is my watch. I could not make a watch if I tried, but I can stop it and start it again. My difficulty is not that God could stop two worlds and start them again, but that He could make them at all as He did make them. What pleases me and astounds me more is that each one of the millions of worlds has a God-given name. Only a comparatively small number of them have names given them by scientists. If star in all immensity. Inspired David declares of God: "He telleth the number of the stars, he calleth them all by their names." They are not orphans that have never been christened. They are not waifs of the night. They are not unknown ships on the high seas of immensity. They belong to a family of which God is the father, and as you call your children Benjamin or Mary or Bertha or Addison or Josephine, so He calls all the infant worlds and all the adult worlds by their first name, and they know it as well as though there were only one child of light in all the divine family. "He calleth them all by their names," and when He calls, I warrant they come.

Oh, the stars! Those vestal fires kept burning on infinite altars. Those lighthouses on the coast of eternity. The hands and weights and pendulum of the great clock of the universe. According to Herschel, the so-called fixed stars not fixed at all, but each one a sun with a mighty system of worlds rolling round it, and this whole system with all the other systems rolling on around some other great centre. Millions and millions, billions and billions, trillions and trillions, quadrillions and quadrillions."

But what gladdens me, and at the same time overwhelms me, is that those worlds are inhabited. The Bible says so, and what a small idea you must have of God and his dominion if you think it only extends across the chip of a world which you and I now inhabit. Have you taken this idea of all the other worlds being inhabited as human guesswork? Read Isaiah, 45th chapter, 18th verse: "Thus saith the Lord that created the heavens, God himself that formed the earth, and made it; He hath established it, He created it not in vain, He formed it to be inhabited." Now, it he inhabited the earth so that it would not be created in vain, would he make worlds hundreds and thousands of times larger and not have them inhabited. Speaking of the inhabitants of this world, He says: "The nations are as the drop of a bucket." If all the inhabitants of this world are as a drop of a bucket, where are the other drops of a bucket? Again and again the Bible speaks of the host of heaven, and the word "host" means living creatures, not mere masses, and the expression "hosts of heaven" must mean inhabitants of other worlds.

Without any telescope and without any observatory and without any astronomical calculations, I know that the other worlds are inhabited, because my Bible and my common sense tell me so. It has been intimated that in the worlds belonging to our solar system there is room for at least twenty-five trillion of population. And I believe it is all occupied or will be occupied by inteligent beings. God will not fill them with brutes. He would certainly put into these worlds beings intelligent enough to appreciate the architecture, the coloring, the grandeur, the beauty, the harmony of their surroundings. Yea, the inhabitants of these worlds have capacity of locomotion like ours, for they would not have had such spacious opportunity for movement if they had not powers of motion. Yea, they have sight, else why the light; and hearing, else how get on with necessary language and how clear themselves from advancing perils. Yea, as God made our human race in His own image, He probably made the inhabitants of other worlds in His own image; in other words, it is as near demonstration as I care to have it, that while the inhabitants of other worlds have adaptations of bodily structure to the particular climate in which they dwell, there is yet similarity of mental and spiritual characteristics among all the inhabitants of the universe of God, and made in His image they are made wonderfully alike

Now, what would be the practical result of this discussion founded on Scripture and common-sense? It is first of all to enlarge our ideas of God, and so intensify our admiration and worship. Under such consideration, how much more graphic the Bible question which seems to roll back the sleeve of the Almighty, and say: "Hast thou an arm like God?" The contemplation also encourages us with the thought that if God made all these worlds and populated them, it will not be very much of an undertaking for Him to make our little world over again, and reconstruct the character of its population as by grace they are to be reconstructed.

What a monstrosity of ignorance that the majority of Christian people listen not to the voices of other worlds, although the Book says, "The heavens declare the glory of God," and, again, "The works of the Lord are great and to be sought out." How much have you sought them out? You have been satisfying yourself with some things about Christ, but have you noticed that Paul calls you to consider Christ as the Creator of other worlds, "by Whom also He made the World's." It is time you Christians start on a world hunt. That is the chief reason why God makes the night, that you may see other worlds. Go out to-night and look up at the great clock of the heavens. Listen to the silvery chime of the midnight sky. See that your children and grandchildren mount the heavens with telescope for alpenstock, leaping from acclivity of light to acclivity of light. Thank God that we now know where our own world is, bounded on all sides by realms of glory instead of being where Hesiod in his poetry described it to be, namely, half way between Heaven and hell, an anvil hurled out of Heaven, taking ten days to strike the earth, and hurled out of earth taking ten more days to strike perdition.

From the high heaven a brazen anvil cast,
Nine days and nights in rapid whirls would last;
And reach the earth the tenth; whence strongly hurled,
The same the passage to th' infernal world.

I thank God that we have found out that our world is not half-way between heaven and hell, but is in a sisterhood of light, and that this sisterhood joins all the other sisterhoods of the worlds, moving round some good homestead, which is no doubt Heaven, where God is, and our departed Christian friends are, and we ourselves through pardoning mercy expect to become, permanent residents.

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SCANDAL ON SCANDAL

A DEPUTY'S ASSERTION ABOUT THE CANAL AFFAIR.

The French Government is Prepared to Defend the Republic—A Vote of Confidence Carried By a Large Majority—A Journalist Denies Being Bribed.

PARIS, Dec. 24.—The Chamber of Deputies this afternoon voted confidence in the Government by a large majority.

There was another lively scene in the Chamber of Deputies to-day when Premier Ribot presented himself to answer the interpellation of M. Millivoy relative to the charge that money advanced by the Panama Company had been used in the service of the Government. M. Ribot spoke firmly and decidedly and was evidently fortified by the manifest sympathy of a majority of the Chamber.

M. Ribot said that the object of the questioner was to pile scandal upon scandal. [Cries of "No!" "No!" from the Boulangists.] The Government, pursued M. Ribot, has always been opposed to such shameful tactics, and he added, "The Government is prepared to defend the republic."

Of the names of the men compromised in the scandal, the witnesses declared that M. Constans had given to the President a list of 100 deputies who were implicated.

M. Marot, editor of The Radical, denied that his paper had been bribed. He spoke scornfully of the attacks that had been made upon his paper and declared that those attacks were not merited.

Irene Blanc, a journalist who had been examined by Magistrate Franqueville, was then called to the witness stand, but declined to testify, referring the committee to testimony given before the magistrate.

A sub-committee from the Parliamentary Investigating Commission seized, this afternoon at the offices of the Panama Canal Co., 17,000 counterfoils of bonds "payable to bearer." The Commission will meet daily during the Christmas holidays.

DR. HERZ NERVOUS.

He is to Have a Visitor Who Wants Important Documents From Him.

LONDON, Dec. 24.—Dr. Cornelius Herz, who is so greatly implicated in the Panama Canal scandal, and who is said to be suffering from nervous prostration, is still confined to his bedroom at the Burlington Hotel. He receives only intimate friends.

M. Andrieux, it is said, is coming to London from Paris to obtain from Dr. Herz a certain document showing that 104 members of the French Chamber of Deputies had received bribes from the lobbyist Arton amounting altogether to 1,350,000 francs.

M. Andrieux testified before the Panama Committee yesterday that he had seen such a document in the possession of Dr. Herz.

The Paris correspondent of The Daily News says: When Count Jules de Bernes charged the cabinet with complicity in the Panama Canal corruption the Chamber became like an army whose general had given the order: "Every man for himself." Every man interrupted the speaker, shouting, declaiming and shaking his fists, and the tribune seemed to be in danger of being sealed and the occupants expelled.

The Paris correspondent of The Daily Chronicle says: The Chamber gave a merciful majority for the simple reason that a government defeat would have sent it to the Christmas holiday in a state of anarchy and chaos. M. Wilson, who is believed to have a share in the present campaign, was seen to-day in the lobbies of the Senate.

M. Floquet upon leaving the Chamber seemed to be ill and broken, yet he was saluted by everyone present. Should the Chamber be dissolved forthwith, M. Floquet would be enabled to escape the abuse of his unscrupulous adversaries, who are too ready to forget his long and faithful service, because of one act of inadvertence at a trying moment. No greater example of the uncertainties of French politics was ever given. The accumulation of evidence threatens to delay De Lesseps' trial until April. M. Franqueville works incessantly eleven hours daily.

His office is guarded by sentries, who allow nobody to approach. So far he appears to credit the explanations of the accused senators and deputies. M. Proust is looking very ill; the proceedings threatening against him worry him greatly. The question is much discussed whether President Carnot is to blame for his failure, when he learned the facts, to bring the delinquents to justice. It is supposed that he was too much amazed and bewildered to take decisive steps.

The Paris correspondent of The Times says: M. Ribot won a more signal victory than ever, but not without first having seen havoc spread all about him. Boulangism has overshot the mark.

The Vienna correspondent of The Times says: In replying to the query of a Vienna paper Goblet telegraphs that the situation is painful, but not perilous to the Republic.

A Prince Jugged.

VIENNA, Dec. 24.—Prince Alois Schwarzenburg, a member of one of the most ancient families of Austria, has been tried by court martial and sentenced to four months' imprisonment for absenting himself from duty without leave to make a pleasure visit to Italy.

A Bismarck Party.

LONDON, Dec. 24.—The Berlin correspondent of The Times, discussing the new German political party, which is still in embryo, says the party has grown out of the triumphant progress of Bismarck last summer through Munich, Kissingen and Jena. The party will consist of Bismarckian enthusiasts, and its program will favor bi-metallism, anti-Semitism and a progressive colonial policy; in short, consistent opposition all along the line to the Emperor.

ported by the Government,

ROME, Dec. 24.—All the cardinals at present in Rome waited upon the Pope Friday and tendered him the usual Christmas congratulations. In reply to the good wishes for the church and himself, His Holiness said that the signs of a gathering storm were visible to all observers of moral and religious conditions. The European situation was pregnant with ruin and disaster, and this condition could only be brought to an end by the healing virtues of the church, which herself was being violently assailed.

In the course of his remarks the Pope referred to the Freemasons, whom he condemned as a malignant sect, who were never true to the people, but who, unfortunately, were supported by the Government.

His Holiness concluded by bestowing the apostolic blessing upon the whole world.

Gale on the Irish Coast.

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LOST HER REASON.

Discovered That She Was Married to Her Father.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—The Sun's cable from London says: Polite society is just now discussing with bated breath one of the most shocking scandals of the many that have sullied its history. The scandal will soon occupy the attention of the divorce court in the form of a petition for the nullification of a marriage which was performed Dec. 14, 1890, by the Rev. Edward A. Chichester, Vicar of Dorking, Surrey.

The social scandal had its origin in 1874, when Aline Marian de Hoghton, the unmarried daughter of Sir Henry de Hoghton, baronet, was delivered in Milan, Italy, of a female child, the father of which was Alfred Arelius Clark, a wealthy man who moves in the highest circles.

Clark refused to marry his victim. The birth of the child was kept a secret, and the mother returned to society, nobody being the wiser as to her shame. She married in January, 1875, an Irish gentleman of good family named Fitzgerald. She spent the greater part of her time until her death, a few years ago, on the Continent. Her betrayer meanwhile had married.

There is reason to believe that the mother heavily dowered her daughter born at Milan. It is not disputed, at any rate, that Clark posed before the world as the girl's guardian.

In 1887 Clark brought his illegitimate daughter from a French nunnery to Little Hampton, where they lived at the Beach Hotel as guardian and ward. In 1890 Clark's wife died. Some months afterward he proposed marriage to his supposed ward and actual daughter, and was accepted.

The marriage took place in London, and father and daughter thenceforward lived together as man and wife. In March, 1892, the girl, when only 18 years of age, gave birth to a baby boy, and in July following the unhappy child-mother discovered that her husband was her own father. The awful discovery nearly deprived her of her reason.

A GOLD FEVER.

An Exciting Exodus to the Placer Mines in Southern Utah.

DENVER, Col., Dec. 24.—The greatest gold fever that has stricken Colorado since the Ruby and California gulch diggings drew thousands of miners into those camps has now complete possession of the west. Here, as well as in every camp in Colorado, New Mexico and Arizona, there is nothing talked of except the new placer fields of the San Juan River in Southern Utah.

At Durango, Rico and Dolorest, this state, many outfits have already started for the new fields, and by Saturday it is estimated that 300 miners will have left these points.

Mining men in almost every town are clubbing together and offering big inducements to professional prospectors to visit the mines.

At Albuquerque, N.M., and other points along the line of the Atlantic and Pacific, the excitement is intense and railway officials and clerks have thrown up their positions and followed the great army of gold-hunters. The fact that of the many who have already gone on to this country none have returned is strong evidence that the land is rich enough to keep them there.

BEHRING SEA PATROL.

The Present System Ineffectual—A Land Guard Advised.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—Capt. Healy of the United States revenue cutter Bear reports his arrival at San Francisco from Alaska. The Bear left the Seal Islands on Nov. 30 Capt. Healy in his report says that the present system of guarding seal rookeries is ineffectual.

The rough weather that prevails about the islands prevents revenue cutters from approaching the shore close enough to be of any service. If they go close enough for service they run imminent risk of being dashed upon the shore and wrecked. The darkness prevails for 16 to 18 hours out of 24, increasing the risks and preventing those afloat from seeking marauders. With all these obstacles one vessel can only guard a small coast.

He thinks that a police patrol of sufficient strength should be stationed on shore and patrol the coast. A vessel, too, should be kept there to act in conjunction with the land guard.

The natives, he says, are most worthless as guards, but under Americans as superior officers in time they make, with proper discipline, effective watchmen.

A KANAKA CREW

Murder the Captain and Cook His Corpse For a Feast.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 24.—Advices from the South Seas of some bloody events have been received. The Kanaka crew of the French vessel Constantine murdered the captain and mate, looted the vessel and turned her adrift. She went on a reef and became a total wreck.

M. Pasnin, owner of the Constantine, was shot Oct. 5, as was also Captain Marie, whose corpse was cooked for a feast. Four Kanakas who attempted to rescue the captain were massacred.

While the vessel named Three Cheers was at Fead Island an attempt was made to arrest the chief and his son, who murdered a trader named Core. When Captain Stade of the Three Cheers demanded the chief he was shot dead by the latter's son. Captain Stade's murderer was subsequently captured and shot.

Fight in Texas.

DALLAS, Texas, Dec. 24.—In a battle with pistols and rifles at Arlington, in Tarrany County, yesterday three men were killed and two mortally wounded. The combatants were William Smith and a man named Spears on one side and George Hargrave, sr., and George Hargrave, jr., and a brother on the other side.

Over 25 shots were fired, and when the smoke cleared away Spears, Smith and George Hargrave, jr., were dead and Hargrave, sr., mortally wounded. The shooting was the result of an old feud.

Dr. McGlynn Reinstated.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—Dr. McGlynn, who was the priest of St. Stephen's in New York, and who was discharged from the priesthood for too great liberality of thought and speech, has been restored to the Roman Catholic church and may return to his old parish.

Blaine Shows Improvement.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24. — "Mr. Blaine shows an improvement over his condition," said Dr. Johnston yesterday morning. "When I saw him this evening he was looking very cheerful and everything seemed favorable for a quiet night."

For North Hastings.

BELLEVILLE, Ont., Dec. 24.—A. W. Carscallen, Conservative, and Peter Vankleer, Reformer, were nominated at Madoc Friday for the vacancy in the Commons for North Hastings.

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To the Municipal Electors of Murney Ward

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN :—

For the third time I respectfully ask for your votes and influence to secure my return as one of your representatives.

During the year I have been honored with the chairmanships of two important committees for the whole of the time, and a third —the Executive—for the last half of the year.

You are the judges whether I have attended faithfully to duty and acted conscientiously.

Whatever works for the city's good, if possible from the standpoints of economy and prudence, are the objects of my aim. I renew my pledges of attention to duty and fidelity to our city's welfare, and remain

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The Dilkeses (Sir Charles and his wife being tres renandu in French society, ... "five o'clocks" at the Hotel St. James, in Paris, during her recent visit were most interesting. She is a matchless president of a tea table, and has a chatty, light-hearted tone which goes with her eighteenth-century air and physiognomy.

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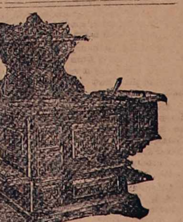

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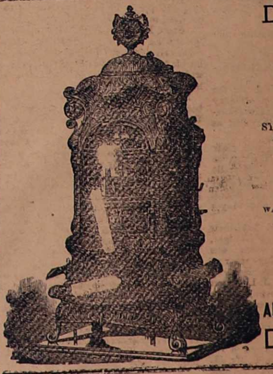

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THE DAILY ONTARIO

BELLEVILLE, SATURDAY, DEC. 24th

CHURCH DIRECTORY

TABERNACLE CHURCH—REV. D. O Crossley, pastor. On Sunday, Dec. 25th the pastor will preach both morning and evening.

All who attend these services will be made very welcome by pastor and people.

ROYAL TEMPLARS OF TEMPERANCE elleville Council No. 297, meets every hursday evening at 8 o'clock in Royal Templars Hall, Front street, Caldwell Block Gos el temperance meeting Sunday after oon at 4 o'clock. All are cordially invited

BERTHA RICHARDS, Sec. W. W. CHOWN, S. C.

BRIDGE ST. METHODIST CHURCH Pastor—Rev. E. N. Baker, M A, B D Christmas Day. Sermon at 11 a. m. by R. Bamforth, of Victoria College. At 7 p.m. by the pastor. Subject, 'The Angels' Message."

Strangers in the city, students at Albert college, the business colleges and schools and all other visitors welcomed to these services nd to Sunday school at 2:30 p.m.

PROBABILITIES.

—Generally fair, and continued very cold; local snow flurries.

TOLD IN A LINE OR TWO

There was no police court to-day.

For Bargains in Christmas goods, go to E. Harrison.

No paper will be issued from this office on Monday.

Samuel Crozier the bigamist, will be arraigned before Magistrate Flint on Tuesday. He will plead guilty.

J. W. Dunnett treated his clerks to an oyster supper at Dickens & Sons last night.

The event of the holiday season will be the Assembly, to be given by the ladies of St. Michael's church in the city hall on Wednesday evening next. Supper will be served in the butter market. Tickets $1.50 per couple.

A. W. Vermilyea has returned from Norham, where he has been holding a very successful revival. He will preach the Anniversary Sermons at Castleton tomorrow.

The annual Christmas festival for the children of the City Mission Sunday School will, D. V., take place next Thursday evening. Donations can be sent as usual to the Mission.

After six o'clock to-night we will clear out at cost certain Xmas goods which we do not wish to carry over. J. C. Overell.

The Jurors for 1893 are being selected by Judge Lazier, Judge Fralick, Sheriff Hope, Geo. E. Henderson and Mayor Bogart.

St. Andrews Sunday School held their annual Christmas entertainment last night. The lecture room of the church was crowded. A very interesting program was carried out, in which Miss Holden's class took a prominent part. J. L. Biggar occupied the chair. An interesting feature of the evening was the presentation of a case of cutlery to Mrs. (Rev.) Maclean, by Mrs. Gibson on behalf of Mrs. Maclean's bible class.

A new law firm has been formed in Toronto, the members of which are Mr. H. M. Mowat, lately assistant city solicitor of Toronto, Mr. R. G. Smyth, formerly partner with the late N. G. Bigelow, Q. C., M. P. P., at one time a resident of this city, he having studied law with the late Geo. D. Dickson, Q. C., and Mr. George A. Kingston, well-known to many of our citizens, and a student for several years in the office of Messrs. Clute & Williams. We hope the new firm will be successful.

To-day.

Hood's Sarsaparilla stands at the head in the medicine world, admired in prosperity and envied in merit by thousands of would be competitors. It has a larger sale than any other medicine. Such success would not be won without positive merit.

Hood's Pills cure constipation by restoring the peristaltic action of the alimentary canal. They are the best family cathartic.

It is Here

Christmas is here, and we hope all will have a happy one. We, at the Oak Hall, have every reason to be happy, and we are happy. We may say that the great part of the winter trade with us is over and we have experienced the largest business we have ever known. We extend [illegible] thanks to our customers for their [illegible] confidence [illegible]

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THE THRILLING EXPERIENCE OF A FORMER BELLEVILLIAN

Some Incidents in the Career of a Distinguished Canadian Reformer, Scientist and Philosopher—a Masonic Sign Saves Dr Ross' Life

In these utilitarian days when each one according to his measure of light and in his own way pursues individual interest, it is refreshing to come across the path of one who seeks to advance the cause of human freedom and to befriend the distressed. There is a gentleman, a native Bellevillian, resident in Toronto, who, though he be but little known to many of the citizens who pass him on the street has an honorable record in the sacred cause of humanity. The blessing of many who were ready to perish has come upon him. Dr. Alexander Milton Ross has not only a record as a philanthropist, but he has been a frequent contributor to the advancement of science. By his own unwearied and painstaking research he has, as a distinguished Canadian naturalist, received honors from European royalties and even from the Khedive of Egypt and the Shah of Persia. Dr. Ross has been the intimate, helpful and sympathetic friend of the men who during the century have indelibly engraved their names in the political history of the time. He was on terms of confidential intimacy with Guiseppe Garibaldi, both in the days of his exile and in the brighter days that came to the Italian patriot before the close of his chequered and adventurous life. Dr. Ross, as the following narrative will clearly show, was deeply interested in the abolition of slavery in the southern States, and his devotion to the cause secured for him the admiration and esteem of all who first identified themselves with the abolition cause.

Dr. Ross was born in this city on Dec. 13, 1832. His father Wm. Ross, was a grandson of Capt. Alexander Ross, an officer of General Wolfe's army, who took part in the battle of the Plains of Abraham, which resulted in the overthrow of French domination in Canada. He subsequently lived in Prince Edward County upon land granted him by the crown in recognition of his distinguished services to his country, and there he died in 1805. Capt. Alexander Ross was directly descended from the sixth and last Earl of Ross of the old family. Dr Ross' grandmother on his father's side was Hannah Prudence Williams, a descendent of Roger Williams, the Rhode Island apostle of liberty. His mother was Fredrika Grant youngest daughter of John Grant of the British army who died of wounds received at Niagara in the war of 1812-14. His maternal grandmother was a daughter of Joseph Jenks, colonial governor of Rhode Island, who has left a noble record of public service, and who was a staunch friend of human liberty. When a boy Dr. Ross went to New York and began life as a type setter in the office of The Evening Post, where was formed an enduring friendship between William Cullen Bryant, the poet, and himself. It was also during this period that Dr. Ross made the acquaintance of Garibaldi, who had sought a refuge in New York, and who was employed at the time in making candles on Staten Island. The friendship that was then begun continued down to Garibaldi's death in 1882. It was through the efforts of Dr. Ross that Garibaldi in 1874 was granted a pension by the Italian government in 1851 and while still working as a compositor Dr. Ross began the study of medicine under the direction of Dr. Valentine Mott and subsequently under Dr. Trail, the celebrated hygiene physician. After four years of unremitting toil, working at the case by day and studying at night, he received the degree of M. D. in 1855, and opened an office for the practice of his profession in New York. About this time General William Walker arrived in New York, recruiting for the army with which he proposed to enforce his claims in the Nicaraguas republic. Dr. Ross, who at that time was fond of adventure, accepted the appointment of surgeon-general of his army and accompanied the expedition to Nicaragua, where at the defeat of Walker's force by the Costa Ricans, he with others would have undoubtedly been killed or taken prisoners but for the timely arrival of a United States man-of-war.

Dr. Ross' first impressions of the cruelty and injustice of human slavery were received from his mother, and subsequently from his friend Garabaldi. They had a deep and lasting influence, and in after years were increased by reading the speeches and writings of Wilberforce. Brougham and other English abolitionists and by listening to the eloquent appeals for the freedom of the enslaved made by William Lloyd Garrison. Theodore Parker and Gerritt Smith. His sympathies were enlisted in the great cause of freedom and he resolved to devote his life to the work of loosing the chains which bound more than four millions of his fellow men.

Dr. Ross is now at work upon a new book entitled, "Labor and experiences of a Reformer," in which the stirring times of the revolutionary period and the events leading up to it will be graphically described by one who actively participated therein. Not only will the story of the abolitionist movement be told by an eye-witness of many of its most thrilling incidents, but there will be presented pen pictures of the prominent figures of the last half century of American history, with whom he was personally familiar. The most interesting period of his life, which has been one of unremitting and unselfish toil for the good of his fellow-men, was that during the progress of events leading up to the issue by President Lincoln of the proclamation abolishing slavery in the United States. The Globe, in advance of the appearance of the book, is permitted to give a sketch of his experiences of that time.

While Dr. Ross was engaged in making inquiries and gaining some practical knowledge of the workings of slavery, Mrs. Stowe's book, "Uncle Tom's Cabin," was published. To him it was a command. A deep and settled conviction impressed him that it was his duty to help the oppressed to freedom. He knew that adherence to this resolution would not bring him popularity or the friendship of the rich and influential but most certainly persecution, scorn and obloquy, and perhaps an ignominous death. In November 1856, he left Canada to prepare for the work which had absorbed his thoughts for years. He first went to the home of Gerritt Smith, in Northern New York, with whom he conferred and who imparted to him much valuable information as to the workings of the different organizations having for their object the liberation from bondage of the slaves of the South. Mr. Smith also accompanied him to Boston, New York, Philadelphia and Longwood, the home of Hannah Cox, whose house was always open to fugitive slaves and who warmly sympathised with every means for the liberation of the oppressed.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Howe Island has followed the example of Wolf Island township council and has unanimously adopted resolutions similar to those passed by that body recently, favoring freer trade relations with the United States.

each month

MARRIED IN NANIMO

Harry Simpson an Old Belleville Boy Renounces the Single Estate

The Nanimo Times says:—"A very pretty wedding was witnessed at St. Alban's church on Saturday, when Mr. H. A. Simpson, barrister, led to the altar Miss Ray Vanhouten. The bride wore a handsome dress of cream colored silk and her bridal veil descended from a crown of orange blossoms to the end of her train. In her hand she carried a beautiful bouquet of hyacinths, the gift of the bridegroom. Her bridesmaids were Misses Winnie and Aggie Glaholm, her cousins, who wore dresses of corresponding richness. Mr. F. McB. Young, barrister, did the honors for the bridegroom. After the ceremony had been completed and as the newly married couple were about to leave the church, the little Misses Praeger and Ethel Wolfe (who looked like little fairies) scattered flowers in their pathway till the carriage was reached. The wedding breakfast was partaken of at the home of the bride's grandmother, Mrs. McGregor; after which the young couple took the afternoon train for the capital. The young couple are highly popular in the city, especially the bride, who has been reared in the city, and has always mingled in the best circles. A large crowd of acquaintances saw them off at the depot and showers of rice were thrown at them amid many wishes for their future happiness."

Dame Nature is a Good Book-keeper

She don't let us stay long in her debt before we settle for what we owe her. She gives us a few years' grace at the most, but the reckoning surely comes. Have you neglected a cough or allowed your blood to grow impure without heeding the warnings? Be wise in time, and get the world famed Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, which cures as well as promises. As a blood renovator, a lung-healer, and a cure for scrofulous taints, it towers above all others, as Olympus overtops a mole hill. To warrant a commodity is to be honorable and above deception and a guarantee is a symbol of honest dealing. You get it with every bottle of the "Discovery." By druggists.

Christmas Entertainment.

Dont' forget the grand Xmas entertainment in the Tabernacle on Monday evening. Two Xmas trees and a splendid concert at 7.30 p.m.—15 cents.

Chrisimas Books, Prayer-books Albums, reduced thirty-three one third per cent. at Harrison's.

No one Need Pity You

If you die of consumption without having tried that celebrated cure, now being talked about by every one, and known as Miller's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil, you are not entitled to any pity. If you want to stay with your friends in the flesh, do not let an hour pass by without sending to the nearest drug store for Miller's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil. Read about the wonderful cures it has wrought. This is the electrical age of wonders, and this Emulsion is the product of the latest researches in science. In big bottles, 50c and $1, at all drug stores.

TOWN TALK

Pain in back is cured by Membray's Kidney and Liver cure. Ask D. M Waters, chemist and druggist, about it

It will be worth your while to call and see the grand stock of stoves and ranges Deacon & Doyle have on hand.

D. M. Waters, Chemist and druggist Belleville, has a supply of Membray's Kidney and Liver Cure in stock. Ask about it.

For hanging and stand lamps try Geen Drug Store.

The great value of Hood's Sarsaparilla as a remedy for catarrh is vouched for by thousands of people whom it has cured.

F. A. Abraham, issuer of marriage licenses at the ONTARIO Office.

Deacon & Doyle carry a full line of gas fixtures, also Bray's patent burner the great saver of gas.

It is only a couple of years since S r Magnus was first offered to the public d it has already affected more cures of g diseases than all other remedies comed have done in twenty years.

Lovely fresh Haddock received by b press at Goldsmith's Fish Store, Market Square—Ciscoes, Finnan Haddie, Yarmouth Bloats, etc. 6td

If you want a Cough-mixture that your wife can take without making a face at you, and your children will cry for, and that will cure their coughs and colds quicker than anything you ever brought home to them, then get Magnus Expectorant.

New goods just arrived at Goldsmith's fish store, Bridge street—groceries, fish, fruits, cigars, oysters, cider, candies. Refreshments and lunches at all hours.

You will save money by getting your stoves and ranges from Deacon & Doyle.

Geen is showing a very nice line of perfumes in plain and fancy bottles, also in bulk.

How to save money is a problem that interests everybody. One way to do it is to invigorate the system with Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Being a highly concentrated blood medicine, it is the most powerful and economical. It is sold for a dollar a bottle, but worth five.

"Handsome is that handsome does," and if Hood's Sarsaparilla doesn't do handsomely then nothing does. Have you ever tried it?

Seven branch societies of the Patrons of Industry have been formed in South Marysburg and Athol during the past fortnight.

Don't miss Harrison's discount sale. Everything reduced one third.

Cannot be Denied

The curative influence of the pine in lung diseases is everywhere admitted, and when combined with other effective pectoral remedies as in Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup the effect is doubly beneficial. No case of cough, asthma, bronchitis or hoarseness can resist the healing powers of Dr. Wood's Pine Syrup. 25 and 50c, at druggists.

Prepare For Cholera

Cleanliess, care and courage are the resources of civilization against cholera. Keep the blood scrupulously clean. Eat hot food. Take Burdock Blood Bitters to maintain regular digestion and ensure pure blood which is the very best safeguard against cholera or any other epidemic.

A neglected cough brings on consumption—the most fatal and prevalent of all physical ills that flesh is heir to. To check the malady in its early stage, before the deadly turbercles develop themselves in the lungs use Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil which also annihilates bronchitis asthma catarrh, piles, kidney troubles, and soreness of the muscles and n

The New York Sun in its leading editorial yesterday, said that it is now apparent that the movement in the Dominion of Canada for casting its lot with the continent to which it belongs, has begun in good earnest.

have names given them by scientists. It

REFORMERS MEET.

THE HASTING'S REFORM CLUB IN A FLOURISHING CONDITION

Officers Elected Last Night—An Adjournment Made for two Weeks When Questions of the Day Will be Discussed

The Hastings Reform club held their annual meeting last night. President John G. Frost occupied the chair. A. G. Vermilyea, treasurer, read a very satisfactory financial report, which showed the club to be entirely free from debt and in a most flourishing condition.

John Williams, secretary, was in receipt of a printed communication from the young Liberals' Association of Stratford dated Nov. 24th, asking for an expression of opinion from the Hastings Reform Club on the following resolutions which had been unanimously adopted by their club after mature deliberation:

"Freedom to trade with foreigners as well as with fellow citizens is the birth-right of every citizen of a free state, and the existing infringements upon such rights should cease; Therefore this association, to attain such end, will hail with delight all measures

(1)—For the reduction of the present extravagant national expenditure.

(2)—For the reduction of taxation upon intoxicating liquors and other luxuries.

(3)—For the immediate reduction and ultimate extinction of tariff dues upon all goods of British productions, not being liquors or luxuries.

(4)—For the like reduction and extinction of tariff dues in favor of any country extending to us the like privileges.

(5)—And for so amending our fiscal system as to render this trade program practicable, not shrinking from the substitution of so much direct or indirect taxation as may be found needful to accomplish it safely."

J. H. Gordon moved, seconded by J. Williams, that the above resolutions be adopted.

Mr. Frost moved in amendment that a committee consisting of Messrs. A. G. Vermilyea, John Williams, R. Stevenson and J. H. Gordon be appointed to draft a letter in answer to the resolutions, and to report at a meeting to be held two weeks hence.—Carried.

J. H. Gordon moved that the election of officers be deferred for two weeks

It was moved by Fred Abraham, seconded by A. G. Vermilyea, that the election of officers be proceeded with.—Carried.

The officers were elected as follows:

President:—John G. Frost.

First Vice Pres:—P. J. M. Anderson.

Second Vice Pres:—Thos. Hanley.

Secretary:—John Williams.

Treasurer:—A. G. Vermilyea

Executive Committee:—F. Landenberger, chairman; John H. Gordon, T. E. Ketcheson, S. W. Vermilyea, W. Williamson, M. Moon, M. Wright, R. Stevenson, G. S. Johnston.

The club adjourned to meet two weeks hence when questions effecting the interests of the Reform party will be brought up for discussion.

The Doctor Orders it

Sister Carolina, St. Andrew's Hospital, C'ewer, Windsor, Eng., says: "I have found St. Jacob's Oil a most efficacious remedy for gout; also for spraines and bruises. Indeed, we cannot say too much in its praise. Our doctor is ordering it constantly." Many physicians use it.

A TERRIBLE ACCIDENT.

A Young Man is Crushed Under a Falling Tree.

A terrible accident occurred near R. L. Broomfield's mill near Norwood, on Friday, by which a young man named Perkins met with instantaneous death. As near as can be learned, Mr. Staples, who operates the mill, had a gang of men at work in the woods cutting logs. While getting out a log it caught and lodged in a tree and sliding downwards struck the unfortunate man on the chest, literally mashing every bone in his body.

A Complete Collapse

Is occasioned in our feelings by the derangements of the liver, stomach and bowels. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure sick and bilious headache, bowel complaints, internal fever and health body and mind. A dose, as a laxative consists of one tiny sugar-coated Pellet Cheapest and easiest to take. By druggists 25 cents a vial.

Quick Time.

Quicker time can be made to Chicago and points west by the Canadian Pacific Railway than any other line. Travellers for Chicago can reach their destination same day as their departure by leaving here at 2.45 in the morning. Tickets sold and information furnished at S. Burrows' ticket office, Belleville, Ont.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Roblin, of Belleville, are in town to spend Christmas with Mrs. Roblin's relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Snowden.—Peterboro Review.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Jones, of Montreal, formerly of Belleville, are in the city visiting friends.

ON FIRE WITH ECZEMA

Terrible Sufferings of Little Baby. Seven Doctors and Two Hospitals Fail. Cured by Cuticura.

My baby boy, 5 months old, broke out with eczema. The itching and burning was intense; the eczema spread to his limbs, breast, face, and head, until he was nearly covered; his torturing agonies were pitiable to behold; he had no peace and but little rest night or day. He was under treatment at different times at two hospitals and by seven doctors in this city without the least benefit; every prescription of the doctors was faithfully tried, but he grew worse all the time. For months I expended about $3 per week for medicines, and was entirely discouraged. I purchased CUTICURA, CUTICURA SOAP and CUTICURA RESOLVENT and followed the directions to the letter. Relief was immediate, his sufferings were eased, and rest and sleep permitted. He steadily improved and in nine weeks was entirely cured, and has now as clear a skin and is as fair a boy as any mother could wish to see. I recommend every mother to use it for every Baby Humor.

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Cuticura Remedies

The greatest skin cures, blood purifiers, and humor remedies of modern times, instantly relieve the most agonizing forms of eczema and psoriasis, and speedily, permanently, economically, and infallibly cure every species of torturing, disfiguring, itching, burning, bleeding, scaly, crusted, and pimply diseases and humors of the skin, scalp, and blood, with loss of hair, from infancy to age, whether simple, scrofulous, or hereditary, when all other methods and best physicians fail.

Sold everywhere. Price, CUTICURA, 75c.; SOAP, 35c.; RESOLVENT, $1.50 Prepared by the POTTER DRUG AND CHEMICAL CORPORATION, Boston.

Send for "How to Cure Skin Diseases," 64 pages, 50 illustrations, and 100 testimonials.

PIMPLES, blackheads, red, rough, chapped, and oily skin cured by CUTICURA SOAP.

OLD FOLKS' PAINS.

Full of comfort for all Pains, Inflammation, and Weakness of the Aged is the Cuticura Anti-Pain Plaster, the first and only pain-killing strengthening plaster. New, instantaneous, and infallible.

SEVENTEENTH

CHRISTMAS

AT

FISH'S

Our Holiday Goods are all in Stock and we think we can truthfully say that in our seventeen years of catering for the Xmas trade we have never equalled or approached the display we are making this year.

READ CAREFULLY FOLLOWING LISTS:

FOR GENTLEMEN

Leather Collar and Cuff Boxes
Leather Companions
Leather Brush Cases
Smoking Jackets
Dressing Gowns
Four-in-hand Ties
Knot Ties
Windsor Ties
Silk Coat Scarfs
Cashmere Coat Scarfs
Silk Handkerchiefs
Initial Handkerchiefs
Hemstitch Handkerchiefs
Linen Hankerchiefs in Boxes
Silk Braces
Fancy Braces
Silk Cuffs
Wool Cuffs
Cuff Buttons
Scarf Pins
Collar Buttons
White Dress Shirts
English Dress Shirts
Flannel Shirts
Linen Collars and Cuffs
Celluloid Collars and Cuffs
Silk Umbrellas, Fancy Handles
Walking Sticks
Waterproof Coats
Fine Kid Gloves
Lined Kid Gloves
Astrachan Gloves, Kid Mitts
Wool Mitts
Cardigan Jackets, etc

FOR LADIES

Silk Shawls from Japan
Silk Handkerchiefs from Japan
Initial Silk Handkerchiefs
The new White Crepe Hdkfs
Windsor Ties, etc.

FOR BOYS

Gloves and Mitts
Wool and Silk Cuffs
Braces
White and Flannel Shirts
Collars and Cuffs
Scarf Pins
Cuff Buttons
Collar Buttons
Kid Gloves
Astrachan Gloves
Silk Handkerchiefs
Linen Handkerchiefs
Fancy Handkerchiefs
Windsor Ties
Knot Ties
Four-in-hand Ties
Undershirts and Drawers
Boy's Cardigan Jackets
Boy's Bow Ties
Etc., Etc., Etc.

Our prices are the Lowest, our goods are the Newest, and our Stock is the Largest. See our 10c, 15c, 25c, 35c and 50c Tie Tables, and our Silk Handkerchiefs at 25c. Come and look through even if you don't want to buy. We take a pleasure in showing our Novelties

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CONGER BROS

Have a complete stock, Raisins of all varieties. Currants, Figs, Dates, Citron, Orange and Lemon Peels, Batgers, Jellies, all flavors, Choice Confectionery, Almonds, Walnuts, etc.
Use the "Elevator" Baking Powder, It is the best.

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JUST THINK

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We are now ready with our Display.

The Presents you want at Prices you like.

Our Elegant Holiday Stock is a Popular Stock in all respects.

Full of New Novelties and Pleasing Attractions.

We are glad to welcome visitors, pleased to show our Goods, and ready to make close prices to all.

J. C. OVERELL,

LEADER OF THE HOLIDAY TRADE,

SHOP EARLY.

And often this week. Thursday and Saturday the farmers will demand a large share of our attention Our display don't include raisins or tea, pills or perfumery, books or dolls but if you want a piece of SILVER WARE, A LAMP, a DINNER or TEA SET or anything in china crockery why see us—that's where we shine—so much better choice in such a store as this than shops where there's a little of everything and not much of anything. Nine hanging and five parlor table lamps sold Saturday. This shows how the main stream of trade keeps the old channel
Open every night this week.

W. J. REID & CO,

Crystal Hall - - - Rous' Old Stand

Greeting and Compliments

OF THE SEASON

To All Our Patrons.

CHRISTMAS MUST BE OBSERVED

And the best way to observe the Anniversary is to BUY ONE OF OUR $20,00 FINE TAILOR MADE SUITS FOR $12.00. But what we want to talk to you about this week is **FURNISHINGS** for Holiday Trade. Read our Price List:—

$1.50 Kid Gloves we sell for	$1.00.	6.00 Silk Underwear we sell for	$3.00
1.25 " "	90.	5.00 Natural Wool Underwear	2.75
.75 " "	50.	3,00 Scotch Underwear "	1.75
1.00 Heavy all-wool under'wr	65.	40 Cashmere Socks "	25

Silk Handkerchiefs, in beautiful patterns, 20, 25, 50, 75 and $1.00. Ties we commence at 10c, worth 25. Our 25c Tie is worth 50, and our 45c Tie is sold all over for 75c. In Ties we carry the largest range in the County, and whilst we are Clothing First, Last and Always, we show the largest and Nobbiest range of Furnishings in Belleville. Remember we sell all our goods retail at wholesale prices. A call is solicited.

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Importer of Dry Goods.

Dress Goods, Dress Trimmings, Sealettes, Jacket Cloths, All Wool Blankets, Tie Downs, Tweeds, Flannels

Call and see our Cashmere Gloves

AHEAD AGAIN

Even though our Christmas sales have exceeded those of any previous year we have still in stock a choice assortment of holiday goods comprising Austrian Art goods, Persian Silver Cases, and Novelties, Plush and Leather Cases and Photo Albums, etc. etc. etc.

The entire li e will be sold during the holiday week at a discount of 25 per cent.

Remember all are new goods but they must be cleared out to make room for the newest lines to be sh.wn next year.

We continue for this week our sales of sleighs and dolls and will sell out the complete le at just half price.

C. B. SCANTLEBURY,

MAYORALTY

To the Electors of the City of Belleville :

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN :

I respectfully solicit your votes and influence for Mayor of the City of Belleville for 1893. I was born in Belleville have lived among you all my life, and am personally known to most of you.

I have been an alderman in the City Council for four years and during that time have endeavored to represent you straightforwardly and faithfully. My platform is "Economy" in city affairs. If elected I will exert myself to further the best interests o the city.

Yours respectfully,

Francis S. Wallbridge.

MAYORALTY.

To the Electors of my Native City :

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN :

For years past I have had the offer of support for the Civic Chair, but at the present time to many of my old friends have brought more pressure to be r than I can decently withstand. I have been asked to stand for the highest position that the citizens can confer on any one. Among the men who offer me their support are to be found Irishmen, Englishmen, Dutchmen, Frenchmen and now and then a Scotchmen, besides a good many Canadians. To the electors I am no stranger. I have been a member of the City Council for the greater part of a quarter of a century and during that time have done what I felt was for the best interest o' the city and will continue on the same line if successful at the coming election. I am in favor of strict economy in city affairs and decrease of our indebtedness. At the nomination I will freely give my views on the situation, and with much respect ask that when you mark your ballot you will not forget

A. T. PETRIE.

Belleville, Dec. 20, 1892

Everything fresh and new for Xmas. People tell us, our store never looked so pretty as now. Such a variety of nice Confectionery, Florida Oranges, Valencia Oranges, Almira Grapes, Choice Figs, new Golden Dates, new Nuts, etc.

H. C. DICKENS & SON

P. S.—Xmas Cakes going very fast but a nice lot to choose from yet.

A FULL LINE OF
Candies
Oranges
Nuts
Figs, etc.
FOR XMAS
YOUNG

TH S MATTER CHANGED DAILY
Tuesday Dec 27th.

AT COST.

Did you forget to give a present to any one yesterday? Do you need to buy any more at all? We offer what we have left at cost this week. We desire to thank the public for the liberal patronage given us so far this winter.

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THURSDAY EV'G, DEC 29

The Latest Comedy Success

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Preceded by a Beautiful Curtain Raiser

FOR SWEET CHARITY'S SAKE
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Brilliant Dialogue,
Clean Comedy
Humorous Situations

Presented by a Capable Company.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the shareholders of the Bay of Quinte Bridge Company will be held at the City Hall building in the city of Belleville, on Monday, the 9th day of January, 1893, at the hour of 8 o'clock, p m., for the purpose of receiving the report of the directors for the past year, for the election of directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of such other business as may be deemed proper and necessary.

U. E. THOMPSON,
Sec'y and Treas.

Bellev lle, Dec. 15 1892. 2sd

TAXES !

TAKE NOTICE

That 3 per cent. will be added to all unpaid Taxes after the end of this month, and after January 5 per cent 24th Dec, '92.

J. W. BUTTERFIELD,
COLLECTOR.

MAYORALTY.

Ladies and Gentlemen.

Having been requested by a large number of influential electors of the city of Belleville to offer myself for Mayor for 1893, I have consented to do so, and now respectfully solicit your votes and influence. I have resided in the city six years, three of which I have served in the city council and school board. I would respectfully refer you to my work therein. I come out as a business man having had 20 years business experience in different parts of Canada, which is of great service to anyone in filling the civic chair. I have chosen Belleville as my home and have invested all my capital in and around the city, and my interests being centered here I will, if elected, do all in in my power as I have done heretofore, to advance the best interests of the city. I strongly urge the reduction of the number of Aldermen and shall use every endeavor to carry into effect the proposal made by me to the council in respect to it last year.

I have also in view the grave necessity of getting the city in the best sanitary condition possible to enable us better to cope with the cholera epidemic should it reach us next year.

HARRY FOWELL

To the Electors Ketcheson Ward

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,—I respectfully ask your votes and influence as a Candidate for Alderman for 1893. I am in favor of the reduction of aldermen to at least fourteen to be elected by the whole city. The present wards to remain intact. I will support all measures which as a citizen I think to be in the best interest of the present position and future progress of this city, believing neither in undue municipal extravagence nor in false economy.

WILLIAM N. PONTON.

Belleville, Dec. 1892.

CHRISTMAS CHEER
AND
TABLE DELICACIES

FINEST TABLE RAISINS
FINEST TABLE FIGS
FINEST MALAGA GRAPES
FINEST FLORIDA ORANGES
FINE TABLE PRUNES
FINE TURKISH DATES

New Grenoble Walnuts
New Soft-shell Almonds,
New Sicily Filberts,
New Pecan Nuts,

BISCUITS.

VANILLA SUGAR WAFERS
CHOCOLATE SUGAR WAFERS
LEMON SUGAR WAFERS
RASPBERRY SUGAR WAFERS
SALTED SEAFOAM WAFERS
SALTED SNOWFLAKE WAFERS

CHEESE.

Genuine Roquefort Cheese,
MacLaren's Imperial Cheese [in small crocks]
Canadian Stilton Cheese
Prime old Cheddar Cheese, 1st prize

CROSSE & BLACKWELL'S JAMS AND JELLIES !

CANNED FRUITS & VEGETABLES

Canned Pineapples, Canned Peach
British Columb. Egg Plums,
French Mushrooms, [In glass bottles] French Mushrooms, [In tins]
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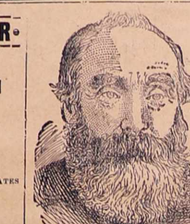

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To every person calling on Mme Green to have cards read this week will be given a bottle of Frosted Cream. Gent emen 50c s, ladies 25c.

To the Electors of Ketcheson ward :

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I have not time to see you personally if such be necessary but take this means of saying that I will be thankful to receive your votes and influence for Alderman for 1893.

Respectfully Yours

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INCOMPATIBILITY.

Some Plain Words Respecting the Marriage of May and December.

Said a brilliant woman, whom not one of the refined coterie who heard her thought of calling "immoral": "At eighteen I married, of my own foolish will, a man of fifty, a sin to waste my full young life—the only life I could know this side of the grave—in so monstrous a union. He was a good man, and, according to his lights, a model husband. I could not but respect him, but we had not one emotion in common. We were wholly incompatible in feeling, sentiment—in nature. Upon this ground, and this alone, I obtained a divorce.

Tear away sentimental verbiage and this woman's case stands thus: Her husband's ideas and tastes were not, to her apprehension, favorable to the developement of what she sketched as the life she ought to lead. Her individual happiness outranked all other considerations in her mind. The marriage vow, uttered of her own free will, because she then fancied that she was forwarding her selfish interests by the union, became a rope of sand when inclination veered to another quarter.

There is an extreme of altruism which is fanatical. Bald egoism of the type here avowed can never be anything but contemptible.

It is sound if homely wisdom to make the best of a bad bargain. Our representative incompatible made the worst one that, to dispassionate judges, was only doubtful. Carlyle's caustic reminder to complaining egoist that "there is no act of Parliament to the effect that thou shouldst be happy," comes intelligently here. The appellant at twenty, agai st her eighteen year-old self, was by her own confession incapable of standing in her lot and conquering circumstance. In demanding that everything in her environment should be auspicious to her growth in the direction indicated by wilful imagination, she testified to her inability to bear and to perform what Providence or fate or her own ill-judged desires had brought to her.

Wedlock is not Eden any more than men and women are not angels while wearing the garments of mortality. The united pair, turning from the altar, albeit one in name, and, for the time, in heart, are no more made perfect in patience and wisdom than in holiness and in happiness. How they fare in the novel state, entered upon with unquestioning eagerness, will depend as much upon the discipline of temper and will, and the practice of the every-day graces of mercy, goodness, and truth, as if each had continued to lead an existance detached from the other, and been compelled to defer to the whims of blood relatives and to consult the wishes of choice associates.

The serious mistake that lies at the root of this form of wedded wretchedness is the fatuous belief in one another's perfection, without which ballad-makers and romance-writers tell us marriage is a mockery. Nobody can live up to a standard as false as it is mischievous. Husbands and wives are as fallible as if they had never been in love, and hoped, though love, to find a terrestrial heaven. There is a nobler use than the pursuit of personal happiness for the mutual affection which, thanks to Him who implanted it, yields but slowly to the pressure of crucial disappointment. It is refined and strengthened by sustained effort to rise superior to the disposition to seek out infirmities and to punish wrong-doing. With each victory over selfish ease and desire it approximates the love that to gentlest long-suffering adds belief and hope in all good and gracious possibilities.—Marion Harland in Harper's Bazar.

A Woman Attorney-General.

Montana has at last made something new under the sun. It is a woman Attorney-General—a young woman, and a pretty one at that. The Populists, who have done so many queer things, have this peculiar political freak to their credit.

And yet there is little doubt Miss Ella L. Knowles, who has been elected to office, will make an excellent Attorney-General. She is full of brains, dauntless, self-confident, and plucky. She had two contestants against her—Haskell, Republican, and Day, Democrat. She leads them both by 300 votes.

Miss Ella L. Knowles, Attorney-General-elect of Montana, was born 28 years ago in Northwood, N. H. She is a graduate of Bates' College at Lewiston, Me., and has taken the degree of Master of Arts from that institution. Her legal studies were prosecuted in the law office of Burnham & Brown in Manchaster, N. H., and later in Helena, Mont. There was considerable prejudice against allowing her to practice.

So the plucky young woman went to work to influence the Legislature—it was the Territorial Legislature of 1888-9—to pass a bill admitting women to practice law. Western chivalry could not withstand her, and the bill was passed. In December, 1880, she was admitted to the bar, and now she has a practice of which many men would be proud, to say nothing of her prospects politically.

Miss Knowles is descibed as being very womanly in appearance. She is the only woman lawyer in the State, but even into her profession she carries the gentler virtues. She has all a woman's keen sensibilities and tender sympathies, and all the roughness of western life with which she had come in contact has not impaired these qualities. In appearance, she is more like a demure young matron than a stern Portia. She is of medium height, neither thin nor stout, has a face which, while strong and firm is also pretty. She believes in her right to practice law and to be paid for her legal services, and she believed in her right to be Attorney-General of Montana if she could get enough votes. The People's party liked her spirit, and when it came to make up a ticket last July it gave her the nomination.

She conducted a spirited campaign, and all the credit of her victory belongs to herself.—Helena Corr. N. Y. Press.

Jay Gould's Patent Rat-Trap.

Near a bright fire in a cosy home on Clinton street last evening sat an aged couple reading the story of the life of Jay Gould. The story was of unusual interest, for the reason that the life of the great millionaire was to them a familiar study. The couple referred to are Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Burhans, at whose home Mr. Gould, in school days, lived.

"I was just reading something about the rat-trap which Jay Gould patented," said Mr. Burhans. "I well remember the home-made affair that it was, a square tin box with a cover. In the cover a square section of the tin was cut out and placed on pivots, balancing it on each side. Above the middle of the square was suspended a piece of cheese. When the rat stepped out for his luncheon the square would revolve and the rat would find himself in a box full of water."—Cleveland Leader.

Ambiguous.

Good-natured Friend—What a nice-looking little dear it is. Fond Mother—Do you think he takes after me or his dada? Good-natured Friend—Well, I don't see any resemblance to either of you just yet; but you never can tell, they change so as they grow up, and sometimes the prettiest babies grow up plainest.—Fun.

Our druggists keep for sale Hall's Vegetable Sicilian Hair Renewer, the best preparation ever made for restoring the vitality and color of the hair.

A YACHTING DISASTER.

TEN LIVES LOST IN A SUDDEN SQUALL.

Twenty-Three Invited Guests Accompany the Owner of a Yacht on a Pleasure Jaunt in Sydney Harbor—All Were Thrown Into the Water.

SYDNEY, N.S.W., Dec. 27.—A sad accident occurred here yesterday to a party of merrymakers, resulting in the death of 10 of them. The owner of a yacht made up a party of his friends to take a sail, and 23 persons accepted the invitation. All went well until the mouth of the harbor was reached.

Here a severe squall struck the yacht, and before any preparation could be made to meet it the vessel capsized. The squall passed away as quickly as it had come, and vessels in the vicinity bore down to the upturned craft. They succeeded in picking up 13 persons who were struggling in the water, but 10 of the party were not seen after the yacht turned over.

SEVERAL PROBLEMS.

A Congress of Catholics Called to Propose Practical Reforms.

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—The call for a congress of the Catholics of the United States to be held in Chicago during the World's Fair was issued yesterday. It is signed by Archbishop Feehan, chairman of the committee on organization, and William J. Onahan, secretary.

The congress will be convened Sept. 4, 1893, and will be presided over by Cardinal Gibbons. Among the subjects that will receive the attention of the congress are the "Social Questions" as outlined by the Pope in his encyclical, "Catholic Education," the "Independence of the Holy See," the "Rights of Labor," the "Duties of Capital," "Pauperism and the Remedy," "Trade Combinations and Strikes," "Immigration and Colonization," "Intemperance," "The Condition and Future of the Indians in the United States," "The Condition and Future of the Negro Race in the United States," and "The Work of Women in Religion and in the World."

The call says the congress must be prepared to propose practical reforms. It will not suffice that it shall have been the medium and opportunity for the delivery of clever essays and eloquent addresses on the various themes. Much more will be expected from it.

A BAD WRECK.

A Passenger Express Train Hurled Down an Embankment.

DENVER, Dec. 27.—The Chicago express on the Santa Fe road, which left here at 11.30 last night, was derailed about two miles east of Halstead while running at a high rate of speed. The passenger coaches and Pullman sleepers were hurled down an embankment 50 feet high and landed in a heap at the bottom.

The overturned cars immediately caught fire, and it was with the greatest difficulty the imprisoned passengers were rescued from a frightful death. It is stated that two unknown boys, said to reside in Denver, were fatally injured. A number of passengers and several of the train crew are reported injured, but none were killed. A relief train with physicians and surgeons was sent from here, and rendered assistance and relief to the injured. The accident is attributed to spreading rails.

THAWING DYNAMITE.

A Man's Leg Blown Off and His Scalp Removed.

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., Dec. 27.—A frightful explosion of several sticks of dynamite occurred in the Mogallian mining districts yesterday. Fred Bailey and W. Black, miners, had placed dynamite in the stove to be thawed out. The sticks exploded and the shanty was blown down. Black escaped with only serious cuts and bruises over his body, but the injuries that Bailey received were frightful.

His legs were blown off and his scalp was torn off. He also received terrible cuts on the head from a flying piece of stone. He will die. Other houses in the vicinity were also destroyed.

MAKING PROGRESS.

Cholera is Finding More Victims From Day to Day.

HAMBURG, Dec. 27.—Two children, living in the Borgesch Strasse, fell ill of cholera on Thursday and yesterday two more in the same house with them were stricken.

The Eppendorf Hospital is treating 38 cases of cholera, of which eight are of an exceedingly virulent type.

There was one death from cholera at the hospital to-day. Without doubt the disease is making steady although slow progress. General uneasiness prevails, especially in mercantile circles, which are still under the burdens of last fall's losses.

A Brass Trust.

WATERBURY, Ct., Dec. 27.—The preliminary work in the formation of a gigantic brass trust is nearly finished. It has taken much time to interest all the brass concerns in the movement, but most of them have now agreed to join the trust.

A Broken Conduit.

TORONTO, Dec. 27.—The new steel conduit which supplies the city waterworks has broken, and the pipe has risen to the surface of the bay. Toronto people are now using one-third bay water mixed with sewerage.

Still Harder Luck.

KINGSTON, Ont., Dec. 27.—Dr. T. M. Fenwick will perform a critical amputation on a convict at the penitentiary. The man fell from one of the buildings a distance of 65 feet and had both arms broken. The arms will be taken off.

The convict, named Bruce, comes from Simcoe, and is an M.A., a graduate of Trinity University, Dublin. He was sentenced a couple of weeks ago for larceny, having only been released a few weeks previously. He is now on his fifth term and has been sentenced under the names of Johnston, Macdougall, Wallace and Bruce.

Blaine is Improving.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—"Mr. Blaine is getting along nicely," was Dr. Johnson's reply as to the condition of Blaine's health last night. Mr. Blaine's house was brilliantly lighted this evening. There was everwhere manifested a cheerfulness not observable in members of the family fon many day.

Frozen to Death.

SCHENECTADY, N.Y., Dec. 27.—Yesterday morning the frozen body of a man was found in a field near Rexford Flats, four miles east of this city. He was an unknown, supposedly insane person, who had been rattling windows, chasing cattle and cutting up many other strange antics at night for a few days previous.

A Desolating Fire.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Dec. 22.—Fire at Duquesne destroyed six dwellings and for a time threatened the whole village. Twelve families were left homeless. Loss $15,000.

IT WAS $6715

That Was Stolen from the Express Co.'s Safe in Sarnia.

SARNIA, Dec. 27.—The Sarnia authorities secured search warrants yesterday and went through the premises of Ernest Clarke, the former agent, and James McCann, the present assistant of the Canadian Express Co. They were looking for evidence against these persons for the robbery committed Tuesday, but no trace of money or implements could be found. The theory that seems likely to prove correct is that the theft was committed by one or more professional crooks. Last night it was discovered that a stranger purchased a piece of sheet brass similar to the key found at the time of the robbery from Barrie's pumping shop. The manner in which the robbery was committed, the familarity manifested with the details of the express office and the smooth escape of the guilty ones, all sustain the theory that professionals did the work. Young McMann, the assistant agent, is cool and straightforward in his answers, and Clarke, the ex-agent, offered his assistance within an hour after the crime. The robbers evidently went to Agent Cook's house at night and effected an entrance, obtained an impression in wax of the safe's key and have been living in Sarnia a month or two perfecting the job.

The exact amount of money stolen was $6715, in four packages. The largest package belonged to the Bank of Montreal and contained $4000, in $20 bills. The Traders' had one package, containing $1000, and the Bank of Commerce two packages, one containing $1300 and the other $415.

ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL

The Greatest Church Structure Projected in America.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—The corner stone of the Cathedral of St. John, a Protestant Episcopal Church, was laid yesterday. It is to be the greatest church structure ever projected in America. The site is in one of the most conspicuous places on Manhattan Island.

The design is of the round arch Gothic order, planned in many details after the early Christian churches, and following notably the Santa Sophia Church at Constantinople and St. Mark's at Venice.

The grounds cover 2825 feet.

The building, when ready for use, will have the following dimensions:

	Feet.
Total length	520
Total width through transept	296
Width of front	192
Height of front gable	164
Height of front tower	248
Height of flanking towers	158
Height of central towers	445
Height of dome (interior)	253
Width of knave	92
Span of central tower	96
Length of choir and ambulatory	154

MUNICIPAL NOMINATIONS.

Men Who Want to Share in the Honors of Civic Legislation.

Mayors by Acclamation.

Oshawa—W. F. Cowan.
Peterboro'—James Kendry.
Orangeville—J. Lindsey.
St. Mary's—G. H. McIntyre.
Owen Sound—J. W. Frost.
Ottawa—Durocher.
Barrie—A. E. H. Creswicke.
Lindsay—D. Ray.
Niagara—Henry Paffard.
Oakville—Thomas Patterson.
Kingston—N. C. Polson.
Simcoe—A. McCall.
Milton—S. Dice.
Midland—J. B. Horrell.
Hamilton—Peter B. Blaicher.
Blenheim—T. B. Shillington.
Thorold—William Williams.
Walkerville—Joseph S. Smith.
Paris—Thomas McCosh.
Uxbridge—W. Hamilton.
Cayuga—Dr. D. Thompson.
Woodstock—James Hay, jr.
Penetanguishene—C. Beck.
Perth—Duncan Kippen.
Smith's Falls—W. H. Frost.
Pembroke—W. R. White.
Mattawa—C. Rankin.
Cornwall—F. Lally.
Aurora—H. W. Fleury.
Ridgetown—J. Cochrane.

Contests for Mayoralty.

Toronto—E. E. Sheppard, R. J. Fleming.
London—E. P. Essery and William Gartshore.

Wealthy, Odd and Dead.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Dec. 27.—Jacob Henrici, sr., trustee of the Economic Society of Economy, Pa., died yesterday aged 88. The society of which Father Henrici was leader is composed of about 500 people, who are worth between $5,000,000 and $10,000,000. They make up the town of Economy, about 36 miles west of Pittsburg.

Father Henrici was president of the Economy Bank of Beaver Falls, a director in the Pittsburg and Lake Erie Railway, and other large corporations.

The Economite Societe made all their money by farming.

A Nasty Accident.

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—Last night Mrs. S. B. Mitchell entered a cable car without noticing that her foot had become entangled in a coil of telegraph wire. When the car started and the wire was made taut Mrs. Mitchell was dragged from her seat through the door and against the rear platform of the car. Before she could be liberated her leg was so cut by the wire that amputation may be necessary.

Wants $100,000 Bonus.

OTTAWA, Dec. 24.—President Van Horne has written Mayor Durocher that the C.P.R. will make a new entrance into Ottawa by bridging the Ottawa west of Gatineau Point and tunneling Parliament Hill, making the depot near the mouth of the Rideau Canal, if the city will grant a bonus of $100,000. He threatens to side-track the city if the bonus is not granted.

Brought Four Prisoners.

SANTA FE, N.M., Dec. 27.—The troops sent from Fort Wingate to Zuni-Pueblo returned with four prisoners who some time ago tortured and murdered two other Indians for witchcraft. All is quiet at Pueblo.

Badly Knocked Out.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—In a prize fight for $200 between Billy Welch and Joe Daly at the Nonpareil Athletic Club, Welch scored five knock-down blows in the wind-up. That settled Daly.

Burned to Death.

PITTSBURG, Pa. Dec. 25.—John Purdy was burned to death in the Wilmerion lock-up yesterday. He was arrested for being drunk. At 3 o'clock this morning the lock-up was discovered to be on fire. Purdy was the only inmate.

Mrs. Langtry Dangerously Ill.

LONDON, Dec. 27.—Mrs. Lily Langtry, whose condition was reported yesterday as having favorably passed the critical point, has suffered a serious relapse.

Killed by Dynamite.

OTTAWA, Dec. 24.—Michael Curren, a laborer, was killed in a ditch yesterday. He struck a stick of dynamite with his pick. His face was ter

Another Ap

OTTAWA, Dec. 22.—W Commissioner of C appointed Deputy Mi Commerce. He will Comptroller of Chinese

THE DEED WAS HORRIB

A MAN COMMITS TRIPLE MURD AND SUICI .

A Minister First Gazed On the Horri Sight—Father and Daughter Lay D —The Mother Was Dying—The Gra mother Was Speechless.

WORCESTER, Mass., Dec. 27.—Henry Varnum and his little adopted daugh Florence were found dead in their ho yesterday. His wife died on the way to hospital. Her mother is not expected live.

Rev. E. W. Phillips, in whose chur Mrs. Varnum was a singer in the cho called on the Varnums and found the d open. He entered and found Varnum his wife lying on a bed and covered w blood. Florence lay dead in a cot. M Varnum's mother, Mrs. Wright, speechless in another room.

An iron door hanger and iron st showed how the deed had been done, Varnum was stabbed by his own knife.

The deed was done on Sunday morni It means murder and suicide by Varnum.

THE GUION LINE

Out of Existence—Here is a Bargain F Van Horne.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—A. M. Underhi the New York agent of the Guion Line, received a cable dispatch from the hor office at Liverpool to the effect that a meeting of the Board of Directors the Gui Line pier at this port had been leased the White Star Steamship Company for term of years beginning next May. T was considered by everyone as indicati that the Guion Line would suspend bu ness, and it was confirmed at the office the company.

Mr. P. W. Gibson said that the Gui pier had been leased to the White St Company for five years beginning May next, and that the White Star would ta possession of it for the use of freight shi on January 1. He said that the step w the outcome of the immigration questio and that it probably meant that the Li would go out of business.

The Guion Line has not been runni any ships since November 21. On th day the announcement was made that th had decided to withdraw their two large ships altogether and hold back all stea ships not then on the way for at lea three weeks. As a result of this decisio all of their ships have been tied up Liverpool.

The two biggest ships of the Guion Li are the Alaska and Arizona. They we crack ships in their days, and still ra among the ocean flyers. Mr. Gibs thought that these two vessels would chartered by some other company. T remainder of the Guion fleet, consisting the Wyoming, Wisconsin and Nevad will, Mr. Gibson said, probably be sold some other line. The Guion Line stea ships plied between Liverpool and Ne York, and for some time they have n been carrying as many passengers as t ships of other lines. The line is one of oldest of the ocean traffic companies. started in business before the era of stea ships, and was then the Williams & Gui Line of packets. The line made f for those controlling it until recent About 8 years ago Stephen Guion, had controlled the company, died, and th line passed into the hands of a small nu ber of stockholders.

WINDING IT UP.

Affairs of the Lake Superior Transit C 15 Years in Business.

BUFFALO, Dec. 27.—The affairs of th Lake Superior Transit Company are to b wound up and the big corporation after most successful existence of fifteen ye is to be dissolved. The boats ran be Buffalo and Duluth and did a large fr and passenger business. The corporatio was formed fifteen years ago by Mr. Wash ington Bullard, S. D. Caldwell, Mr. E. T Evans and a few others. Mr. Bullar represented the Union Steamboat Company Mr. Caldwell the Western Transit Com pany and Mr. Evans the Anchor Line.

Mr. Caldwell has been president of th Lake Superior Transit Company for tw years, and Mr. Evans general manage Next season the Anchor Line and th Western Transit Company will run thei boats separately.

FIRED AT A TRAIN.

The Ball Went into an Oil Tank—16 Car Burned.

FAYETTEVILLE, Ark., Dec. 27.—A terrible wreck occurred last night at Green land on the Frisco-road. A freigh train was passing there, when a young man flourished a gun, and th engineer supposed he was going t shoot the headlight out, as a piec of fun frequently indulged in i that settlement, but he allowed the engin to pass and fired into the train.

The bullet penetrated an oil tan car and exploded it. This wrecke the train and burned sixteen car with their contents. The oil spread th fire and it was with difficulty that the citi zens prevented the town from burning About 800 feet of track was destroyed.

To Stop a Village Being Totally Destroyed by Fire.

ROCHESTER, N.Y., Dec. 27.—The Villag of Wyoming, in Wyoming County, wa visited by the most severe fire in its his tory yesterday morning. The fire broke out in a bakery at 5.30 o'clock, and before it course could be stayed it had burned th Methodist Episcopal Church, six stores, seven dwellings and three barns.

The village was entirely without fire pro tection, and finally a building was blown u with gunpowder and the fire was stoppe Nine families are left homeless.

The loss is estimated at $100,000, almost entirely covered by insurance.

A Skating Fatality.

EDINBURGH, Dec. 27.—A party of skat ers went through the ice on Loch Anelica, near Inverness, yesterday afternoon. Several young women and three officers of the Cameron Highlanders, who were in th party, were plunged into the water.

The women were rescued by their es corts. General Rice, who had been skat ing just behind the party, jumped in to help a young man who was trying to swim for solid ice with a young woman held a arm's length, and was drowned.

Blizzard In Missouri.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 27.—A typic card began forming in this lo night and at 3 o'clock this fully materialized, the mer having fallen to 6 degre blizzard was preced and accompanied wind.

The storm the entire severe

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Never bump yourself up to die of Piles until after you have given Magic Pile Lotion a fair and reasonable trial. If it fails then go on with your humping for your case is incurable.

A WAIL OF PESSIMISM.

WHAT THE TIMES HAS TO SAY OF CANADIAN AFFAIRS.

Will Hardly Find in Public Life the Very Sweet-Smelling Flower of Christian Virtue and Principle—Similar Comments on Other Countries.

LONDON, Dec. 27.—At this glad time of the year, when the air is full of rejoicing, it is curious to note the wail of pessimism which the great Times sends up. It ranges over the entire world and finds only misery and threatened destruction. As a picture, unique in Christmas literature, it is worth preservation. Here is the view that a visitor from another planet would take of our little world:

"Our stranger will hardly find in Canadian public life the very sweet-smelling flower of Christian virtue and principle, while if he looks across the frontier he will observe that the one event which more than any other has impressed the imagination of the two hemispheres has been the death of a man whose life can hardly be regarded as an ideal illustration of the Christian doctrine of the deceitfulness of riches and the vanity of their pursuit.

"If he crosses the Atlantic he will find in London, West and East, two societies—the one almost wholly given over to idleness and ignoble frivolity and the other overwhelmed in the degrading and demoralizing squalor of almost hopeless poverty.

"Crossing the channel, he will find in Paris the society, morals and literature of the decadence illustrated in sufficiently ghastly fashion by a popular and almost universal belief in the wholesale turpitude of public men.

"Throughout Europe he will find nations armed to the teeth, devoting their main energies to the perfection of their fighting material and to the victualing of their fighting men and the keenest of their intellectual forces to the problem of scientific destruction.

"Beneath the surface of society, wherever the pressure becomes so great as to open an occasional rift, he will catch ominous glimpses of toiling and groaning thousands, seething in sullen discontent and yearning after a new heaven and a new earth, to be realized in the wild frenzy of anarchy by the overthrow of all existing institutions and the letting loose of the fiercest passions of the human animal."

NEILL'S VICTIM.

A Doctor's Disregard of Law in Certifying to Her Death.

LONDON, Dec. 27.—The authorities have instituted a prosecution against Dr. Robert Graham, whose disregard of law in giving a certificate of death in the case of Matilda Clover, for whose murder Thomas Neill Cream was recently hanged, was largely responsible for the real cause of death being unsuspected until suspicion was aroused by the personal admissions of Cream.

At the trial of Cream Dr. Graham testified that he gave the death certificate without having seen the woman during her last illness, although on prior occasions he had prescribed for her to counteract the effects of excessive drinking.

The extreme penalty for such acts as that of which the doctor is accused is seven years' penal servitude.

DETESTS PRISON LIFE.

She Stabbed Herself With a Tin Knife, But Did Not Die.

LONDON, Dec 27.—The medical officer at the Woking Prison has reported to the Home Office that Mrs. Maybrick is not suffering from any serious constitutional disease. The late severe hemorrhage, about which so much was said, was the result of self-inflicted injuries, the convict having used a tin knife, to wound herself in a horrible manner. It was many days before the bleeding could be stopped, and her weakness at that period was extreme. Since then, however, she has gained strength, and, though she still remains in the infirmary, the physician sees no medical reason why the sentence should be interfered with.

Whether Mrs. Maybrick really intended suicide, or merely wished to create a compassionate feeling calculated to lead to her release, is unknown, but the medical officer inclines to the belief that it was an attempt at self-destruction.

CAN'T SLANDER WOMEN.

A Law in England Which Punishes Gossipy People.

LONDON, Dec. 27.—Last year Parliament passed what is known as the Slander of Women Act, and the first case thereunder has been tried. Heretofore it has been impossible for a woman accused of immorality to secure legal redress against her traducer unless she was able to prove what lawyers call express damage. Clergymen were the only class in the community against whom such language was actionable. The new law gives women the same protection as clergymen.

A butcher of Wolverhampton made free with the reputation of a married woman of his town and she sued him. A sympathizing jury this week awarded her $250 damages.

A VARIED LIFE.

Schoolmaster, Soldier, Journalist, Actor, Barrister and Magistrate.

LONDON, Dec. 27.—Mr. Montagu Williams, the well-known barrister of this city, who died last Friday, was at different times in his life a schoolmaster, soldier, journalist, actor, dramatist, barrister and magistrate, and in the latter capacity he was one of the most interesting figures on the London Bench. Twenty years ago, at the age of thirty-seven, he was accounted one of the most brilliant of English barristers. He was remarkable both as a cross-examiner and pleader, and was possessed of a fund of energy, versatility and unconventionality that seemed inexhaustible.

Some years ago, while at the zenith of his popularity, he was seized with a throat trouble that threatened his life. An operation saved him, but nearly cost him his voice. He received an appointment as stipendiary magistrate several years later. Recently Mr. Williams published a book of reminiscences that was widely read.

Death was due to a return of his throat trouble.

BADLY SCALDED.

Horrible Work Done by the Explosion of a Colliery Boiler.

HALIFAX, N.S., Dec. 27.—One of the largest boilers in the Victoria Collieries, Cape Breton, exploded yesterday, killing George Long and injuring five others, some fatally. All are frightfully scalded, the flesh hanging in strips from their bodies.

Massive stone blocks and bricks were hurled within a radius of 100 yards. Seven other boilers were displaced and completely disabled and their foundations levelled. Not a portion of the building in which the boilers stood remains. The end of the exploded boiler was found 150 yards distant.

Hundreds of workmen were working right on the spot, and how they escaped is miraculous. The entire mines will have to close for a month.

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EXPLOSION IN DUBLIN.

The London Police Were Warned About Dynamite Outrages.

DUBLIN, Dec. 27.—At the inquest in the case of Detective Synnott, who lost his life by the explosion at Dublin detective office, a number of witnesses testified. The expert on explosives, Mr. Tichborne, expressed an opinion that the explosion was one of either dynamite or nitro-glycerine.

That the explosion was of incendiary origin in this case, and not from any gas accumulation, was considered evident from the fact that small pieces of metal casing, which had evidently been part of the infernal machine, were found nearabouts.

The coroner's jury rendered a verdict that the explosion was due to explosion of a high class explosive substance placed in court by a person whose identity was unknown to the jury. It was recommended that the authorities provide for the family of Detective Synnott.

The London police recently received a vague intimation of a possible renewal of dynamite outrages, and extra precautions were at once taken to guard against injury being done to public buildings. It is supposed that the dynamiters thus thwarted decided to make Dublin the scene of their outrage.

Secretary Asquith was busy at the Home Office yesterday and unusual activity was displayed at Scotland Yard.

BISMARCK'S CHRISTMAS.

He Mixed the Spirits and Spices for His Guests.

HAMBURG, Dec. 27.—Prince Bismarck celebrated Christmas Eve with his family at Friedrichsruhe. The Christmas tree on which all the presents were hung was a gift from a farmer whose land adjoins the Prince's estate.

The Prince's presents from abroad were opened by the Princess and hung by her on the tree without his having seen them. The cards and letters of congratulation, which came from every capital in Europe, filled an immense basket at the foot of the tree. All of the family servants were called in and each received two presents, one from the Prince and another from the Princess. Several guests passed the evening with the family.

Prince Bismarck was in exceptionally good spirits and made the bowl for the company with his own hands.

FOREIGN FINANCES.

The State of the New York Money Market Watched With Interest.

LONDON, Dec. 27.—As regards discount, if any change for the past week is to be noted the situation became worse. Bills were exceedingly scarce and competition was as keen as ever. The state of the New York money market, which it is thought here threatens a continuance of gold exports to Europe, is watched with the greatest interest.

The American supplies of gold, by meeting the Continent's demands, continue to figure as the leading factor, inducing the stagnation of the money market here. Some gold is still bought here on Austrian Government account, but not in sufficient amounts to cause exporters to apply to the Bank of England.

With the approach of Christmas holidays business of the Stock Exchange became inactive. As the week went by the condition of affairs in America caused uneasiness, to which feeling the Panama scandals also contributed.

Nevertheless in many quarters moderate improvement was shown. British funds and corporation securities benefited by the ease of money. If New York banks do as it is reported they probably will, pay gold for a mass of Government bonds, a rally in American railroads is certain. As apart from the currency question the outlook is distinctly in favor of a recovery.

VIOLENT STORMS.

A Captain Killed and Ten Seamen Drowned Off the Spanish Coast.

MADRID, Dec. 27.—Violent gales are raging off the west coast of Spain. Reports indicate that there have been many fatalities and that shipping has suffered seriously.

The ship, Marie Joaquina, managed to make haven at Vigo in a disabled condition, her rudder having been unshipped and her mast broken. During the gale her captain and two seamen were drowned.

The ship Maria Theresa foundered off San Lucar and eight of the crew were drowned.

Manchester Handicap.

LONDON, Dec. 27.—The second and final rounds of the Manchester Handicap were run on the Manchester race course Monday. In the second round, Slader of Derby, with 13 yards handicap, beat D. Scully, American, with 10 yards handicap.

For final, Bannister of Sheffield, who had 13 yards handicap, came in first; Broad of Stalybridge, who had 12⅔ yards handicap, second; Radcliffe of Sunderland, who had 11½ yards handicap, third and Slader fourth. Time two yards inside 12 seconds.

Unusual Fluctuations.

PARIS, Dec. 27.—The Bourse during the week was unsettled. Every day saw unusual fluctuations. The energetic action of the Government, however, somewhat checked the depressing influence of the Panama Canal disclosures and especially the gloom due to M. Rouvier's weak defence. Considering the exciting events in the Chamber of Deputies rentes showed surprising firmness. The large amount of investment purchases made when rentes declined showed conspicuously that the country's confidence in the sound state of the public finances is unshaken.

But for the number and importance of these orders the fall would have been much heavier. The large speculative sales of foreign bears were largely responsible for the decline. Local banks were sharply attacked, but with the exception of Credit Foncier regained nearly the whole of the lost ground.

Seven Passengers Hurt.

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 27. — Yesterday while a Second-street surface car loaded with men and women going to their work was crossing the Great Northern tracks, a switch engine came along and struck it amidships. Seven of the passengers, six men and one woman, were hurt, one at least, Charles H. Armstrong, a carpenter, being dangerously wounded. For some reason the conductor did not warn them of the approaching switch engine.

His Eye Burned Out.

SPRINGFIELD, O., Dec. 27.—John Hauseberger was horribly burned at Hopewell schoolhouse last evening while acting as Santa Claus. In a Christmas entertainment his dress of cotton caught fire and also his celluloid false face. The fire cooked his face and burned out one eye, and in the panic several persons were injured.

In Favor of Reprisals.

BERNE, Dec. 27.—The rejection of the French-Swiss commercial treaty by the French Chamber of Deputies is bitterly resented here. There is a unanimous feeling in favor of reprisals.

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All through the Provinces the rapid crease of La Grippe, is causing great alarm. A report was received here to-day, of a new development of the disease, which is worse, perhaps than any other. Wm. Hanley of N. Y. City, died in terrible agony after sickness of only four days, His tongue swelled to such an extent as to make it impossible for him to close his jaws or swallow any food. The report is causing the people in this district to inquire into the noted Grip-cure, recently referred to in so many papers. In Cape Breton the disease has spread very rapidly and with fatal results, D. J. Killop of L'Archeveque writes Feb. 11th that this cure has been tried in his neighborhood and with such success that all those residing there are obtaining a supply believing it to be the only remedy affording relief and effecting a certain cure. He finished his letter by asking for a large quantity of the Medicine (Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills) to supply the demands of the community for the relief of LaGrippe.

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For the third time I respectfully ask for your votes and influence to secure my return as one of your representatives.

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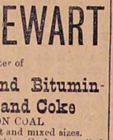

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American Postoffice.

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Some Interesting Comparisons.

A man who doesn't mind devoting his time to the making of comparisons has made the following geographical discoveries: Greece is about as large as the State of Vermont; Palestine is about one-fourth as large as the State of New York; the Caspian Sea is as long as from Philadelphia to Pittsburg; Hindoostan is about twenty-five times as large as the State of New York; and the Desert of Sahara has almost exactly the number of square miles that the United States has. The Mediterranean Sea is big enough to cut the United States in two across its greatest breadth, making an open sea from New York to Vancouver. Great Britain and Ireland have about the same number of square miles as Arizona; Madagascar is about as large as New Hampshire, Massachusetts, Vermont, Connecticut, New York, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Virginia, and North Carolina combined, while the area of England is no greater than that of the State of Iowa.

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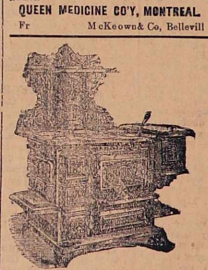

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Some Fine Overcoatings and Suitings. Orders taken by Mr. O'Brien. First-class it guaranteed.

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CIVIC NOMINATIONS.

SEVERAL GENTLEMEN PUT FORWARD FOR THE MAYORALTY

Only Three Men Will Offer Themselves for the Office—The City Hall Crowded—Nominations Elsewhere—Sidney and Thurlow Will not Have a Contest

Nominations for the mayoralty took place in the city hall at 10 a.m. yesterday. In spite of the fact that the day was generally observed as Christmas there was an unusually large turn-out of citizens. City Clerk D. B. Robertson presided as returning officer. When the hour for receiving nominations closed the following gentlemen had been nominated:

Francis S. Wallbridge, by Ex-Ald. F. J. M Anderson, seconded by W. H. Lingham.

Allan T. Petrie, by John Thompson, seconded by Hugh Walker.

Daniel Collins, by Wm. Connor, seconded by Harry Gardiner.

Ald. Lucombe, by Simeon Sheehan, seconded by Edward Deacon.

Col. Brown, by Wm. Clarke, seconded by Wm. Tennant.

Harry Fowell, by James Wallace, seconded by James St. Charles.

Nelson Lingham, by Geo. Dulmage, seconded by Isaac Frost.

E. Guy Porter, by W. H. Carter, seconded by J. McGuire.

Mayor Curtis Bogart, by D. Collins, seconded by John McKeown.

Francis S Wallbridge

Ald. Wallbridge was the first speaker. He did not see that Ald. Fowell had any claims on the mayoralty. He did not own a foot of property in Belleville and had only been a resident of the city for five or six years. Instead of his presence being a benefit to mechanics it was an injury. He was a dealer in carriages, harness, buggies, whips, agricultural implements, etc., which were made outside the city and which were brought in direct competition with Belleville manufacturers. He had only been in the city council two years and he did not think a man could gain much experience in municipal work in that time.

As to Ex-Ald. Petrie he had nothing to say against him as a man. He thought, however, that he was a little late in entering the field. Before the speaker had entered the contest he approached Mr. Petrie and said that if he or any of the "older heads" would come out he would not be a candidate. At that time Mr. Petre said he had no intention of entering the field. He was greatly surprised when he learned that he would be one of his opponents.

The speaker drew attention to the fact that matters of vital importance to the city would likely come before the council next year. In the matter of a sewerage the speaker did not think that the present state of the city's finances would warrant such a large expenditure at one time. He was favorable to the frontage tax system, by which any citizen who wanted sewerage should be compelled to pay for it. It had been said that the speaker was unfavorable to an electric street railway. He assured his hearers that it was not so. He was anxious to see the city go ahead and was willing to do anything in his power to advance an electric railway. He favored economy in municipal matters. He believed the council could get along with less money and thus reduce the taxes.

Hugh Walker's

Mr. Walker made a strong address in favor of A. T. Petre. He was one of the oldest residents of the city and a man who had given long and faithful service in the city council. He had never been mixed up in rings and schemes and had always been found fearless in his advocacy of what he considered right. The speaker believed that Mr. Fowell was to much of a stranger to entrust with the affairs of the city, especially in view of the fact that next year's council was likely to be a busy one. As to Ald. Wallbridge he was a "mere beardless youth"—no doubt a rising lawyer, but far too young to aspire to the highest office within the gift of the people.

Mr. John Thompson, concurred in the remarks made by Mr. Walker. Mr. Petrie was an old and tried civic officer and the citizens could not pay him any higher compliment than elect him mayor of the city.

Mr. Petrie was the next speaker. He wished his hearers a happy Christmas. In past years he had frequently been asked to offer himself for the mayoralty, but he had always felt he was too young. (Laughter). In his day such elderly men as Ben Davey and Francis McAnnany were elected to the office of mayor. The speaker said that he was born in Belleville 72 years ago when it was known as Myer's Creek. He remembered when the wild deer bounded through what are now the streets of Belleville. He had fished in Meyer's Creek and shot ducks on its shores. He had always tried to do his duty towards every man and if there was a man in Belleville who had a grievance he invited them to his shanty to-morrow and it would be made right. Had he not been a candidate himself he would support Mr. Wallbridge in preference to Mr. Fowell, because he did not think the latter had any claim on the office. It was only within the last few days that he had decided to become a candidate. Every time he came down street—and that was three or four times a day—he met Irishmen, Englishmen, Frenchmen, and sometimes a Scotchman, who said "Petrie show yourself." Under such pressure he could not refuse the nomination. He was in the field he meant to fight it out. The speaker in conclusion made a strong appeal to the electors to place him in office.

Ex-Ald. D. Collins, also spoke favorably to the election of Mr. Petrie.

Col. Brown in declining the honor, announced his intention to support Ex-Ald. Petrie, whom he had known since he was a boy.

Mr. James St. Charles, while seconding Mr. Fowell's nomination, had nothing to say against the other two candidates. He could point to nothing against the character of any of the candidates. If Mr. Petrie had come into the field earlier in the day he would have supported him, but since he had promised to support Mr. Fowell he would not go back on his word. Mr. Fowell had come to the city and had gone into business here. He had announced his intention of staying here and believed he should be anxious to attract such men to the city.

H Fowell

Mr. Fowell in rising to speak was received with applause. He said that his only sin seemed to be that he had not been born in Belleville. He had not pushed himself to the people. He came to Belleville as a business man and had been requested by a largely signed petition to offer himself for municipal honors. He did not think his residence in other cities during most of his life would be to the disadvantage of Belleville. He had gained much experience in that time which would be valuable to this city. It was while in the employ of the Massey Manufacturing Co. that he had come to Belleville. He was at once taken up with the city and decided to make it his headquarters. He had brought capital to the city and intended to stay here.

While he had not been long in the city council he could say that he had always tried to do his duty. He had never shirked his work for fear of criticism. Since he had been in the council he had held chairmanships and acted on most of the important committees. He brought in a resolution which compelled the police department to keep a check on the gas and electric lights and which had been the means of a large saving to the city. After the demise of Mr. Hyde, the late health inspector, it was owing to the speaker's suggestion that this department was placed in the hands of the police. He believed that the work had been well done while the city had saved $300. The speaker took hold of the fire committee when the public press was complaining of the management of the fire department. It was through his efforts that the Water Works Company were compelled to furnish the city with a better water supply. In referring to the late purchase of hose the speaker stated that the fire department never had better hose. As chairman of the fire committee he furnished the city with a hose wagon for $225, when the lowest outside tender was $325. The speaker said he was in favor of reducing the number of aldermen to fourteen. While retaining seven wards he would have each alderman elected by the whole electorate, if he was elected mayor the speaker said he would endeavor to secure an electric street railway to Belleville.

The other gentlemen nominated for the office declined the honor, while thanking their friends for their support. Nelson Lingham resigned in favor of Ald. Fowell.

Aldermanic Nominations

BELLEVILLE.—Coleman ward, E. Clarke, T. Luscombe, F. Sills; Dover, F. Lamberger. Murney ward—J. Walmsley, Jos. Vandusen, L. Grills, A. Robinson, W. Hopkins. Sampson ward—N. Lingham, D Fraser, D. Collins, F. E. O'Flynn, J. Mackie. Baldwin ward—J. Doyle, W. W. Chown, T. Spafford, J. F. Wills. Foster ward—E. Larochelle, J. Sheehy, W. Haight. Geo. Benson, C. Pettit. Kelson ward—Jas. Starling, W. J. Diamond, W. N. Ponton, W. H. Gordon. Bleecker ward—M. Graham, C. Harte, D. Hayes, V. Wansley.

Nominations Elsewhere

DESERONTO.—Mayor, E. W. Rathbun, acclamation; reeve, W. R. Aylsworth, acclamation; deputy reeve, A. B. Rathbun, acclamation; aldermen, East ward, A. A. Richardson, Wm. Evans, Wm. Mellow, all by acclamation; Centre ward, A. S. Walsh, Jas. Whitton, Geo. A. Parsham, all elected by acclamation; West ward, Wm. Irvine, John Dalton, R. Geddis, A. L. Chandler, R. Cronk; school trustees, Centre ward, John Edwards; West ward, Wm. Evans; East ward, R. Geddis, all elected by acclamation.

CAMPBELLFORD.—Reeve.—C. I. Owen. Deputy Reeve—R. B. Denike.

SKYMOUR TOWNSHIP—Reeve, F. Macoun.

HASTINGS—Reeve, F. W. Fowlds.

THURLOW—N. Vermilyea, reeve; Dr. D. W. Faulkner, 1st Deputy; J. K. McCargar, 2nd Deputy; G. N. Caldwell 3rd Deputy; Wm. Sheffield, Councillor, all by acclamation.

MADOC TOWNSHIP—Reeve, James English, Wm. Thompson; 1st deputy, John West, Alex. Glover; 2nd deputy, Wm. Fox, Angus Nicholson; Councillors, Wm. Long, Donald McKinnon, McCay Jones, Jas. Dovelin.

HUNTINGDON.—Reeve, Hagarty and Robinson; deputy, Reid by acclamation; councillors, A Ketcheson, Fleming, McMullen by acclamation.

TP. TYENDINAGA.—Reeve, Wm. McLaren by acclamation; 1st deputy, W. E. Gillespie, Albert Pitman, and Dennis Hanley; 2nd deputy, John Emmons and P. McAlpin; councillors, John McFarlane and Robt. H. Scott by acclamation.

BRIDGEWATER—Elzivir—Reeve, Frank Thompson, acclamation. Councillors—Mr. Moor, McIlroy, Crattrix, Diamond, and Dave Thompson.

STIRLING VILLAGE—Reeve, W. S. Martin, acclamation. Councillors—C. J. Bouldrick, F. B. Parker, W. Wright, J. Shawall, by acclamation.

RAWDON TP.—Reeve, Jas Whitton, and Jas. Montgomery.—1st deputy, Allen Reid, Paul Kingston.—2nd deputy, John Bateman, John Tanner. Councillors—Chas. J. Thompson, Jas. Belshaw, John Morrow.

TWEED VILLAGE, Reeve—Adam McGowan, T E Pomeroy. Councillors—R. T. Houston, Wm White, John Alexander, Sandy Grant, Jas Holdcroft, Jas Quinn.

TPS. MARMORA AND LAKE—Reeve, J W Pearce, W E Gladney. Deputy, Wm. Hilton, Ralph Laycock. Councillors, Thomas Campion, John Hamilton, Edward Nihill, William Pagett, John Richardson, James Scott.

MADOC VILLAGE—Reeve, Fred Rollins, Jas Whytock. Councillors, C G Wilson, A Coe, W S Volume, Geo Conley, J R Orr, T Embury, Dr Bowen, J C Dale.

TOWNSHIP OF ANELIASBURG—Reeve, Wm Anderson, Wm Peck. 1st deputy, Jas E Glenn, Cyrus Giles. 2nd deputy, Ed Anderson, Wesley Weese. Councillors, Stephen Dempsey, Jacob Young, David Robinson, Albert Long.

A Love Song in M Flat

"My modest matchless Madeline!
Mark my melodious midnight moans;
Much may my melting music mean—
My modulated monotones."

This young man stayed out too late, serenading his lady love. He caught a cold, which developed into catarrh, but he cured it with Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy, a sovereign specific for chronic cases, "Cold in the head," Catarrhal headache. It corrects the tainted breath, stops the offensive discharges, heals the irritated throat and nose, leaving the head clear, and smell and taste unimpaired. It costs but 50 cents, and the propietors offer in good faith $500 for a case they cannot cure.

Cold Days

These are very cold days and those who have to be out without sufficient clothing to keep them warm, must suffer. Do you know that it does not require a large amount of money to be properly dressed? At the Oak Hall you can get a splendid suit or overcoat for $5.

A Cause for Complaint

People who had business on the market Saturday, complain very severely of the cold state of the market building. Some ladies who had driven long distances and then had to stand for four hours in an atmosphere below zero had just cause for complaint.

Some Strange Misnomers

Much of the Russia leather comes from Connecticut, Bordeaux wine from California, Italian marble from Kentucky, French lace from New York, and Spanish mackerel from the New Jersey coast. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery comes from Buffalo, N.Y., but there is nothing in its name to criticise for it is truly golden in value, as thousands gladly testify. Consumption is averted by its use, and it has wrought many positive cures. It corrects torpid liver and kidneys, purifies the blood banishes dyspepsia and scrofula, renews the lease of life, and tones up the system as nothing else will do. What is more, it is guaranteed to do all this, or the price is refunded.

Dr. Butler's Golden Pills are the best remedy for improving the complexion removing pimples, black heads, etc

TO FREE THE BONDMEN

THE THRILLING EXPERIENCE OF A FORMER BELLEVILLIAN

(Continued from Saturday.)

Dr. Ross was initiated into a knowledge of the relief societies and the underground adopted to circulate information among the slaves of the south; the routes to be taken by the slaves after reaching the so-called free states and the relief posts where shelter and aid for transportation could be obtained. The fugitive was not safe until he reached Canadian soil as under the provisions of the "Fugitive slave law" the north was compelled to act as a police detective for the capture and return to slavery of the runaways. Gerrit Smith also accompanied Dr. Ross to Ohio and Indiana, where he made the personal acquaintance of friends in those States who at the risk of life and property gave shelter to the fugitive and help them to reach Canada. There was then much diversity of opinion among abolitionists as to the methods that should be employed to free the slave from bondage. While he sympathized with every man and woman who desired the freedom of the slave, Dr. Ross views accorded with those who believed human slavery to be such a monstrous wrong and injustice that any measure, no matter how violent, was justifiable in so holy a cause. In Philadelphia he made the necessary preparation for active work in the Southern states, being assisted by his good friends, Gerrit Smith, Theodore Parker and Lewis Tappan. In undertaking this mission he did not disguise from himself the dangers he would have to encounter, nor the fact that a speedy and perhaps cruel death would be his lot should his purpose become known. He felt convinced, however, that he only effectual way to help the slaves was to aid them to escape from bondage. To accomplish that it was necessary to go to them, advise them and give them practical assistance. For with but few exceptions the slaves were in absolute ignorance of everything beyond their plantation or town. Before leaving Philadelphia it was mutually agreed between Dr. Ross' friends and himself in respect to confidential correspondence that the term "hardware" was to mean females and "drygoods" females. He was to notify his friends in Philadelphia if possible whenever a package of "hardware" or "dry goods" was started for freedom, and they in turn were to warn the friends in Ohio and Pennsylvania to be on the look out for runaways.

Early in May Dr. Ross crossed the Potomac en route for Richmond. The only weapon he carried was a revolver which had been presented to him by a Bostonian who afterwards became governor of Massachusetts. In Richmond he went to the house of a friend, and, having determined upon the best plan to adopt, he invited a number of the most intelligent, active and reliable slaves to meet him at the house of a colored preacher on Sunday evening. On the night appointed 42 slaves assembled. To whom he explained his purpose in visiting the slave states, the various routes from Virginia to Ohio and Pennsylvania and the names of friends in border towns who would help them on to Canada. He requested them to circulate this information discreetly, and told them that if any of their number desired to make the attempt to gain their freedom he would supply them with weapons to defend themselves and as much food as they could conveniently carry. On the next Sunday evening there were at the same house nine stout intelligent young men, ready to gain their freedom or die in the attempt. to each he gave a few dollars, a pocket compass, knife, pistol and as much cold meat and bread as could be carried with ease. They were to travel only by night and the route was to be through Pennsylvania to Erie, and thence to Canada. They all arrived safely at their destination and in 1863 the doctor enlisted three of them in a colored regiment in Philadelphia formed for service in the war that gave freedom to their race. Two of the nine fugitives from Richmond were married men and left their wives and children behind them. One of the women made her escape and reached Canada within six months after her husband had gained his liberty, and together they lived and prospered at Chatham. On the day following the departure of the little band, Dr. Ross left Richmond and went to Nashville, Tenn., where as a result of his work seven more slaves were started upon the road to freedom. They got at Nashville and next evening the doctor mailed letters to friends in Evansville, Ind., Cincinnati and Cleveland to keep a sharp look out for "packages of hardware." As he was leaving the post office a man handed him a small printed bill announcing the escape of thirteen slaves from Richmond and offering a reward of $1,000 for the capture. Dr. Ross concluded it was about time to leave for other fields of labor, and next day started for Memphis. There he went to a hotel, and, being tired, he lay down upon a couch to rest. He fell asleep, but was awakened by the shouting of a newsboy under his window. The burden of his cry was the escape of several slaves from Nashville in one night. Dr. Ross called to the boy to bring the paper up. The paper announced the escape of seven slaves from Nashville, and stated that a reward of $300 would be paid for the return of each of the slaves and $1,200 for the apprehension of the "accursed" abolitionist who had induced them to forsake their masters. Dr. Ross realizing the danger he was in, left the hotel and went to the humble dwelling of a colored man upon whom he had been told in Nashville he could rely. That poor negro, though he could have secured the reward of $1,200, upon reading the offer in the newspaper, grasped the doctor's hand and said "Massa, I'd die for you. What shall we do?" The paper also contained the announcement that a steamer would leave for St. Louis that night at 9 o'clock. It was then 3, so that he had six hours to remain in the very jaws of death. While changing his attire he heard an animated discussion in the next room between the negro man, his host, and his partner. The woman implored him to ask Dr. Ross to take her to Canada, where her husband then was. The man told her the doctor's life was already in danger, and that if she were to go with him it would render his escape very difficult. Still she continued to beg. Dr. Ross determined to take her, and at his suggestion she was dressed in male attire, that she might accompany him in the capacity of valet. He named her "Sam" and called himself "Mr. Smith of Kentucky." Upon arriving at the landing they found that the steamer did not leave until nearly 11, and they were compelled to spend two hours of misery, every minute being filled with visions of disaster. Byand-by the boat started, and they breathed easier. Dr. Ross and his charge reached St Louis safely and thence journeyed by the way of Chicago to Detroit, where under the cover of darkness they were rowed across the river to Windsor. The fugitive slave was sent on to London, where she joined her husband and wherein 1863 Dr. Ross dined at their pretty little home

(To be Continued)

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Silk Braces
Fancy Braces
Silk Cuffs
Wool Cuffs
Cuff Buttons
Scarf Pins
Collar Buttons
White Dress Shirts
English Dress Shirts
Flannel Shirts
Linen Collars and Cuffs
Celluloid Collars and Cuffs
Silk Umbrellas, Fancy Handles
Walking Sticks
Waterproof Coats
Fine Kid Gloves
Lined Kid Gloves
Astrachan Gloves, Kid Mitts
Wool Mitts
Cardigan Jackets, etc

FOR LADIES

Silk Shawls from Japan
Silk Handkerchiefs from Japan
Initial Silk Handkerchiefs
The new White Crepe dkfs!
Windsor Ties, etc.

FOR BOYS

Gloves and Mitts
Wool and Silk Cuffs
Braces
White and Flannel Shirts
Collars and Cuffs
Scarf Pins
Cuff Buttons
Collar Buttons
Kid Gloves
Astrachan Gloves
Silk Handkerchiefs
Linen Handkerchiefs
Fancy Handkerchiefs
Windsor Ties
Knot Ties
Four-in-hand Ties
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1.00 Heavy all wool under'wr	65.	40 Cashmere Socks "	25

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Ever though our Christmas sales have exceeded those of any previous year we have still in stock a choice assortment of holiday goods comprising Austrian Art goods, Persian Silver Cases, and Novelties, Plush and Leather Cases and Photo Albums, etc. etc. etc.

The entire line will be sold during the holiday week at a discount of 25 per cent.

Remember all are new goods but they must be cleared out to make room for the newest lines to be shown next year.

We continue for this week our sales of sleighs and dolls and will sell out the complete le at just half price.

C. B. SCANTLEBURY,

MAYORALTY

To the Electors of the City of Belleville:

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

I respectfully solicit your votes and influence for Mayor of the City of Belleville for 1893. I was born in Belleville have lived among you all my life, and am personally known to most of you.

I have been an alderman in the City Council for four years and during that time have endeavored to represent you straightforwardly and faithfully. My platform is "Economy" in city affairs. If elected I will exert myself to further the best interests of the city.

Yours respectfully,

Francis S. Wallbridge.

MAYORALTY.

To the Electors of my Native City:

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

For years past I have had the offer of support for the Civic Chair, but at the present time to many of my old friends have brought more pressure to bear than I can decently withstand. I have been asked to stand for the highest position that the citizens can confer on any one. Among the men who offer me their support are to be found Irishmen, Englishmen, Dutchmen, Frenchmen and now and then a Scotchmen, besides a good many Canadians. To the electors I am no stranger. I have been a member of the City Council for the greater part of a quarter of a century and during that time have done what I felt was for the best interest of the city and will continue on the same line if successful at the coming election. I am in favor of strict economy in city affairs and decrease of our indebtedness. At the nomination I will freely give my views on the situation, and with much respect ask that when you mark your ballot you will not forget

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Belleville, Dec. 20, 1892

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NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the shareholders of the Bay of Quinte Bridge Company will be held at the City Hall building in the city of Belleville, on Monday, the 9th day of January, 1893, at the hour of 8 o'clock, p. m., for the purpose of receiving the report of the directors for the past year, for the election of directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of such other business as may be deemed proper and necessary.

U. E. THOMPSON,
Sec'y and Treas.

Belleville, Dec. 15 1892. 2sd

TAXES!

TAKE NOTICE

That 3 per cent. will be added to all unpaid Taxes after the end of this month, and after January 5 per cent

24th Dec., '92.

J. W. BUTTERFIELD,
COLLECTOR.

MAYORALTY.

Ladies and Gentlemen.

Having been requested by a large number of influential electors of the city of Belleville to offer myself for Mayor for 1893, I have consented to do so, and now respectfully solicit your votes and influence. I have resided in the city six years, three of which I have served in the city council and school board. I would respectfully refer you to my work therein. I come out as a business man having had 20 years business experience in different parts of Canada, which is of great service to anyone in filling the civic chair. I have chosen Belleville as my home and have invested all my capital in and around the city, and my interests being centered here I will, if elected, do all in in my power as I have done heretofore, to advance the best interests of the city. I strongly urge the reduction of the number of Aldermen and shall use every endeavor to carry into effect the proposal made by me to the council in respect to it last year.

I have also in view the grave necessity of getting the city in the best sanitary condition possible to enable us better to cope with the cholera epidemic should it reach us next year.]

HARRY FOWELL

To the Electors Ketcheson Ward

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,—I respectfully ask your votes and influence as a Candidate for Alderman for 1893. I am in favor of the reduction of aldermen to at least fourteen to be elected by the whole city. The present wards to remain intact. I will support all measures which as a citizen I think to be in the best interest of the present position and future progress of this city, believing neither in undue municipal extravagence nor in false economy.

WILLIAM N. PONTON.

Belleville, Dec. 1892.

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AND
TABLE DELICACIES

FINEST TABLE RAISINS
FINEST TABLE FIGS
FINEST MALAGA GRAPES
FINEST FLORIDA ORANGES
FINE TABLE PRUNES
FINE TURKISH DATES

New Grenoble Walnuts
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New Sicily Filberts,
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Genuine Roquefort Cheese,
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Prime old Cheddar Cheese, 1st prize

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Canned Pineapples, Canned Peach
British Columb Egg Plums,
French Mushrooms, French Mushrooms,
[In glass bottles] [In tins]
French Peas, [In tins]
Canned String Beans, Canned Green Peas,
Canned Sugar Corn, Canned Tomatoes.

ROSSE & BLACKWELL'S PICKLES

Pickled Walnuts, Pickled White Onions
Pickled Girkins, Pickled Chow Chow
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A FINE ASSORTMENT.

FINE BREAKFAST TEAS,
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Fearman's and Lowry's Celebrated Christmas Hams and Bacon.

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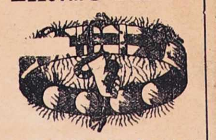

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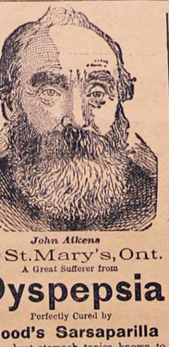

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L. A. APPLEBY,
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Dec. 27th, 1892.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

Take notice that the council of the corporation of the county of Hastings will meet in the Shire Hall, in Belleville, on

Tuesday, January 17

1893, at the hour of 2 p.m., for the despatch of general business.

All parties having accounts against the corporation are requested to hand them in not later than the second morning of the session.

By order
JAMES T. BELL.
County Clerk, Co, H.

Shire Hall, Belleville, Dec. 27, '92.

To the Electors of Sampson Ward:

Having been nominated as candidate for Alderman for Sampson Ward without my knowledge, I at first decided to withdraw, but at the request of a number of the influential electors in the ward I have consented to allow the nomination to stand, and if elected will endeavor to merit your confidence.

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CANADIAN MINES FURNISH THE GREATEST SUPPLY.

Trade With the United States Has Awakened British Experts to Make an Investigation—An Interesting Account of the Mines.

SUDBURY, Ont., Dec. 28.—This is the place where the United States Navy Department obtains its nickel for the manufacture of nickel-steel armor plates. The town is merely a clearing in the woods, but it stands on the Canadian Pacific main line, is the junction from which a branch runs to the Sault, connecting with the Minneapolis and Duluth lines, and is the centre of the richest mining district in Canada.

Copper was discovered here during the construction of the Canadian Pacific. A number of Cleveland and Akron capitalists became interested, and on sending samples of the ore for analysis to the Orford Company of New York it was found that nickel existed in large quantities. This "find" was confirmed by the analysis of the Vivian Refining Works at Swansea, in Wales, and before long Secretary Tracy and Commodore Folger were put in possession of specimens of nickel steel. Up to this the world's supply of nickel, used principally in making nickel silver spoons, forks, coins and plated ware, had come from the Lancaster Gap mine in Pennsylvania, owned by Joseph Wharton, and from the mines in the French penal colony of New Caledonia. The New Caledonia nickel is found in beds of serpentine, but the veins are shallow, and in miner's parlance not persistent. The ore is mined by primitive methods, convict labor being employed as well as native and Chinese labor, and carried many miles to the blast furnaces, which are fed with Australian coke and coal. The cost of transportation alone is a heavy item and the fuel is dear. The object in smelting the ore is to produce a matte. Nickel matte bears the same relation to refined nickel that pig-iron bears to refined iron and steel. In 1882 the average price of nickel in the United States was about $1 a pound. The American production was under 300,000 pounds. The price in England was somewhat less, the English supply coming from New Caledonia, the mines of which were opened in 1876. The development of the Sudbury deposits has reduced the price to 50 cents, and when appliances for treating the matte have been established on a large scale, refined nickel can probably be bought for 25 cents or less.

Specimens of wrought and forged nickel were exhibited by Mr. Wharton at the Philadelphia Exhibition in 1876. The metal was discovered in 1751, but had seldom been seen in its pure state until Mr. Wharton took hold of it. The use of nickel as an alloy of steel gave it great economic importance. The compound is tougher and much more ductile and elastic than steel itself, and does not rust under water. English metallurgists employed it in the manufacture of gun barrels, but the real credit of "bringing out" nickel steel belongs to the Navy Department at Washington. The experiments with armor plates instituted by Mr. Tracy soon attracted attention in England. At first the English ordnance experts were disposed to pooh-pooh the extraordinary results obtained at the Indian Head proving grounds, but last year the Admiralty virtually admitted that Mr. Tracy had taught it something—a confession not often made by that body. In a memorandum prepared by Lord George Hamilton for the guidance of Parliament in voting the appropriations for the Navy it was stated that the armor plates of nickel-steel "combined resistance to perforation with freedom from serious cracking," and that extensive orders had been given for nickel armor as the secondary defence of new battleships. Lord George added that, while nickel steel was superior to ordinary steel when used in thicknesses of three or four inches, "the experiments with greater thicknesses do not at present place it in so good a relative position," but it is understood that his successor has found a 10½ inch plate, such as that used by Mr. Tracy, superior to a 12-inch plate of ordinary armor steel. Admiralty agents have recently visited Sudbury to consult with the Vivian people, who have a mine and smelting works.

The McKinley tariff admits nickel ore and matte free, repealing the old duty of 15 cents per pound. Nearly the whole product of the Sudbury mines has thus far gone to the United States for armor plate purposes. Seven mines have been opened, and others worked to a limited extent. Nickel-bearing ore has also been found near Ottawa. The experts say that the supply in the Sudbury country is practically inexhaustible; they speak of six or seven hundred million tons being in sight, and predict that in a few years 20,000 tons of nickel will be produced annually. Much depends on the Dominion Government.

The ore is both roasted and smelted. In building a roasting heap a layer of fine ore is placed on a bed of clay and gravel, and covered with 18 inches of dry pine. Another layer of ore is put on, and then more pine. There are openings for draughts at the sides and ends, and sticks set upright throughout the heap serve as flues. Each heap is kept burning for a month, sometimes for two, those containing the largest proportion of sulphur and iron requiring the longest and fiercest combustion. The furnaces are of the Herteshoff patent. They are made of rolled steel, with a water space of two inches between the outer and inner plates, and cast iron bottoms protected by fire brick. They are elliptical in form, ...diameter ranging from three feet or ... nine feet ... square ... clay ... [illegible] ...tains from 10 to 20 per cent. of nickel, the other components being copper, iron, sulphur, cobalt and slag. Experiments are being made with new furnaces in the hope of increasing the richness of the matte, so as to save expense in transportation. The contract between the United States Government and the Carnegie and Bethlehem works, where the armor-plates are made, calls for 3½ per cent. of nickel in the steel. Thus an ingot of 60 tons of nickel steel, sufficient to make two plates of the regulation size, contains about two tons of nickel. The plates are forged under steam hammers, bent to shape with hydraulic presses, and cut with saws and planes to fit the place designed for them on the warship. There are no refining works in Canada.

All the untaken mineral lands in this region belong to the Crown, and the Crown means the Government of the Province of Ontario. Until lately the land, including everything on the surface and everything below, was sold out-and-out at $2 per acre, without any conditions as to working being imposed on the purchaser. This led to the wholesale grabbing of land by speculators. In 1891 an act was passed attaching working conditions to all conveyances from the Crown from that date and exacting a royalty of 3 per cent. on nickel. The royalty does not take effect until seven years after the issue of the patent. Leases can be had at a low figure, and a good deal of land is being taken up by lease. Prospectors have found gold, silver and platinum, but nickel and copper are and will continue to be the chief sources of mineral wealth. The average assay value of the ore is about 3 per cent. of nickel, but a certain amount is lost in smelting. Labor is cheap and there is an abundance of water and of wood for roasting. Connellsville coke is used in the furnaces. It is brought in by the Canadian Pacific and the cost is heavy. There is no coal in any part of Ontario.

The nickel ore—nickeliferous pyrrhotite is the technical name—is found in the midst of rocks of different characters belonging to different horizons, but greenstone seems to be the parent rock. The nickel tract is 70 miles from southwest to northeast by 50 from southeast to northwest. All through nickel and copper are mixed together, and it is supposed that the deposits are equal in point of depth to their horizontal extension. But this is only guess-work. There appears to be no reason why nickel steel should not be used in the making of cannon, small arms, cutlery, boilers and other articles in which strength, malleability, capacity to take a polish and freedom from rusting are valuable properties. For the present, however, armor plates occupy the field.

A BAD TUMBLE.

An Amateur Fireman Put His Trust in an Icy Roof.

PORT HOPE, Dec. 28.—As the congregations were going churchward on Sunday night, an alarm fire was sounded, and Street Surveyor William Ray's house in King-street was found to be on fire.

Prompt application of water by the old reliable hand bucket line was effectual in preventing any great damage. The fire started through a defective chimney flue.

As the last bucket was thrown on the person who was holding the bottom of the ladder, concluding that his usefulness was gone, left his post.

The natural consequence was that Capt. Henning was "called down" from the icy roof as soon as the stability of the ladder was questioned.

Capt Henning had a severe fall, a distance of some 14 feet, upon the frozen earth. He was insensible, but soon rallied. No bones were broken, but he got severely bruised and will have to remain under the doctor's care for a few days.

OIL CAN AND CAP.

Marked the Spot Where a Boy Went Through the Ice.

RENFREW, Ont., Dec. 28.—On Monday Eugene McCarthy, Griffith, left his son, a lad of 14, at the store of George Smith, Griffith, telling the boy to wait at the store till he returned. But he was a much longer time than expected; and the boy started to walk home, up the river, carrying a coal oil can and some other small articles.

When the father arrived home, the boy was not there; but no alarm was felt, as it was supposed he had stopped at his uncle Comingsford's, whose house was nearer the river. Next day Mr. McCarthy started early for Renfrew.

As the boy did not turn up, the mother grew anxious and sent a neighbor in search. He found the boy's cap and the coal-oil can beside a hole in the ice; and it is supposed that the little fellow had broken through the ice and been drowned.

A TOUGH CHRISTMAS EVE.

A Brakesman Fell Off a Train and Lay in the Bitter Cold.

PORT HOPE, Dec. 28.—David Thompson, brakesman on Conductor Riley's train on the Midland, met with a very serious accident on Saturday last. While in the act of putting on brakes between Garden Hill and Millbrook he fell from the train, and was not missed owing to the crowds at the station. When the train arrived at Peterboro a special train was at once sent back over the line to look for him.

He was found insensible near Garden Hill by the side of the track, where he had been in the bitter cold from two to three hours. Examination proved that no bones were broken, but the unfortunate man was seriously shaken up and severely frost-bitten.

He was taken to his home in Toronto and his injuries received the best attention.

A TREE ON FIRE.

Falls on a Cabin and Kills a Rancher on Christmas Night.

LANGLEY, B.C., Dec. 28.—John Jackson, a bush rancher living on the Bigger trail, about a mile from the Yale road, was found dead and partly burned near his cabin on Christmas night. A burning tree had fallen on the cabin, and he was killed while running away. He came originally from Paisley, Ont., and was five years on his ranch.

Fooling With a Pistol.

MONTREAL, Dec. 28.—Mr. Olivier Lacoursiere, a farmer of Batiscan, found a loaded revolver in one of the drawers of a bureau. As he thought, he extracted all the cartridges safely before giving the weapon to his son to play with. Evidently he missed one, for the next moment the pistol exploded and Mr. Lacoursiere received a bullet in the thigh. A doctor was summoned, who pronounced the wound a painful but not a dangerous one.

Frost in the South.

CHARLESTON, S.C., Dec. 28.—A blizzard struck Charleston yesterday, and for the first time within the past 15 years housetops were covered with a thin coating of snow and sleet. The mercury averaged about 3 or 4 degrees below freezing point during the day.

Peary's Expedition.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Dec. 28.—Lieut. Peary, the Arctic explorer, has engaged a ship at St. John's, N.F., to take him on another expedition in search of the North Pole.

Rebel Successes.

BUENOS AYRES, Dec. 28.—The rebels in the Province of Corrientes, Argentine Republic, have defeated the provincial troops in a number of skirmishes and have seized the towns of Mercedes and Caseros and the railway lines from that district.

Blaine's Condition.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—At 9.30 o'clock last evening, Mr. Blaine was reported as resting easy and that his family anticipated no fear of an uncomfortable night. Some time afterward his family retired.

Left But One.

SNOW HILL, Ala., Dec. 28.—Fire broke out here last night and destroyed every business house in the town except one. The total loss is $25,000; insurance about one-half.

A Desolating Fire.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Dec. 22.—Fire at Duquesne destroyed six dwellings and for a time threatened the whole village. Twelve families were left homeless. Loss $15,000.

Another Appointment.

OTTAWA, Dec. 22.—William G. Parmeele, Commissioner of Customs, has been appointed Deputy Minister of Trade and Commerce. He will also act as Chief Comptroller of Chinese Immigration.

BROKE A SHAFT AT SE

THE STEAMER NOORDLAND HAS NARROW ESCAPE.

Terrible Storm Raging—Bitter Cold Weather—People Tossed About Like Ni... pins—All the Crew Manned the Pump—A Steamer Sighted—Towed Into Por...

LONDON, Dec. 28.—The Nordland's shaft is broken. The Ohio took her to Queenstown.

The voyage of the Nordland was tempestuous almost from the hour of leaving Sandy Hook. The wind blew almost a hurricane, and the ship had much difficulty in making headway through the waves.

Some of the passengers were so apprehensive of danger that they could not be induced to retire at night and sat about the saloon dozing at intervals and ready with their clothes on to take to the boats in the event of an accident, although boats could have lived only by a miracle in the terrible seas.

The Nordland labored along successfully until Thursday evening. It was a bitter cold night and the passengers were congratulating themselves on gradually nearing the end of their stormy voyage. At 9.20 p.m. a tremendous crash was heard and the vessel quivered from end to end.

The passengers who were sitting up were tossed about like nine-pins, several of them being thrown to the floor. Three terrific blows resounded, one after the other, as if the vessel was being struck by a gigantic hammer, which indeed was the fact. The fright of some of the people was pitiful to behold.

They rushed hither and thither and delayed the officers in their efforts to get at the cause and extent of the disaster. Capt. Nickels knew well enough what the sound meant, and with a reassuring word to the passengers he hastened to investigate personally. The engines raced furiously, while the broken shaft—for that proved to be the danger—seemed about to crush the ship at every concussion.

Water rushed in the tube, menacing the stokehold and the engine rooms, and panic stricken passengers thought for a while that the vessel was about to sink. Several minutes elapsed before the word was given for the engines to stop.

The Norland lay helpless, tossed by the gale, and as the water rushed in there seemed imminent danger of sinking. The pumps were manned and put to work every man of the crew being summoned to duty. For 24 hours continuously the pumps were kept at work and the water prevented from gaining on the vessel.

The excited passengers, finding that they were not in instant peril of being swallowed up by the waves, regained courage and patiently waited for a steamer to tow them into port.

At that time the Noordland was 400 miles west of Queenstown. The crippled steamer was sighted by the steamship Ohio which left Philadelphia on the same day that the Noordland left New York and needed assistance was at once extended.

The voyage to Queenstown in tow was attended by much difficulty, and the continuous stormy weather made it necessary to navigate with caution, but the Noordland arrived without further accident. An examination showed that the fracture of the shaft was six feet inside the stern.

The steamer Noordland was towed into Queenstown harbor by the steamer Ohio at 7 o'clock this evening. All the passengers were on deck waving hats and handkerchiefs and cheering. Anchor was dropped and the passengers were removed to shore by a tender. All showed signs of the anxiety which they had suffered.

Some of the elderly steerage passengers were hardly able to walk. Several women fell on their knees and cried the moment they were landed.

Fred Kotz, a first cabin passenger, now stopping at the Queenstown Hotel, told his experience last night as follows:

The first two days out of New York were fairish, although part of the time a heavy sea was running. The weather then grew rapidly worse. On the night of the accident we were making about 12 knots an hour. The ship was rolling heavily, and most of the cabin passengers were below sick. Five or six of us were in the smoking room talking about how we should pass Christmas in Antwerp, when there was a terrific crash and we were thrown from our seats into a heap on the floor. The vibration of the ship almost shook us from our feet as we started for the door. It seemed as if a gigantic hammer was pounding the ship's bottom.

When we got outside we saw the captain coming from the engine room. The passengers came running on deck, half dressed and white from fear.

We surrounded the captain and he told us that the main shaft was broken, but there was no immediate reason for alarm. The other officers who were not busy below walked about among the passengers incessantly, and tried to encourage all to believe that there was no danger. In a few minutes we learned that the engineers, at great risk to their lives, had found two stay plates and plumber blocks had smashed the gland of the engine. The bulkhead, however, had been kept tight. The vessel pitched and rolled terribly, so that we saw we could not trust to the boats in case the worst came.

We were just becoming calmer when we saw the crew rushing through the steerage carrying bedding, mats and carpets to be stuffed into the tunnel box. We all knew then that water was coming in.

Nobody slept that night. The women sat crying in the cabins and the men crowded the smoking room to play cards and talk over the situation. We all were badly frightened. The vessel rolled terribly and with every roll came a tremendous thump as if a piece of shaft was loose and smashing things in the hold. The sails had been spread, but they did not steady the ship noticeably. We knew that we were far from the track of transatlantic steamships, and most of us on that night would not have guessed that our chances of life were more than two in five.

The crew worked heroically, at the pumps for the 24 hours after the accident and at the same time the engineers were busy at the shaft, fixing plugs and trying to prevent further influx of water.

Eventually word was sent out that the flow of water had been checked. We had plenty of food and water, and therefore with fairly favorable weather would have been able to hold our own for some time. As the sea was still too rough, however, for any lifeboat, we were a gloomy lot.

Friday was uneventful. The tables were laid as usual, but few cared to eat. At ... o'clock on Saturday morning the lookout yelled, "Light ahead." Everybody turned out and listened eagerly for the next word.

"She's a steamer," was the next call. We all shook hands and cheered and many ... about shouting for joy. We all remained on deck the rest of the night watching the Ohio's lights. At daylight she stood ... and passed a hawser. At that time as I learned subsequently, the after-peak was full of water, and despite their expressions of confidence the officers of the ship were intensely anxious.

The Ohio began towing us very slow...

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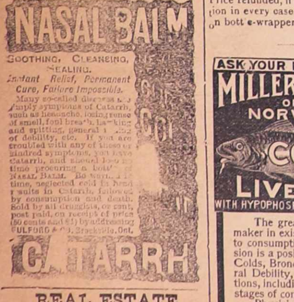

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BELLEVILLE, WEDNESDAY, DEC. 28th

IMPORTANT TO ADVERTISERS

The ONTARIO has the Largest bona-fide Circulation of any Paper in the Midland District.

NORTH HASTING'S ELECTION.

On Friday the 30th inst. the electors of North Hastings will be called upon to mark their ballots for or against the Government candidate. The contest is between two very highly respected residents of the riding, either of which would be a decided improvement over the late representative, who rather than suffer ignominious defeat in the near future has taken refuge among the aged gentlemen of the Senate It is a very fortunate thing for Mr. Bowell that this country provides a haven of rest for him and also a blessing to the riding, he has so long represented, simply in name. That North Hastings is to have a representative after their own choice and one who will devote himself solely, when in Parliament to wants of his constituents is now imminent. With regards the personal standing of the candidates, each are possessed of the necessary ability requisite for the office they seek. Therefore the electors will not be compelled to make their choice in this respect. The question which they will be called upon to decide is which policy would be the better for them to support, the one advocated by Mr. Carscallen that has proven to be a failure of the worst kind, or the policy which Mr. Vankleek offers with some encouragement to the disheartened yeoman of the riding being lifted upon his feet again and restored to the prosperous and happy days that he once enjoyed. Not a reasonable man in the riding but will frankly admit that that the policy of the present government is fast ruining the farmers. Other classes are protected, but the farmer is left to plod and labor away, and should he at any time attempt to express his dissatisfaction he is told to keep up his courage and stick to his party.

THOSE FALSE PROMISES.

The electors of North Hastings have been deceived so many times in the past with the false promises of unscrupulous supporters of the present government as to what great things would be done for them, that the ONTARIO will be mistaken very much in the material of which they are composed if they allow themselves to have the wool pulled over their eyes again and return a supporter of so dishonest and corrupt a government as now reside at Ottawa. Our friends in the North have learned to their sorrow that this party cry is only indulged in by those politicians who expect to be handsomely compensated for their trouble. Little they care whether the country prospers or goes down to ruin so long as they are liberally provided for.

THE FARMERS KNOW BETTER

Mr. Bowell attempts to console the farmers with glaring accounts of their prosperity, but every farmer knows that he could well afford to do the same thing if he received from the hard earnings of his countrymen the plump salary of $8,000 a year, saying nothing of incidentals Is it any wonder Mr. Bowell is so anxious the government of which he has long been a member should be sustained. Let every elector in North Hastings on Friday ask himself before he marks his ballot which policy will be the greatest benefit to him, not Mr. Bowell.

THE PRESENT POLICY A FARCE.

Every elector knows what the present policy has done for him and will continue to do if Mr. Carscallen is elected. He is well aware that the days of prosperity have gone, that labor as he may it is with the utmost impossibility the sheriff is kept from his door; as each and every year rolls around he finds himself saddling upon his family debts he is unable to meet, all of which have been brought upon him by the government Mr. Carscallen will support. We do not think with the experience of the past and the condition of affairs at present, that North Hastings will support such a policy

A NEW POLICY GIVING PROSPERITY.

On the other hand Mr. Vankleek will support a policy that will give them some suitable return for their labor He will support a policy that will bring them the prosperity they have longed for; he will support a policy that w.. give them a better market for their produce than they now enjoy, and w.. make them happy, contented and prosperous people.

BLUE RUIN OR PROSPERITY

These are the two policies and it remains for the electors of North Hastings to say which they will choose. We can confidently leave the matter with them to decide and hope to congratulate them upon the election of so worthy a representative as Peter Vankleek to the House of Commons on Friday.

Why His Wife is "Fidgety."

I have the best cook in the town,
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VERY DARING ROBBERY.

ON A LEADING STREET IN TORONTO AND IN DAYLIGHT.

Extraordinary Story Told By a Queen Street Jeweler—His Store Entered By Three Men Armed With Revolvers, Who Gag and Tie the Jewelers.

TORONTO, Dec. 28.—One of the most remarkable cases ever reported to the police authorities came to light yesterday. A. H. Dewdney & Bro., manufacturing jewelers at 61 King-street east, own a retail shop at 184 Queen-street east, which is under the management of Armour Davis. William Mitchell, a lad, assisted him in the store. They both reside in the West End and they came down to business together, reaching the store at 8.10 a.m. yesterday. What followed is told by them as follows: They proceeded to make ready for the business of the day, and while thus engaged three young men came in. As they entered Davis was behind the counter taking the more valuable portion of the stock out of the safe and placing it in the showcase. The boy was in the window cleaning it. Each of the three men produced a revolver, and covering Davis and the boy, ordered them into a room at the back of the shop. The two shop assistants were then securely bound with ropes and gagged with handkerchiefs, which the robbers stuffed into their mouths and tied in place with strong cords. One of the men then stood guard with a revolver over the captives while the other two went through the safe. They found about $500 in cash and a few small sums in packages belonging to the St. Clarens-avenue Methodist Church, of which Mr. Davis is treasurer, and $1.90, the property of the Sunday school of that church. Having secured the money they filled their pockets with all the jewelry they could lay their hands on. The small satchel in which Davis carried his lunch was taken possession of by the robbers, who transferred their plunder to it. The two men who had made the collection took the well-filled satchel and went out by the back way, leaving their confederate behind to prevent his prisoners freeing themselves and giving the alarm. He continued to keep guard for about three minutes after the departure of the two. Then he disappeared through the back door and left the man and the boy struggling to free themselves from their bonds. Finally, by a prodigious effort young Mitchell succeeded in getting his hands free, and after that it did not take long to loosen the ropes which held him fast. He rushed to the front door, opened it and then returned with a knife, with which in a couple of seconds he slashed asunder the ropes that held Davis. The manager ran into the street, gave the alarm and then proceeded to police headquarters.

SEVERE REVENGE.

A Railroad Man Killed While Seated Beside His Bride.

BRINKLEY, Ark., Dec. 28.—Yesterday afternoon George E. Moody entered a passenger coach of a Valley Route train where James Koorus, another railroad man, was sitting beside his bride of two weeks. Raising a double-barreled shotgun, Moody said: "You won't take back what you have said, will you?" and emptied both barrels into Koorus' face and body, killing him instantly.

Moody then boarded an engine and attempted to run it off, but there was not enough steam up, and he was captured.

Preferred to Die Intestate.

HORNELLSVILLE, N.Y., Dec. 28.—When the supposed will of Joseph Church of Allegheny, who died a few days ago leaving an estate of $250,000, was opened, the following in his own handwriting was found: "I have destroyed my will. If a man like A. W. Miner cannot make a will that will stand law, I don't propose to try it and have my heirs quarreling over its provisions."

The will of A. W. Miner, one of the wealthiest and most careful business men of western New York, was the subject of a week's contest recently in the Allegheny County Court. Church left a wife but no children.

After South American Trade.

NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—The new steamship Coya, which is now on its way to this port from Swansea, Wales, is the first of a fleet of six vessels which will soon begin to make regular trips between New York and the coast of South America by way of the Straits of Magellan. This line is solely for freight. Steamers will take the place of the sailing craft in the service by way of Cape Horn between New York and Chili and Peru.

Two Tanneries Burned.

MILWAUKEE, Dec. 28.—The William Brecken Leather Co.'s tannery and that of Conrad Bros., located at the foot of Sherman-street, were burned yesterday.

One fireman was killed, another is missing and two men are lying badly injured at the hospital.

The plant of the Brecken company was valued at $500,000 and that of Conrad Bros. at $400,000. Both were partly insured. It is supposed the fire was incendiary.

Three Matadors Gored.

QUERETARI, Mex., Dec. 28.—The holiday fetes in this city are in progress. At the bull fight yesterday afternoon several serious accidents occurred. Three matadors were terribly gored by the enraged bulls, and several fine horses were killed during the performance. The sport was pronounced a great success by the large audience. Many thousands of dollars were wagered on the fights.

Must Not Return to the U.S.

BUFFALO, Dec. 28.—William Ward, who was jailed for a year for bringing two women here from Toronto for immoral purposes, has been discharged and ordered to remain out of the country forever. Ward is an Englishman and was a resident of Toronto.

Fight With Bandits.

CITY OF MEXICO, Dec. 28.—A fierce fight between soldiers and bandits has occurred near Tanguistedgo, in the State of Mexico. After a severe struggle six of the bandits were killed and the two others, who had been wounded, werl captured.

An Idaho Snow Slide.

BOISE, Idaho, Dec. 28.—A Hailey special says a snow slide Saturday swept away the engine-house of the Narrow Gauge Mine at Deer Creek and wrecked a concentrator mill at Windsblo. Henry Glass, who was in the engine-house, was instantly killed.

Tarred and Feathered.

SPRINGFIELD, Ohio, Dec. 28.—John Jackson, a negro who eloped with Tessie Henkle, a pretty white waitress, was taken from the jail and tarred and feathered at West Liberty last night.

The girl claims she has been held against her will.

Steamship Movements.

Date.	Name.	Reported at.	From
Dec. 27.	Rotterdam	New York	Rotterdam
"	La Normandie	New York	Havre
"	Russia	Southampton	New York
"	Fulda	New York	Genoa

Hello!—You fellow there.—
Don't go b.. n... about as if your bac.. was broken. G.. off at once and get a bottle of Magic Pile Lotion—use it according to directions and you will walk a straight as any body in 24 hours.
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RHEUMATISM.—COL. DAVID WYLIE, Brockville, Ont., says: "I suffered intensely with rheumatism in my ankles. Could not stand; rubbed them with

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In the morning I walked without pain."

NEURALGIA.—MR. JAMES BONNER, 158 Yonge St., Toronto, Ont., writes: "St. Jacobs Oil is the only remedy that relieved me of neuralgia, and it effectually cured me."

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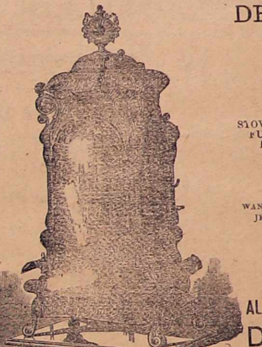

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Sick Headache and relieve all the troubles incident to a bilious state of the system, such as Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Distress after eating, Pain in the Side, &c. While their most remarkable success has been shown in curing

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Headache, yet CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS are equally valuable in Constipation, curing and preventing this annoying complaint, while they also correct all disorders of the stomach, stimulate the liver and regulate the bowels. Even if they only cured

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Ache they would be almost priceless to those who suffer from this distressing complaint; but fortunately their goodness does not end here, and those who once try them will find these little pills valuable in so many ways that they will not be willing to do without them. But after all sick head

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is the bane of so many lives that here is where we make our great boast. Our pills cure it while others do not.

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS are very small and very easy to take. One or two pills make a dose. They are strictly vegetable and do not gripe or purge, but by their gentle action please all who use them. In vials at 25 cents; five for $1. Sold everywhere, or sent by mail.

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(young and old), suffering from mental worry, overwork, insomnia, excesses, or self-abuse, should take these PILLS. They will restore lost energies, both physical and mental.

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The strain caused by heavy seas was too great, however, and after five minutes the hawser broke. Before another hawser could be passed nine hours elapsed. The second broke, as also did the third. On Sunday morning another hawser was fixed, and as the weather had improved meantime they held until we reached harbor. We proceeded about seven knots an hour. At Daunt's Rock the hawsers were shortened off.

The steamship Ohio proceeded to Liverpool this evening. Most of the steerage passengers who went ashore were taken back later and will live aboard the Noordland until final orders are received from London as regards their transport to Antwerp.

Probably the Noordland will be repaired temporarily here and then will proceed to Antwerp, where she will be completely overhauled.

STEAMER UMBRIA.

She Is Two Days Over Her Time—And the Storms Are Terrible.

LONDON, Dec. 28.—There is anxiety at Lloyds over the non-arrival at New York of the Cunard steamship Umbria, which sailed from Liverpool, December 17 for Queenstown, sailing from Queenstown for New York December 18. The Umbria has been out, therefore, for about nine days, which is two days more than was expected.

The officials of the Cunard Line say they have no doubt that the Umbria's delay is due to the breaking down of her engines.

The rate of re-insurance paid on the Umbria's cargo is 10 guineas premium.

A SLAB OF GRANITE.

A Hole Blown Through It By the Infernal Machine at the Dublin Explosion.

DUBLIN, Dec. 28.—A man named Kevans has been arrested at Nenagh, County Tipperary, on the charge of being connected with the Dublin explosion. Kevans is a stranger to the townspeople and is unable to give a satisfactory account of his recent movements.

Kevans is 26 years of age. He admits that he was in Dublin last week up to Sunday morning. The arrest of Kevans caused great excitement in Nenagh.

A police sergeant had been informed of the arrival of a suspicious-looking stranger, and had followed Kevans from place to place. Kevans saw that he was watched and tried to escape, whereupon he was taken into custody. In his possession were found discharge papers bearing the name of a steamer plying between Montreal and Glasgow, and dated in July last.

Colonels Majendie and Cundell, Government experts, to-day made a minute examination of the scene of Saturday night's explosion. They secured, as specimens for further study in the Government laboratory, some of the debris resulting from the explosion. Among their finds is a massive granite slab five inches thick, upon which the explosive rested and through which a hole was blown.

A Cork Resolution.

CORK, Dec. 2.—A meeting of the citizens of Cork was held last evening for the purpose of denouncing the Dublin outrage. The Mayor of Cork presided.

Maurice Healy, M.P., moved a strong resolution expressing "detestation and condemnation of the atrocious outrage and the hope that in the true interest of our common country the authors of so terrible an offence against the Irish cause may be speedily detected and brought to condign punishment."

The resolution was carried almost unanimously. Some persons showed their dissent by shouting "Dublin Castle ought to be destroyed!" "Down with Castle Government," etc.

COLD IN BRITAIN.

Fatal Accidents by Bursting Boilers—Twelve Skaters Drowned.

LONDON, Dec. 28.—Intensely cold weather prevails throughout England and much suffering is reported. London is buried under a dense fog and it is difficult to see anyone a few feet away.

Many accidents have occurred in Glasgow, Manchester and Newcastle owing to frozen boilers bursting, and two persons were killed by an accident of this character at Airdrie to-day. Twelve skaters lost their lives by drowning in Great Britain yesterday.

Thousands of the locked-out cotton operatives in Lancashire are on the verge of starvation.

Dying Like Flies.

LONDON, Dec. 28.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of The Standard says: A British consul who has visited the famine districts of Kiel, Bessarabia, Khartoff, Koursk, Kazan, Orel, Iula and Vorenesh, reports that the peasants are dying like flies of hunger and disease. There are no signs of relief from the horrors of a hard winter. It Sebastopol he learned from a trusty source that cholera is raging severely on the Circassian shore. Hundreds of deaths have been reported in the last fortnight.

Not a Meaningless Guest.

LONDON, Dec. 28.—The Berlin correspondent of The Daily News says that the Czarewitch will attend the wedding of the Emperor's sister, Princess Margaret of Prussia, for the purpose of improving the relations between Germany and Russia.

Pasteur's Prophecy.

PARIS, Dec. 28.—In reply to the congratulations extended to him, M. Pasteur expressed his conviction that science and peace would triumph over ignorance and war. The people of the whole world, he declared, were agreed to build up, not to destroy.

Another Military Ride.

VIENNA, Dec. 28.—Arrangements are being made for a military ride from this city to Rome, similar to the one recently undertaken from Vienna to Berlin to determine the endurance of riders and horses.

A Pacific Province Bishop.

LONDON, Dec. 28.—Rev. William Perris of St. Luke's Church, Hants, has been appointed Bishop of British Columbia.

Asiatic Cholera.

LONDON, Dec. 28.—A despatch from Paris to The Standard states that there are three cases of Asiatic cholera in Dunkirk. One person died there of cholera yesterday.

Christmas Offertory Stolen.

DUBLIN, Dec. 28.—The Roman Catholic Cathedral at Mullingar was broken into by robbers last night and the Christmas offertory, amounting to over £100, was stolen.

Bequest to a College.

HANOVER, N.H., Dec. 28.—Dartmouth College has just received a bequest of $180,000 from the estate of the late Ralph Butterfield, M.D., of Kansas City.

An Editor Dead.

CHICAGO, Dec. 28.—Orange Judd, senior editor of The Orange Judd Farmer, died yesterday, aged 70.

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This GREAT COUGH CURE, this successful CONSUMPTION CURE, is without a parallel in the history of medicine. All druggists are authorized to sell it on a positive guarantee, a test that no other cure can successfully stand. If you have a Cough, Sore Throat, or Bronchitis, use it, for it will cure you. If your child has the Croup, or Whooping Cough, use it promptly, and relief is sure. If you dread that insidious disease CONSUMPTION, don't fail to use it, it will cure you or cost nothing. Ask your Druggist for SHILOH'S CURE. Price 10 cts. [illegible]

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Of the Lubon Medical Company is now at Toronto, Canada, and may be consulted either in person or by letter on all chronic diseases peculiar to man. Men, young, old, or middle-aged, who find themselves nervous, weak and exhausted, who are broken down from excess or overwork, resulting in many of the following symptoms; Mental depression, premature old age, loss of vitality, loss of memory, bad dreams, dimness of sight, palpitation of the heart, emissions, lack of energy, pain in the kidneys, headache, pimples on the face or body, itching or peculiar sensation about the scrotum, wasting of organs, dizziness, specks before the eyes, twitching of the muscles, eyelids and elsewhere, bashfulness, deposits in the urine, loss of will power, tenderness of the scalp and spine, weak and flabby muscles, desire to sleep, failure to be rested by sleep, constipation, dullness of hearing, loss of voice, desire for solitude, excitability of temper, sunken eyes surrounded with leaden circle, oily looking skin etc., are all symptoms of nervous debility that lead to insanity unless cured. The spring or vital force having lost its tension every function wanes in consequence. Those who through abuse committed in ignorance may be permanently cured. Send your address for book on all diseases peculiar to man Books sent free sealed. Heart disease, the symptoms of which are faint spells, purple lips, numbness, palpitation, skip beats, hot flushes rush of blood to the head, dull pain in the heart with beats strong, rapid and irregular, the second beat quicker than the first, pain about the breastbone, etc., can positively be cured. No cure no pay. Send for book. Address M. V. LUBON 24 Macdonell Ave, Toronto Ont.

All through the Provinces the rapid increase of La Grippe, is causing great alarm. A report was received here to-day, of a new development of the disease, which is worse, perhaps than any other. Wm. Hanley of N. Y. City, died in terrible agony after sickness of only four days. His tongue swelled to such an extent as to make it impossible for him to close his jaws or swallow any food. The report is causing the people in this district to inquire into the noted Grip-cure, recently referred to in so many papers. In Cape Breton the disease has spread very rapidly and with fatal results. D. J. Killop of L'Archeveque writes Feb. 11th that this cure has been tried in his neighborhood and with such success that all those residing there are obtaining a supply believing it to be the only remedy affording relief and effecting a certain cure. He finished his letter by asking for a large quantity of the Medicine (Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills) to supply the demands of the community for the relief of LaGrippe.

Great Surprise

Is in store for all who use, Kemp's Balsam for the throat and lungs, the great guarantee remedy. Would you believe that it is sold on its merits and that any druggist is authorized by the proprietor of his wonderful remedy to give you a sample bottle free? It never fails to cure acute or chronic coughs. All druggists sell Kemp's Balsam. Large bottles 50 cents and $1

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How can we raise more corn to the acher? Why, of course by using Putman's Corn Extractor. Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor has given universal satisfaction, for it is safe, sure and painless. Like every article of real merit it has a host of imitators, and we would specially warn the public to guard against these dangerous substitutes offered for the genuine, Putman's Extractor. N. C. Polson & Co., proprietors, Kingston.

Advice to Mothers

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used by millions of mothers for children teething for over fifty years, with perfect success. It relieves the little sufferer at once, produces natural quiet sleep, and freeing the child from pain, and the young cherub wakes as bright as a button. It is pleasant to taste, soothes the child softens the gums, allays pain, relieves wind, regulates the bowels, and is the best known remedy for diarrhoea, whether arising from teething or other causes 25cts

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Parmelee's Pills possess the power of acting specifically upon the deceased organs, stimulating to action the dormant energies of the system, thereby removing disease. In fact, so great is the power of this medicine to cleanse and purify, that disease of almost every name and nature are driven from the body. Mr. D. Carswell, Carswell, P. O., writes I have tried Parmelee's Pills and find them an excellent medicine,

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THE HAIR

a silken texture and lasting fragrance. No toilet can be considered complete without this most popular and elegant of all hair-dressings.

"My hair began turning gray and falling out when I was about 25 years of age. I have lately been using Ayer's Hair Vigor, and it is causing a new growth of hair of the natural color."—R. J. Lowry, Jones Prairie, Texas.

"Over a year ago I had a severe fever, and when I recovered, my hair began to fall out, and what little remained turned gray. I tried various remedies, but without success, till at last I began to

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Ayer's Hair Vigor, and now my hair is growing rapidly and is restored to its original color."—Mrs. Annie Collins, Dighton, Mass.

"I have used Ayer's Hair Vigor for nearly five years, and my hair is moist, glossy, and in an excellent state of preservation. I am forty years old, and have ridden the plains for twenty-five years."—Wm. Henry Ott, *alias* "Mustang Bill," Newcastle, Wyo.

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HOW OLD ARE YOU?

Are you 5 years old? If so, I have 25 patterns in Suits,

6	Years Old	27	Patterns
7	"	20	"
8	"	24	"
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In two-piece Suits which must be turned into Money!

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All accounts due the late John R. Brown, must be paid to Geo. R. Brown, merchant tailor, before 1st January to save costs.

To the Municipal Electors of Murney Ward

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—

For the third time I respectfully ask for your votes and influence to secure my return as one of your representatives.

During the year I have been honored with the chairmanships of two important committees for the whole of the time, and a third—the Executive—for the last half of the year. You are the judges whether I have attended faithfully to duty and acted conscientiously. Whatever works for the city's good, if possible from the standpoints of economy and prudence, are the objects of my aim. I renew my pledges of attention to duty and fidelity to our city's welfare, and remain

yours obediently
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The Song the Kettle Sings.

Sweet are the songs by lovers sung
As they the old, old story tell,
And sweet the croon the bees among
The clover blooms and asphodel,
And glad the notes the skylarks trill,
At dawn upon their buoyant wings,
But dearer, softer, sweeter still
The low, sweet song the kettle sings.

How strangely come to us again
The pleasant scenes of other days,
The happy golden moments when
We went our simple childish ways;
When all life's journey lay before
And gaily beckoned us with smiles,
Ere we had left our father's door
To go the many weary miles.

There by the broad, deep fireplace sit
The aged ones with silvered hair;
Across each face the flashes flit
And faded cheeks grow flushed and fair;
And strangely mingle smile and tear
As memory in fondness brings,
The old, old days, the while they hear
The low, sweet song the kettle sings.

The embers throw their ruddy gleam
On childish figures blithe and free
That watch the changing glow, and dream
Of wondrous things that are to be.
The future one glad chime of bells—
Of golden bells, hope ever rings,
And through their music strangely wells
The low, sweet song, the kettle sings.

O, all the joys my heart has known
And all the hopes of those to be
Within the kettle's gentle tone
On gracious wings are borne to me.
And gladness when my care beguiles,
Come bubbling up from youthful springs;
And whispers from the peaceful isles
Are in the song the kettle sings.

Would you become a youth again
Back in that dear old home once more?
Trade all the wisdom sorry men
May have for childhood's happy lore?
O, would you feel the morning dew
Of rest upon life's tired wings?
Then dream with me and listen to
The low, sweet song the kettle sings.

—Nixon Waterman in Youth's Companion.

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Do you know that you can drive nails into hard wood without bending them if you dip them first in lard?

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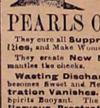

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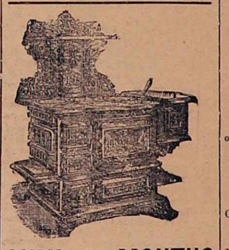

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New class for beginners commence Monday the 19th and January 3rd. at [illegible] p.m., sharp. I will also form an advanced class on Tuesday evenings giving those that can dance an opportunity of learning all the latest society dances. Parties wishing to form a private class can have Monday or Tuesday afternoons. Juveniles and young ladies at 4.30 p.m. Private lessons at hours to suit.

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NERVE BEANS are a new discovery that cure the worst cases of Nervous Debility, Lost Vigor and Failing Manhood; restores the weakness of body or mind caused by over-work, or the errors or excesses of youth. This Remedy absolutely cures the most obstinate cases when all other TREATMENTS have failed even to relieve. Sold by druggists at $1 per package, or six for $5, or sent by mail on receipt of price by addressing THE JAMES MEDICINE CO., [illegible]

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To be cleared out this week.

MEN'S OVERCOATS,
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All cheap this week,

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Some Fine Overcoatings and Suitings. Orders taken by Mr. O'Brien. First-class guaranteed.

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Glasgow Warehouse,
Belleville, Dec. 27th, '92.

PROBABILITIES.

—Light to moderate winds; fine and moderately cold.

TOLD IN A LINE OR TWO

John Hunter was elected by acclamation to-day for school trustee in Bleecker ward.

Do not miss seeing the beautiful new comedy "By Wits Outwitted" at the Queen's Opera House to-morrow (Thursday) night.

LOST—A lady's kid glove with cuff, on Monday night. Finder will please leave with Fred. Abraham.

The name of Wm. Lott was inadvertently omitted from the list of aspirants for municipal honors in Bleecker Ward in last night's issue. Mr. Lott is a large property holder and a progressive citizen and would make a good aldermen.

The beautiful comedy, "By Wits Outwitted" will be presented at the Queen's Opera house on Thursday evening. This company have just closed a weeks engagement at the Academy of Music, Montreal.

Fresh Whitefish, Salmon, Herrings, Haddock, etc., Finnan Haddie, Ciscoes, Yarmouth Bloaters, at Goldsmith's Fish Store, Market Square,

Our druggists keep for sale Hall's Vegetable Sicilian Hair Renewer, the best preparation ever made for restoring the vitality and color of the hair.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

W. J. Clarke, of Caro, Mich., formerly of Belleville, is in the city renewing old acquaintances.

Mrs. Frown, of Winnipeg, is visiting her mother Mrs. Donley, first concession of Sidney.

Mrs. Hind, of Gananoque, is spending a few days with her father, N. B. Falkiner. Miss Falkiner returned to Toronto yesterday.

Harry Berry, who is conducting C. E. Lyons law office at Tweed, is spending his holidays in the city.

Wm. McCrudden, of Toronto and Richard McCrudden, of Port Hope, are in the city for the holidays.

Ed. Hinchey, returned from Tacoma, W. T. last night. He says that James Brown, son of Ex-Ald. Geo. A. Brown, is doing well there.

Joe. Wemp, of Kingston, is visiting his parents on the front of Sidney.

James Harold and Harry Thompson, have been attending the Toronto school of dentestry, are home for a few days.

H. Gullet, of Rochester, formerly sergt. in the 15th Batt. here, spent Christmas in the city.

A. H. Hodgson Cheese and Commission merchant of Montreal, is in the city.

Miss Ida and Maggie Beasley of Hamilton are spending a few day with Miss Tillie McCarthy, Church St.

TRADE AND COMMERCE

The Markets Remain Study in most Cases, With a Slight Advance in Meats

BELLEVILLE, ONTARIO Office, Dec28.—Wheat, 60c to 66c; Oats, 25c to 30c; Barley, 35c to 45c; Rye, 45c to 50c; Buckwheat, 38c to 40c; Peas, 52c to 55c; Hay, $6 to $8 per ton; Lamb, 7c to 9c; Butter, 17c to 20c; Eggs, 15c to 20c; Potatoes, 50c to 75c; Pork, 7c to 7½c; Veal, 5c to 6c; Beef, 3½c to 5c; Mutton, 7c to 9c; Lard, 10c to 12c; Ducks, per pair, 40c to 60c; Geese, 40c to 60c; Turkeys, 75c to $2.00; Chickens, 40c to 50c Tallow 4c to 4½c rendered; Tallow rough 3c to 3½c; Onions, 75c to $1 per bag; honey 8 to 10c lb, strained and comb; straw, $2 to $3 per load; beans, 3c per lb; cheese, 12½c per lb; cabbage, 5c a head; onions, 20c a peck.

BELLEVILLE FISH MARKET.

Fresh salmon, 10c; Fresh whitefish, 10c; cod and haddock, 6c; pickerel, 6c; pike, 6c. Salt fish.—herring, $3.00 half barrel; whitefish, $5.50 half barrel; salt water herring. $2.50 half barrel.

BELLEVILLE HIDE MARKET.

BELLEVILLE, Dec. 21.—Hides 4c to 4½c inspected; rough 2½c to 3c; calf skins 5c to 6c lb; deacons 85c to 40c each; sheep skins $1.00; wool 17c to 18c.

OSWEGO MARKETS.

Oats 45c; Potatoes 20c to 25c per peck Onions 30 to 40c per peck; baled hay 80c cwt; beef 8 to 16c per lb; lamb 5 to 18c mutton 5 to 16c per lb; turkey 16 to 20c per lb; pork 3c 14c per lb; poultry, fowls, 14 to 16c per lb; spring chickens 14 to 16c per lb; veal 5 to 16c per lb; butter 24 to 28c per lb; cheese 14 per lb; eggs, fresh 30c per doz; lard, tried or leaf, 10 to 12c per lb.

The Doctor Orders it.

Sister Carolina, St. Andrew's Hospital, C'ewer, Windsor, Eng., says: "I have found St. Jacob's Oil a most efficacious remedy for gout; also for sprains and bruises. Indeed, we cannot say too much in praise. Our ... ordering it ...

CHRISTMAS ENTERTAINMENT.

A Large Crowd at the Tabernacle Sunday School Concert

A large number of people were present at the Xmas. concert given by the Tabernacle S. school Monday evening. An excellent program of dialogues, choruses and recitations were presented by the school and was greatly enjoyed by the congregation. Two Christmas trees were filled with presents, besides a small tree in the window, directly under the gas-light, which showed off to great advantage. There must have been considerably over a thousand gifts distributed at the close of the entertainment. Mr. Gordon the efficient superintendent of the school occupied the chair and conducted the entertainment throughout. The children all did well in rendering their several parts and showed great credit to those who practiced them for the occasion. Mrs. Gordon and Miss Cora Brown won indefatigable in their efforts to make the entertainment a success, and must have been gratified at the result last night. The Sabbath school of the Tabernacle is in a very flourishing condition and is showing a healthy growth and increases from month to month. With large and commodious rooms and efficient staff of officers and teachers there is no reason why the Tabernacle school should not be equal to any in the city in fruitful work amongst the young.

STIRLING ITEMS

Alexander Hall the popular young dentist, was married on the 21st to Miss Nettie, the daughter of Wm. McCann, near Waterloo Mills.—Peter Vankleek will get a greater support than ever, for the Conservative party is not in every respect satisfied with their choice at the Madoc convention. The people cry out, "we want a farmer." Both parties unite in this cry, and Vankleek is popular. Conservatives actually adore him There are many divisions now in the Conservative party and much indifference. Never before have Conservatives in so many instances, announced their intentions to support the Reform candidate. Although 'farmer' was the word, yet the convention thought such men as Haggerty, Caskey and Duncan, who are widely and well known, and are farmers, not equal to the banker of Marmora.—Morley Bird, son of Morden Bird, is visiting his home here.—The A.O.U. W., has secured the Scott Hall near Stickles.—Mr. G. E. Kennedy, B.A., an honor graduate of Victoria, has been appointed 2nd teacher in the High school. Mr. McKay, M.A. B.Sc., having resigned.—Never before have our shops presented such like displays of Christmas goods.—Mr. Allen has leased the Harold House. Thos. Cook the former proprietor has rented a farmer near Harold.

Shannonville Items

The Sabbath school of the Methodist church held their anniversary Christmas tree in the A. O. U. W. hall on Christmas eve, it was a great success.—Mr. Charles LaRoy of this place, who has been ill for the past two weeks, is still forced to keep his bed. Dr. Whiteman is attending him.—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dean of this place who were called to New York on the 21st inst., to attend the funeral of their uncle there, have returned home.—Miss Jennie McCarthy was the guest of Miss Cary Clare on Christmas day.—Miss Olive Sager of this place, is visiting friends in Fredericksburg.—This week is expected to bring the revival meetings to a close. There has been much good accomplished by these meetings at Milltown, Rev. A. L. Adam being leader.—There are plenty of Christmas trees in the neighborhood this season, no less than four on record.—Miss Jennie Williams organist in the Methodist church here will attend the O. T. C. at Hamilton after holidays.—Miss Bertha Davidson of this place has been appointed teacher in the public school here for the coming term.

A Love Song in M Flat

"My modest matchless Madeline!
Mark my melodious midnight moans;
Much may my melting music mean—
My modulated monotones."

This young man stayed out too late, serenading his lady love. He caught a cold, which developed into catarrh, but he cured it with Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy, a sovereign specific for chronic cases, "Cold in the head," Catarrhal headache. It corrects the tainted breath, stops the offensive discharges, heals the irritated throat and nose, leaving the head clear, and smell and taste unimpaired. It costs but 50 cents, and the proprietors offer in good faith $500 for a case they cannot cure.

A Warm Coat

If you will call at the Oak Hall we will show you the most complete winter ulster at $8 that you have ever seen. We claim this coat to be worth $10, and any man who cannot afford a fur coat and has to be out in the cold, can hardly get along without this very desirable garment,

The Powers That be.

On the invitation of Bridge St. Methodist Sunday school, His Worship the Mayor Curtis Bogart, the Ex-mayors, and the alderman who are members of Bridge St. congregation were requested to be present at the opening of the school on Christmas day. The Mayor was present also Ex-mayors Hon. B. Flint, Jonn J. B. Flint and W. Jeffers Diamond. and Aldermen H. Fowell, Wm. Hopkins and F. M. Clarke. The mayor. Hon. Mr. Flint, J. J. B. Flint and W. J. Diamond presented their greetings to the school in brief appropriate addresses. The orchestra effectively aided in the singing.

Anglesey along brings on consumption - the most fatal and prevalent of all physical ills that flesh is heir to. To check the malady in its early stage, before the deadly turbercles develop themselves in the lungs use Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil which also annihilates bronchitis asthma catarrh, piles, kidney troubles, and soreness of the muscles and ...

New goods just arrived at Goldsmith's fish store, Bridge street—groceries, fish, fruits, cigars, oysters, cider, candies, Refreshments and lunches at all hours

You will save money by getting your stoves and ranges from Deacon & Doyle.

Geen is showing a very nice line of perfumes in plain and fancy bottles, also in bulk.

How to save money is a problem that interests everybody. One way to do it is to invigorate the system with Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Being a highly concentrated blood medicine, it is the most powerful and economical. It is sold for a dollar a bottle, but worth five.

"Handsome is that handsome does," and if Hood's Sarsaparilla doesn't do handsomely then nothing does, Have you ever tried it?

Seven branch societies of the Patrons of Industry have been formed in South Marysburg and Athol during the past fortnight.

If you want a Cough-mixture that your wife can take without making a face at you, and your children will cry for, and that will cure their coughs and colds quicker than anything you ever brought home to them, then get Magnus Expectorant.

If you are troubled with sleeplessness ... all reliable drug stores. ... MANUFACTURED BY ... EMULSION CO.

LOOK OUT FOR HIM

HE COMES SUDDENLY AND AS QUICKLY DISAPPEARS.

The Lanky Stranger who Will Work in the Conservative Interest in North Hastings.

No Reformer should allow himself to lag one particle in the contest in North Hastings on Friday. Everything that can be done will be attempted by the Conservative ringsters. Already a man particularly noted for the disgraceful part he takes in the Conservative interest is upon the ground. He is particularly noted for his foxy nature, and understands his business well. He will be known by his peculiar voice—long and lanky statute, very prominent nose, pale face and high cheek bones. He is said to be a regular Webster and will do more mischief in a constituency than many would at once suspect. He will be prepared to accommodate Conservatives with anything they may require to assist them in carrying out secret plots. Let every Reformer keep a watch out for him.

THE MAYORALTY CONTEST

Ald Fowell Makes an Explanation in Reference to His Position

At the nominations for the mayoralty on Monday Ald Wallbridge, one of the aspirants, stated that Ald. Fowell was engaged in a business which was detrimental to the interests of the local manufacturers and merchants. Ald. Wallbridge stated that most of his goods were imported, and the money went to swell the wealth of outside cities. It is only fair to Ald. Fowell to say, which was no more than he publically stated on the platform, that in the matter of importing goods he was not unlike other merchants in the city. Aside from this he last year made an offer to a local manufacturer to make him from $6,000 to $10,000 worth of cutters, providing that he built them at the same price that he had been buying them for in previous years. In addition he offered to add half of the freight charges. Ald. Fowell says that this offer is still open to any Belleville manufacturer. As Ald. Fowell stated he should not be asked to pay more for his goods in Belleville than he can buy them from an outside source.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS

The Masonic Members Spend a Pleasant Evening

Yesterday being the anniversary of St. John, the Masonic brethern in the city observed the occasion by a grand banquet last night in the Masonic Hall at which over one hundred and twenty five members set down. The banquet was furnished by the popular caterer, John Fleming. The following are the officers installed:

Moira Lodge

Geo Dulmage, W M; W C Mikel, I P M; R J Orr, S W; Wm Robertson, K W; A McGinnis, R W B, treas; Chas Hunter, Sec.; I O Frost, S D; James Owens, J. D; Wm Kennedy J G; Wm Malloch, D of C; Geo Walloh, S S; C Ashley, J S; Prof Chalaupka, organist.

Eureka Lodge A F & A M

John Fenn. W M, relected; H McIninch, I P M; Wm Kemp, S W; L R Terwilliger, J W; Wm Webster, treas; W J Diamond, sec; W B Riggs, ch plin; A D Walker, S D; Wm Alford, J D; Wm Smeaton, D of C; Wm Haight, I G; Jas Brown, A R Walker, stewards; J W Butterfield, H Fowell, auditors; Jos. Mills, tyler.

Belleville Lodge No. 123.

W M, Dr G S Wright; J P M, R E Clarke; S W, A Wensley; J W, W Alford; Chap., J P Thomas; Secy, S F Armistead; Treas, Jas Smith; S D, F Pyman; J D, S F Jones; T, Jos Mills; D of C, Wm Gill; S S, W Colling; J S, C Addison; organist, E T Cherry, auditors, W N Ponton, S Burrows.

We Should Live One Hundred Years

We are century animals and have a perfect right to live out that period if we can. Many do so. Consumption has been killing off the flower of our youth through the centuries, but it will do so no more. Why? Because "Miller's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil," wherever used, cures consumption and the coughs and lung troubles which give rise to it. It will be like suicide to die of consumption in future if "Miller's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil" is within reach. In big bottles 50c, and $1.00 at all druggist.

The Order of the World

Mr. Harper one of the Supreme officers of this order is now registered at the Queen's Hotel in the city and will address the members and others at the A. O. F. hall opposite Caldwell's block this Wednesday evening at 8 p.m. He will give full information as to the workings of the order and will be pleased to answer any question put to him. This lodge is now one of the largest in the city.

Sidney Council

TOWN HALL, SIDNEY, Dec. 15th, 1892—Council met agreeable to adjournment, members all present, minutes of last meeting read and adopted.

Moved by Mr. Nicholson seconded by Mr. Holgate that the account of Wm. Hanna, for planks for bridge, $1.50 be paid.—Carried,

Moved by Mr. Dench and seconded by Mr. Holgate that the matter of J. W. Badford be laid over until the pathmaster is consulted.—Carried.

The treasurer presented his financial statemen

Moved by Mr. Dench, seconded by Mr. Nicholson that the clerk be instructed to get the treasurer's financial statement printed.—Carried.

Mr. Dench introduced a by-law to open a road across lots No. 19 to 24 inclusive, in the 1st and 8 concessions. The by-law received its third reading and No. 357 the road to be opened on 1st Feb. next

Mr. Brooks introduced a by-law to appoint Dept Returning Officers and poling places for ensuing election, read a third time and No. 358, the following being the appointment No 1, Frankford, James Sweetman dept. returning officer; No. 2—Turners, William Ward; No. 3—Town Hall, Charles Ketcheson, jr.; No. 4—Gilbert's school house, Randall Morard; No. 5—Harda's school house, K W Myers No.—6 Glen Ross, Oavley Vandervoort.

Mr. Albert Ketcheson was heard in reference to a change in road near his place.

Moved by Mr. Dench, seconded by Mr. Nicholson that the road surveyor be instructed to examine the road near Mr. Albert Ketcheson's and report at next meeting.—Carried.

Several acts were placed on the pay list and the council adjourned to meet on third Monday in January at 9 o'clock a.m

Dr. Butler's Golden Pills are the best remedy for improving the complexion removing pimples, black heads, etc

How Mr. W. D. Wentz of Geneva, N.Y was cured of the severest form of dyspepsia He says everything he ate seemed like pouring melted lead into his stomache. Hood's Sarsaparil effected a perfect cure. Full particulars will be sent if you write C Hood & Co., Lowell Mass.

... For sale by Druggists, 50c. paid for 50c., or 6 boxes $2.50. ... Dr. Butler Medicine Co.,

WEEK OF PRAYER

It Will Commence on January 2nd—The Week's Progam

The week of prayer commences on the second of January and will be continued until the 7th. Following is the program:

MONDAY.—Humiliation and thanksgiving, Bridge Street Church. Rev. E. N. Baker, chairman; deputation, Revs. Marshall and Wallace.

TUESDAY.—The Universal church. Reformed Episcopal church. Rev. Mr. Clarke, chairman; deputation, Rev. Mr. Campbell and Mr. H. Walker.

TUESDAY.—The Universal church. West Belleville Methodist church. Rev. Mr. Edmison, chairman; deputation, Rev. Mr. George and N. D. MacArthur.

WEDNESDAY.—Nations and their rulers John Street Church. Rev. Mr. George, chairman; deputation, Rev. Mr. Baker and W. W. Bourne.

THURSDAY.—Foreign Missions. Baptist church. Rev. Mr. Marshall, chairman; deputation, Rev. Mr. Clarke and W. H. Gordon.

THURSDAY. Foreign Missions. Bleecker Street Church. Rev. Mr. Campbell, chairman; deputation, Revs. Grossley and Bodle.

FRIDAY.—Home Missions and the Jews. St. Andrew's church Rev. MacLean, chairman; deputation, Rev. Mr. Dyer and W. F. Jones.

SATURDAY.—Families and Schools. Tabernacle church. Rev. Mr. Crossley, chairman; deputation, Revs. Edmison and Dingman.

NOON DAY.—Prayer meetings in the Sunday School Rooms. Bridge Street Church. From 12 to 1 each day.

Monday, leader C. P. Holton; Tuesday, leader C. M. Reid; Wednesday, leader W. W. Bourne; Thursday, leader W. Johnson; Friday, leader D. V. Sinclair; Saturday, leader A. W. Wensley.

MUSIC AND THE DRAMA.

By Wits Outwitted.

At the Queen's Opera House Thursday, December 29th. for an engagement of one night will be presented the high class comedy "By Wits Outwitted." This comedy reaches us with an unbroken record of successes in all cities where it has been presented. By Wits Outwitted is a comedy which relies for its success, not on variety of adornments and exterior aids, but on the intrinsic fund peculiar to the work itself. It is a comedy of the good old legitimate school, and the situations in it are such as those masters Terence and Plautuam would have loved to depict. The story of an old merchant grasping for gain, outwitted by his nephew, whom all the time he thought he was instructing in a clever stratagem is quite Terentien. The plot hinges on the eagerness of a Spanish father and mother, though wealthy themselves, to marry their daughter to a rich but gruff and thoroughly repulsive old slave trader. Don Jose, the father. has a nephew in his house in love with the pretty Fernanda Valentine, the nephew, tells Don Jose that he is in love with a rich girl whose father will not permit him to marry her because he is poor. Don Jose, anxious to see his relative a wealthy man, not knowing the name of the girl, advises the nephew to elope with his loved one and so compel the old gentleman to allow the marriage. He gives minute instructions to Valentine, which the latter follows faithfully. The consternation of the old gentleman and wife can well be depicted when he discovers, too late, that all his scheming for his nephew has been aimed at himself He has no other recourse but to forgive the young pair. The idea of the story is a very risible one and compels laughter of itself when represented on the stage.

Don't miss seeing this comedy. Prices 25, 50 and 75 cents.

Some Strange Misnomers

Much of the Russia leather comes from Connecticut, Bordeaux wine from California, Italian marble from Kentucky, French lace from New York, and Spanish mackerel from the New Jersey coast. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery comes from Buffalo, N.Y., but there is nothing in its name to criticise for it is truly golden in value, as thousands gladly testify. Consumption is averted by its use, and it has wrought many positive cures. It corrects torpid liver and kidneys, purifies the blood banishes dyspepsia and scrofula, renews the lease of life, and tones up the system as nothing else will do. What is more, it is guaranteed to do all this, or the price is refunded.

The Cheese Cases

SIR.—In reference to the cases of Messrs Haskins, Hagerman and Fox, tried before me for infringement of the Cheese Act. I beg to say that my remarks with reference to the provisions of the Act were not intended to apply to the defendants in the above cases. They are all respectable men and I believed their statements that they were not guilty were true. Any disparing remarks relative to the above act in my recent communication upon that subject were not intended to apply to the question above named.

JOHN J. B. FLINT

Notice

The assembly under the auspices of the ladies of St. Michaels church will be held this evening in the Oddfellows hall instead of the City Hall as previously announced. Tickets can be had at the door.

The Ice Bridge

The ice on the bay is now considered safe for loads and teams and very little travel is going over the iron bridge. The people of Ameliasburg are loud in their praise of the accommodations received by being able to reach the city after the closing of navigation which they would have been unable to have done without the B. Q. Bridge.

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Hood's Sarsaparilla stands at the head in the medicine world, admired in prosperity and envied in merit by thousands of would be competitors. It has a larger sale than any other medicine. Such success would not be won without positive merit.

Hood's Pills cure constipation by restoring the peristaltic action of the alimentary canal. They are the best family cathartic.

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The curative influence of the pine in lung diseases is everywhere admitted, and when combined with other effective pectoral remedies as in Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup the effect is doubly beneficial. No case of cough, asthma, bronchitis or hoarseness can resist the healing powers of Dr. Wood's Pine Syrup. 25 and 50c. druggists.

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Cleanliness, care and courage are the resources of civilization against cholera. Keep the blood scrupulously clean. Eat hot food. Take Burdock Blood Bitters to maintain regular digestion and ensure pure blood which is the very best safeguard against cholera or any other epidemic.

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GENTLEMEN,—My little girl, age ..., had a large swelling on her neck. ... sed Hagyard's Yellow Oil on it and ... sappeared in a short time. It also cured a felon I was troubled with.

Mrs. C. E. Wendover, Manda, Man

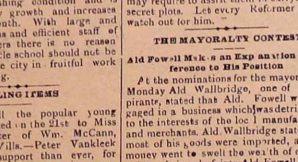
SEVENTEENTH

CHRISTMAS

AT

FISH'S

Our Holiday Goods are all in Stock and we think we can truthfully say that in our seventeen years of catering for the Xmas trade we have never equalled or approached the display we are making this year.



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Leather Brush Cases
Smoking Jackets
Dressing Gowns
Four-in-hand Ties
Knot Ties
Windsor Ties
Silk Coat Scarfs
Cashmere Coat Scarfs
Silk Handkerchiefs
Initial Handkerchiefs
Hemstitch Handkerchiefs
Linen Hankerchiefs in Boxes
Silk Braces
Fancy Braces
Silk Cuffs
Wool Cuffs
Cuff Buttons
Scarf Pins
Collar Buttons
White Dress Shirts
English Dress Shirts
Flannel Shirts
Linen Collars and Cuffs
Celluloid Collars and Cuffs
Silk Umbrellas, Fancy Handles
Walking Sticks
Waterproof Coats
Fine Kid Gloves
Lined Kid Gloves
Astrachan Gloves, Kid Mitts
Wool Mitts
Cardigan Jackets, etc

FOR LADIES

Silk Shawls from Japan
Silk Handkerchiefs from Japn
Initial Silk Handkerchiefs
The new White Crepe Hdkfs
Windsor Ties, etc.

FOR BOYS

Gloves and Mitts
Wool and Silk Cuffs
Braces
White and Flannel Shirts
Collars and Cuffs
Scarf Pins
Cuff Buttons
Collar Buttons
Kid Gloves
Astrachan Gloves
Silk Handkerchiefs
Linen Handkerchiefs
Fancy Handkerchiefs
Windsor Ties
Knot Ties
Four-in-hand Ties
Undershirts and Drawers
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Etc., Etc., Etc.

Our prices are the Lowest, our goods are the Newest, and our Stock is the Largest. See our 10c, 15c, 25c, 35c and 50c Tie Tables, and our Silk Handkerchiefs at 25c. Come and look through even if you don't want to buy. We take a pleasure in showing our Novelties

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We wish all our friends a Very Happy New Year.

No doubt you all wish YOUR friends the same, but there is no plainer way of making them happy than sending some little token which always gladdens the heart of both sender and receiver.

Perhaps you saw something in our place before Xmas that you would have liked to purchase, but felt you could not afford it. If so come in now and if we have any of the same things left we will make it so cheap that you will never feel the loss.

We do not wish to carry our goods over, so intend to just about give them away.

J. C. OVERELL,

LEADER OF THE HOLIDAY TRADE,

SHOP EARLY.

And often this week. Thursday and Saturday the farmers will demand a large share of our attention Our display don't include raisins or tea, pills or perfumery, books or dolls but if you want a piece of SILVER WARE, A LAMP, a DINNER or TEA SET or anything in china crockery why see us—that's where we shine—so much better choice in such a store as this than shops where there's a little of everything and not much of anything. Nine hanging and five parlor table lamps sold Saturday. This shows how the main stream of trade keeps the old channel

Open every night this week.

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Greeting and Compliments

OF THE SEASON

To All Our Patrons.

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$1.50 Kid Gloves we sell for	1.00.	6.00 Silk Underwear we sell for	$3.00
1.25 " "	90.	5.00 Natural Wool Underwear	2.75
.75 " "	50.	3,00 Scotch Underwear "	1.75
1.00 Heavy all-wool under'wr	65.	40 Cashmere Socks "	25

Silk Handkerchiefs, in beautiful patterns, 20, 25, 50, 75 and $1.00. Ties we commence at 10c, worth 25. Our 25c Tie is worth 50, and our 45c Tie is sold all over for 75c. In Ties we carry the largest range in the County, and whilst we are Clothing First, Last and Always, we show the largest and Nobbiest range of Furnishings in Belleville. Remember we sell all our goods retail at wholesale prices. A call is solicited.

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Call and see our Cashmere Gloves

AHEAD AGAIN

Ever though our Christmas sales have exceeded those of any previous year we have still in stock a choice assortment of holiday goods comprising Austrian Art goods, Persian Silver Cases, and Novelties, Plush and Leather Cases and Photo Albums, etc. etc. etc.

The entire line will be sold during the holiday week at a discount of 25 per cent.

Remember all are new goods but they must be cleared out to make room for the newest lines to be shown next year.

We continue for this week our sales of sleighs and dolls and will sell out the complete e at just half price.

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Universally acknowledged to be superior in every respect to any other brands in the market. Always reliable, as has been fully demonstrated by the millions that are sold annually and the increasing demand for them, notwithstanding an increased competition of over One Hundred and Twenty Five Factories. This fact speaks volumes. We are not CHEAP Cigar manufacturers.

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MAYORALTY.

To the Electors of my Native City :

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN :—

For years past I have had the offer of support for the Civic Chair, but at the present time to many of my old friends have brought more pressure to bear than I can decently withstand. I have been asked to stand for the highest position that the citizens can confer on any one. Among the men who offer me their support are to be found Irishmen, Englishmen, Dutchmen, Frenchmen and now and then a Scotchmen, besides a good many Canadians. To the electors I am no stranger. I have been a member of the City Council for the greater part of a quarter of a century and during that time have done what I felt was for the best interest of the city and will continue on the same line if successful at the coming election. I am in favor of strict economy in city affairs and decrease of our indebtedness. At the nomination I will freely give my views on the situation, and with much respect ask that when you mark your ballot you will not forget

A. T. PETRIE.

Belleville, Dec. 20, 1892

Everything fresh and new for Xmas. People tell us, our store never looked so pretty as now. Such a variety of nice Confectionery, Florida Oranges, Valencia Oranges, Almira Grapes, Choice Figs, new Golden Dates, new Nuts, etc.

H. C. DICKENS & SON

P. S.—Xmas Cakes going very fast but a nice lot to choose from yet.

A FULL LINE OF
Candies
Oranges
Nuts
Figs, etc.
FOR XMAS
YOUNG

H S MATTER CHANGED DAILY
Thursday Dec 29th.

MAYORALTY.

A slow, sleepy, dull, quiet race, is the race for mayor this year. No public meetings, no torch light processions, no brass bands, no flags, no chinese lanterns no fun at all. Come gentlemen get a little life into this race. If you will not buy flags, buy a pair of blankets for the wife. We have the blankets.

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The Latest Comedy Success

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Brilliant Dialogue
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Humorous Situations

Presented by a Capable Company.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the shareholders of the Bay of Quinte Bridge Company will be held at the City Hall building in the city of Belleville, on Monday, the 9th day of January, 1893, at the hour of 8 o'clock, p. m., for the purpose of receiving the report of the directors for the past year, for the election of directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of such other business as may be deemed proper and necessary.

U. E. THOMPSON,
Sec'y and Treas.

Belleville, Dec. 15 1892. 2sd

TAXES !

TAKE NOTICE

That 3 per cent. will be added to all unpaid Taxes after the end of this month, and after January 5 per cent
24th Dec., '92.

J. W. BUTTERFIELD,
COLLECTOR.

MAYORALTY.

Ladies and Gentlemen.

Having been requested by a large number of influential electors of the city of Belleville to offer myself for Mayor for 1893, I have consented to do so, and now respectfully solicit your votes and influence. I have resided in the city six years, three of which I have served in the city council and school board. I would respectfully refer you to my work therein. I come out as a business man having had 20 years business experience in different parts of Canada, which is of great service to anyone in filling the civic chair. I have chosen Belleville as my home and have invested all my capital in and around the city, and my interests being centered here I will, if elected, do all in my power as I have done heretofore, to advance the best interests of the city. I strongly urge the reduction of the number of Aldermen and shall use every endeavor to carry into effect the proposal made by me to the council in respect to it last year.

I have also in view the grave necessity of getting the city in the best sanitary condition possible to enable us better to cope with the cholera epidemic should it reach us next year.

HARRY FOWELL

To the Electors Ketcheson Ward

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,—I respectfully ask your votes and influence as a Candidate for Alderman for 1893. I am in favor of the reduction of aldermen to at least fourteen to be elected by the whole city. The present wards to remain intact. I will support all measures which as a citizen I think to be in the best interest of the present position and future progress of this city, believing neither in undue municipal extravagence nor in false economy.

WILLIAM N. PONTON.

Belleville, Dec. 1892.

CHRISTMAS CHEER

AND

TABLE DELICACIES

FINEST TABLE RAISINS
FINEST TABLE FIGS
FINEST MALAGA GRAPES
FINEST FLORIDA ORANGES
FINE TABLE PRUNES
FINE TURKISH DATES

New Grenoble Walnuts
New Soft-shell Almonds,
New Sicily Filberts,
New Pecan Nuts,

BISCUITS.

VANILLA SUGAR WAFERS
CHOCOLATE SUGAR WAFERS
LEMON SUGAR WAFERS
RASPBERRY SUGAR WAFERS
SALTED SEAFOAM WAFERS
SALTED SNOWFLAKE WAFERS

CHEESE.

Genuine Roquefort Cheese,
MacLaren's Imperial Cheese (in small
Canadian Stilton Cheese (crocks)
Prime old Cheddar Cheese, 1st prize

CROSSE & BLACKWELL'S JAMS AND JELLIES !

CANNED FRUITS & VEGETABLES

Canned Pineapples, Canned Peach
British Columb. Egg Plums,
French Mushrooms, French Mushrooms,
[In glass bottles] [In tins]
French Peas, [In tins]
Canned String Beans, Canned Green Peas,
Canned Sugar Corn, Canned Tomatoes.

CROSSE & BLACKWELL'S PICKLES

Pickled Walnuts, Pickled White Onions
Pickled Girkins, Pickled Chow Chow
Mixed Pickles, Olives

Christmas Confectionery.

A FINE ASSORTMENT.

FINE BREAKFAST TEAS,
COFFEES, COCOAS,
AND CHOCOLATES

Fearman's and Lowry's Celebrated Christmas Hams and Bacon.

BALTIMORE OYSTERS
[Direct from the Packers]

Christmas Wines.

POMMERY SEC CHAMPAGNE
MUMM'S CHAMPAGNE
SPARKLING SAUMUR

FINEST OLD PORTS AND SHERRIES.
California Angelica, California Port, Native Wines, St. Augustine, White Catawaba.

CLARETS, BURGUNDIES AND SAUTERNES

ALES AND PORTER.
Bass' English Ale. Guiness' Dublin Stout, Dow's India Pale Ale, Dows Sand Porter, Labatts Pale Ale, Carlings Ale, Davies Ale, etc.

IMPORTED GERMAN LAGER BIER.

IRISH AND SCOTCH WHISKIES.
Burke's Old Irish, J. Jamieson's Old Irish, W. Jamiesons Dublin Whiskey, Highland Blend, Bulock Lade & Co's Loch Katrine Camlachie Malt, Sheriff's Old Islay, Old Gaelic Whiskey, Andrew Usher & Cos Old Vatted Glenlivat Whiskey.

BRANDIES !
Hennessy's V. O. Brandy,
Martell's V. O. Brandy,
Jules Robin & Co's Brandy

LIQUORS, Etc.
Booth's Old Tom Gin, Plymouth Gin,
Fine Old Jamaica Rum Angostura Bitters,
Ginger Wine, Ginger Ale,
Soda Water, Apollinaris Water
Vermouth Bitters.

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Beautiful Chiffon and Crepe Dress Goods just received from England, newest goods for Evening Wear.

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Dick's Liniment cures All Lameness and Sprains

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WEEK IN

LADIES' MILITARY CAPES
LADIES' SHOULDER CAPES
LADIES' STORM COLLARS
LADIES' LONG AND SHORT CIRCULARS
LADIES' MUFF CAPS AND GAUNTLETS

MEN'S COATS
MEN'S GAUNTLETS
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MUSK OX ROBES,
In Handsome Qualities.

Furs of all kinds repaired and made over

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1893

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Harper's Magazine for 1893 will continue to maintain the unrivalled standard of excellence which has characterized it from the beginning. Among the notable features of the year, there will be new novels by A. Conan Doyle, Constance Fenimore Wilson and William Black. Short stories will be continued by the most popular writers of the day, including Mary E. Wilkins, Richard Harding Davis, Margaret Deland, Brander Mathews, and many others. The illustrated descriptive papers will embrace articles by Julian Ralph on new Southern and Western subjects; by Theodore Child on India; by Poltney Bigelow on Russia and Germany; by Richard Harding Davis on a London Season; by Colonel T. A. Dodge on Eastern Rides; etc. Edwin A. Abbey's illustrations of Shakespeare's Comedies will be continued by Charles Eliot Norton, Mrs Jas T Fields William Dean Howell, Brander Mathews and others.

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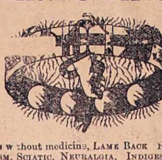

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Dancing and Deportmen[t]

New class for beginners commence Monday the 19th and January 3rd. at p. m., sharp. I will also form an advanced class on Tuesday evenings giving those that can dance an opportunity of learning all the latest society dances. Parties wishing to form a private class can have Monday or Tuesday afternoons. Juveniles and young ladies at 4.30 p.m. Private lessons at hours to suit.

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PHYSICAL CULTURE.

MISS ALICE PURDY, who has been in Toronto for some months pursuing her studies in Physical Culture, has returned to Belleville, and purposes forming a class here for instruction in free gymnastics

The system of Physical Culture of which Miss Purdy is an exponent, is being taught in the majority of the public schools of Toronto in addition to many of the ladies' schools in that city.

It consists of breathing, poising, elongating, abdominal and walking exercises. Also movements for the development of neck, chest, arms, etc.

Is especially helpful to those afflicted with round shoulders, narrow chests, or an ungainly walk, and in cases of indigestion, weak back and other organic ailments is considered very strengthening.

Instructions will be given in standing, ascending and descending stairs, etc.

There is an erroneous impression in the minds of some that physical culture is only intended for the rising generation. This is altogether a mistake, as although it is a study which is of peculiar value to growing girls, it can be pursued with very beneficial results by any woman under fifty years of age.

Miss Purdy will meet her class for the first time on Thursday, the 5th of January, at 4.30 in the afternoon, in the Royal Templar's Hall.

All parties wishing to join will please send in their names at an early date. Should a sufficient number of names be received to warrant it, an evening class will be formed for the benefit of these who cannot attend during the day.

As the terms are very moderate it is to be hoped that a large number will avail themselves of this opportunity. 3t

MAYORALTY

The friends and supporters of Ex-Ald. Petrie are respectfully requested to attend a meeting in his interest at Kent's Shoe Store, at the Station, at 7.30 p m. to-morrow, (Friday.)

TO INSURERS AND THE PUBLIC.

JAMES BOOTH gratefully acknowledges the liberal patronage granted to him by his friends and the public during the past 6 years devoted to agency work, and respectfully intimates that acting as heretofore for the Lancashire, Waterloo Mutual and London and Lancashire, 3 of the best Fire Insurance Companies operating here; he continues to insure farm and city buildings and contents, mills, factories, machinery, live stock, produce and merchandise of all kinds at lowest tariff rates, undertakes the purchase, sale or renting of farm and city properties, attends to estate settlements, land valuations, posts books, writes letters, and collects rents and accounts, and is prepared as formerly to negotiate large or small loans on first-class farm property for 5 or 10 years at 6 per cent. interest, from reliable loan companies having large sums of money to lend. Apply to James Booth, Insurance, real estate, and financial agent, Belleville, Ont.

FORTUNES TOLD.

To every person calling on Mme Green to have cards read this week will be given bottle of Frosted Cream. Gentlemen 50cts ladies 25c.

214 Church street, Lattimer's Terrace, below Opera House.

BRASIERS

Children's White Wool Boas

We have just received another shipment of the above goods.

Our stock of Fine Furs is still well assorted

Call and Secure Bargains

J. Brasier,

The Leading Hatter and Furrier,
Front Street Belleville.

To the Electors of Sampson Ward :

Having been nominated as candidate for Alderman for Sampson Ward without my knowledge, I at first decided to withdraw, but at the request of a number of the influential electors in the ward I have consented allow the nomination to stand, and if elected will endeavor to merit your confidence.

F. E. O'FYNN.

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An agent to canvass for the Singer Manufacturing Company in city or country salary or commission. Apply at 41 Bridge St. W. E VANDERVORT, Man

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CONTAINED MATERIAL FOR A ROMANCE ON THE PLAINS.

Came Out From England to Make a Name for Himself—He Starts for the Pacific Coast and His Father Fears That He Perished En Route.

TORONTO, Dec. 29.—At the sale of unclaimed parcels of the Dominion Express Company in August last Mr. C. N. Bastedo of 129 McCaul-street purchased several parcels, among them a small and battered grip. In the grip he found a leather writing desk, which contained a number of photos and letters addressed to Ed. Brice, section man, Crowfoot, Alberta, and other places in the Northwest Territory. Many of the letters were from his father and relatives in England, and Mr. Bastedo ascertained that the owner of the grip was undoubtedly the son of Edward Brice of 5 Halford-street, Leicester, England. The letters contained numerous enquiries as to why the son had not written, and among the papers was found an indenture of apprenticeship to a harness maker in Leicester, England.

Enquiry at the offices of the Dominion Express Company showed that the grip had been sent from Donald, N.W.T., to Siccimousie, B. C., on March 16, 1891, with instructions to hold it until called for by sender.

Mr. Bastedo communicated with the father, who seems to be a man of some education, and yesterday received a reply in which the father says of his son:

"He, with our full consent and best wishes, sailed from England in April, 1890, to endeavor by perseverance and industry to make a home in the Northwest. We received letters at frequent intervals from him, in which he told us of his doings and the places he had been working in; he mentioned Boissevain, Medicine Hat, Gretchen and also Calgary, from which place we received his last letter in January, 1891. From thence we heard from another source that he had gone on to Siccimousie, B. C. We can gather no further information of him, which makes us fear something serious has befallen him, as he was not of strong constitution, so that the exposure in farming and other outdoor pursuits would probably be too much for him."

Any information as to his whereabouts would be gladly received by Mr. C. N. Bastedo, or the lad's father, whose addresses are above given.

ONTARIO LEGISLATURE.

Will Not Probably Assemble for Several Weeks.

TORONTO, Dec. 29.—It is not likely that the Ontario Legislative Assembly will be called together until towards the end of February, as it will take several weeks longer to get the chamber in the new Parliament Buildings in the Park in readiness for occupancy.

Meantime the buildings present a lively scene.

Carpenters, plasterers, tile-layers mingle with Cabinet Ministers, officials and citizens having business in the departments in their new quarters. The Ontario Cabinet now holds its meetings there, and the whole building has an atmosphere of newness and briskness. The battered furniture which has been brought from the old Parliament Buildings, however, detracts slightly from the general "spick and span" effect.

The chamber will undoubtedly be completed before the next sitting of the Legislature. The dimensions of the chamber will be 65 feet by 80 feet, and the height of the ceiling is 51 feet.

The chamber will be in the centre of the building and south of the main corridor or the mezzanine or second floor, and thus immediately above the main entrance and lighted from three sides. The speaker's dais will be at the southern end, immediately in front of the reporters' gallery. The dais is 11 feet long and of carved mahogany. Immediately behind the speaker's chair the lion and unicorn of England are carved in bas relief, while above the coat of arms three dates are cut, 1792 in commemoration of the opening of the first Parliament; 1867, the year of Confederation; 1892, for the year in which the new Parliament buildings are supposed to be completed. Two Gothic lions carved at the top of mahogany pilasters surmount the whole.

The press gallery at the head of the chamber covers its entire width and will be large and roomy. The seating of the gallery has not yet been arranged.

On either side of the chamber facing east and west will be the ladies' and visitors' galleries, which will together seat about 500 people. Each gallery is the entire length of the chamber and will contain five tiers of seats, which will be elegantly fitted up in mahogany and sycamore with plush cushions.

The Government members will occupy the east side of the chamber and the Opposition the west side. No definite announcement has been made on the subject, but it is generally understood that the old seats will be brought up from Wellington-street for the use of members. The decorations will be elegant and artistic. A members' hat and coat room on the same floor will be panelled and fitted with 116 compartments in walnut. Each compartment will contain hat and coat hooks and locked drawers for the members' use.

The grand staircase which leads up to the ante-room of the legislative chamber is of great breadth and beauty of design, giving an effect that is rich but not cumbrous. In the new building the third floor will be known as the first floor, and the second floor as the mezzanine floor.

At the extreme west end of the main corridor the Library will be situated, which is being fitted in quarter-cut white oak. The Library will be completed in 10 days, and it will be quite possible to get the books in by the end of the second week of January.

A gallery runs around three sides of the room, and an iron railing will keep the vandal public from meddling with the books. The members' ... at hand, and is finished in white ash. The building contains four elevators, two in the centre and one in each wing.

The various departments will all have their quarters in the east wing. On the ground floor on the south side of the corridor Hon. A. S. Hardy and his Department of Crown Lands will be placed; opposite on the north side the Minister of Agriculture will be pleasantly quartered.

On the mezzanine floor the Attorney-General's Department and the Cabinet Council Chamber are to be found to the south of the corridor; the Provincial Secretary will be placed opposite. On the third floor the Minister of Public Works and his staff are now established on the south side, on the north side the Provincial Treasurer, the Audit ... and Registrar-General's Department are located.

Scared by a Burglar.

HAMILTON, Dec. 29.—Shortly after 1 yesterday morning Mrs. Cooper, 18 Park-street south, was rather startled by seeing a man at the door of her bedroom. At first she thought it was her son and spoke to him. The man backed out of the door, holding a dark lantern behind him and made his escape.

Mrs. Cooper went to her son's room and told him that there was a burglar in the house. The police were telephoned for.

The officers searched the house, but could not discover that anything had been stolen.

The First Crossing.

UTICA, N.Y., Dec. 29.—The first crossing of the St. Lawrence River on the ice occurred yesterday.

Steamship Movements.

Date.	Name.	Reported at.	From
Dec. 28	—Anchoria	Moville	New York
"	—Ems	New York	Genoa

Another Appointment.

OTTAWA, Dec. 22.—William G. Parmeele, Commissioner of Customs, has been appointed Deputy Minister of Trade and Commerce. He will also act as Chief

DUEL AT MONTE CARLO.

The Second Bullet from the Pistol Struck Count Romanoff.

LONDON, Dec. 29.—The name of the American who killed Count Peter Romanoff in the duel at Monte-Carlo was Jay Brockton, and he was not from Brooklyn. The two men fought in the grounds of a private villa and evidently meant a duel to the death.

The conditions were 25 paces, with liberty to advance to within two paces of each other, and to keep on firing until one or the other should fall.

Both American and Russian came calmly to the mark, and on the word being given they fired with deadly intent, at the same time starting to advance.

The second bullet from Brockton's pistol struck Romanoff just above the heart. The Count reeled and fell, and in a few moments expired.

Considerable mystery exists as to the identity of Count Peter Romanoff. His name, real or assumed, suggested some connection with the royal family of Russia.

A New York newspaper suggests that Count Peter Romanoff may or may not be the traveling incognito of the Grand Duke Peter Nicoalevitch, who is the second son of the late Grand Duke Nicolai Nicoalevitch, who was the Czar's uncle.

THE PANAMA SCANDAL.

Two Other Sudden Deaths May Form the Subject of Special Enquiry.

LONDON, Dec. 29.—The Chronicle's Paris correspondent says: Two other sudden deaths besides that of Baron De Reinach's may form the subject of a special enquiry, but he hesitates to mention the persons' names, which are given on mere conjecture.

The startling disclosures made by ex-Detective Amiel have been revived. The correspondent declares that in answer to an advertisement in Figaro Amiel was offered money to murder Dr. Herz.

He continues: "Amiel asked me to publish the story, but when I sent for him I found he was dead."

The Gaulois compares the Panama Canal scandal to the scandals of the period of Rohan, and says that the diamond necklace allegation against Madame Carnot will probably lead to the disgrace of a high official.

A cartridge similar to that used in the Boulevard Magenta outrage of last spring was found yesterday close to the Reinach residence in the Rue de Lisbonne.

One of the experts who assisted Brouardel at the Reinach inquest says the result may be a surprise to everybody. It he had to make an oath on the subject he could not say, he added, that Baron de Reinach was poisoned.

Rather Beneficial.

PANAMA, Dec. 29.—The Panama scandals in Paris have apparently not affected the matter here. They seem to be regarded here as rather beneficial to the interests of the canal enterprise than otherwise.

The Royalists Protest.

PARIS, Dec. 29.—The municipal council of Paris, by a vote of 54 to 12, yesterday resolved to erect a monument to commemorate the execution of Louis XVI., to demolish the expiatory chapel erected in 1820-26 to the memory of Louis XVI and Marie Antoinette, and to place on the site of the chapel a bust of Lepelletier St. Fargeau, with a suitable inscription referring to his action in voting for the death of Louis.

The Royalist members loudly protested against the Council's course. The Prefect of the Department of the Seine reserves his decision in the matter.

Prince and Pauper.

NICE, Dec. 29.—Prince Victor Nakachidze, son of Gen. Bargratia, Prince of Georgia, has surrendered himself to the police of this city as he is ill and starving and wishes to be cared for. He told the police he was a Nihilist.

He was sentenced to three years' imprisonment for his connection with the Paris bomb makers, arrested and convicted in 1889. After serving out his time he was expelled from France.

Would Cross the Border.

LONDON, Dec. 29.—The Liverpool correspondent of The Daily News thinks there are no grounds for believing that the steamship companies will give up their steerage trade. They expect, he says, that the United States Government will relax shortly the stringent quarantine regulations when it has been shown how much easier it is to watch a few seaports instead of the whole Canadian frontier.

Ancient Bi-metallism.

LONDON, Dec. 29.—The Times publishes a letter from Max Muller remarking upon the researches of Prof. Brugesche to prove that the ratio of gold to silver in ancient Egypt was 1 to 12½. Dr. Brandes has shown, he adds, that in Babylonia the ratio was always 1 to 13⅓.

Cholera at Hamburg.

HAMBURG, Dec. 29.—Two new cases of cholera and one death were reported yesterday.

King Frost at Niagara.

NIAGARA FALLS, Dec. 29.—Should the cold weather continue there will be an ice bridge in a day or two. The spectacle is one of the grandest seen for years, the monstrous ice formations being beautiful beyond conception, and the glitter from the myriad facets dimming the beauty of the rainbows.

The atmosphere effect is very peculiar, a vapor like steam arising continuously, and giving a remarkably weird effect in the twilight.

Something of a Fight.

LAREDO, Tex., Dec. 29.—News was received here last night that the Mexican soldiers, 250 strong, and revolutionists 300 strong fought on Monday at Los Animas, Texas. Thirteen soldiers and a score of revolutionists were killed. Many were wounded on both sides.

Strike of Glass Workers.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—A strike among the stained, mosaic and opalescent glass-workers is in progress in this city. In consequence the work rooms of every ecclesiastical and decorative glass establishment in New York are deserted.

Doesn't Believe in Celibacy.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Constantinus Papayani, a Greek Catholic priest, arrived here yesterday on the steamer Normandie. He is looking for his wife and four children, who are residing in this city, and will take charge of the congregation of the Greek Catholic Church of New York.

Father Papayani is about the only example in America of a Catholic priest with a wife and family. He moves about attired in the regulation black gown of the Greek denomination and cloverleaf hat.

Geologists in Session.

OTTAWA, Dec. 29.—The Geological Society of America met here yesterday. Sir William Dawson of Montreal was elected president.

Fire in Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Dec. 22.—The big dressgoods and cloak ... of F. A. Bachman & Co...

A SONG THAT WAS FA[TAL]

THREE CHILDREN SHOT BY A M[USI]CAL FARMER.

He Loaded His Gun to Shoot a [Dog,] Dropped Into a Neighbor's—Flouri[shed] His Rifle While Singing—A Bullet From the Gun.

PICKERING, Ont., Dec. 29.—An accidental shooting affair took place at High Creek on Monday last. A young [man] whose name is Pat Forsyth, loaded a [gun] with the intention of shooting a dog.

About an hour after that he entered the house of Mr. Davis, a neighbor far[mer.] While there he was singing a military [song,] to which he was flourishing his rifle [in a] careless manner.

It was then that the rifle went off [and] three of Mr. Davis' children were [shot.] The ball first struck a young girl who [was] sitting by the stove.

Entering her back it passed through [her] breast, then through her leg above [the] knee; it then passed to the other side [of] the room and struck two younger children of Mr. Davis', passing through the leg [of] each of them below the knee.

The girl, who was about eighteen y[ears] old, died from the effects of [her] wound yesterday. Before dying she [ex]pressed a desire that Forsyth be not [pun]ished, as he did not intend to shoot [her.] The two younger children will recover.

It is thought that Forsyth had forgot[ten] that his rifle was loaded.

BORDER TROUBLES.

May Lead to a War Between Mexico [and] the United States.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—The World [edi]torially says:

The visit of Capt. Bourke to Washing[ton] is one of remonstrance, and it has come n[one] too soon. Capt. Bourke is charged with [the] task of keeping order on the Rio Gran[de] and fulfilling our neighborly obligati[ons] towards Mexico. He is not allowed [the] means of discharging his duties. As a c[on]sequence we are drifting into trouble wi[th] Mexico, in which, when it comes, we shall not have the consolation of knowing that we are in the right.

There is along the Rio Grande a turbulent population of Mexicans, half-breeds and lawless Americans who have left their country to avoid its jails. These people ha[ve] for a year or two made frequent incursio[ns] into Mexican territory, partly to stir [up] revolution there and partly to replenis[h] their purses by robbery. When baffled [the] Mex can forces they find it easy to retre[at] across the river, whither the Mexican off[i]cers are not allowed to follow them.

As we are at peace with Mexico, it is our duty to put a stop to these raids. As we do not put a stop to them, the Mexican Government has complained to our State Department, and the complaint is just. But our military force on the Rio Grande is not large enough to check this lawlessness. It consists of a mere handful of men, hastily drawn at times of emergency from widely scattered garrisons.

It is usually assembled about the time that the raid is over, which it is intended to stop. It is baffled in its operations by the fact that long immunity from interference has given to the raiders a standing which the border population regard as entitling them to sympathy and aid.

Capt. Bourke has gone to Washington to lay the facts before the Administration and to show clearly the necessity of assembling upon the Rio Grande a force sufficient to stop raiding into Mexico and to arrest raiders upon their return when they manage to cross the border.

This much we owe to Mexico as a friendly neighbor. Still more clearly do we owe it to ourselves as a law-respecting and law-enforcing nation, and now that the military authorities have set forth the facts it will be the fault of an incapable and supine administration if further cause of complaint is permitted to arise.

THE DEACON CASE.

The Husband Has Applied for an Absolute Divorce.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Edward Parker Deacon, who shot Emile Abeille in Cannes, France, because of alleged intimacy with his wife, has brought action in the Supreme Court for an absolute divorce from his wife, Florence Deacon, on the ground that Mrs. Deacon is now residing in France.

Judge Lawrence has given permission that the summons be served by publication.

In his complaint Deacon gives a number of occasions on which he declares he is informed his wife committed adultery with Abeille. He also makes general allegations that she has committed adultery with other men during the past two years, but no names are given. The complaint was sworn to before the Commissioner of the State of New York at Paris.

A COMICAL SPILL.

A Runaway Horse Makes an Elderly Lady Turn a Somersault.

MONTREAL, Dec. 29.—At midday yesterday a sleigh belonging to Mr. Hanson, insurance agent, while turning into St. James-street from St. Lambert-hill, struck the sidewalk and capsized, throwing its two occupants out upon their heads. The horse promptly ran away, and dashed into a sleigh in which Madame Dumaine, an elderly lady, was sitting.

Madame Dumaine was flung a complete somersault on to the sidewalk, but fortunately she was not seriously hurt, and later on was able to return to her home.

A Consul's Keen Scent.

MONTREAL, Dec. 29.—American Consul Smith reported to his Government that the sanitary condition of Three Rivers offered a foothold for cholera next spring. The council of that town have denied the truth of the report. It was stated that the consul would sue the council for damages, but he denies it.

Blaine Getting Around.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—"Mr. Blaine still shows improvement and the day throughout has been uneventful." The hour was 6 p.m. when this statement was made to a reporter, and Dr. Johnston had just left the bedside of Mr. Blaine. He said in addition that he did not expect to return tonight.

Peel Local Election.

BRAMPTON, Dec. 29.—The election contest in Peel for a member of the Local Legislature promises to be of an exciting and interesting character, and Mr. Cook, the independent candidate, is making a splendid fight. Among the old Reformers who are giving him their support are mentioned the ex-warden of the county, Mr. Porter, Ex-Reeve Lightheart of Chinguacousy, the deputy reeve of Brampton and a great many other prominent Reformers of the county. The meetings that are being held in various parts of the riding are largely in favor of Mr. Cook's candidature, and there are strong indications that he will be elected, but the majority will be small.

A Desolating Fire.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Dec. 22.—Fire at [Du]quesne destroyed six dwellings ... for ... ...

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MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

THE time for selecting candidates has passed and those who will be elected or rejected on Monday are now in the field. Let every rate-payer in the city and in other corporations go to work with a will independently of their political inclinations and see that they vote for, and use their influence also for those candidates who are fitted for the positions to which they aspire. It has been found to be the poorest of policies to vote for a candidate simply because he thinks he has served his party in some way or other and should be elected by them to some position that would only bring dishonor upon himself and dissatisfaction to those who elected him. By all means vote for the best men.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

A careful examination of the Finance Ministers report for the past year of Dominion affairs is far from encouraging. The receipts on account of consolidated funds is $1,657,439 less than the previous year, being this year only $36,921,871. The total expenditure this year was $36,765,894, showing an increase over the previous year of nearly one half a million dollars expenditure and a falling of in receipts of over one million and a half.

WHILE we are told that the highest proof of the country's prosperity is the amount of money put on deposit in the Saving and Post office banks—even here encouragement is lacking. In the Saving Banks, deposits have increased $129,000 but in the Post office banks there has been a decrease $174,889, more being drawn out than was deposited while the number of accounts opened during the year are 800 short of last year, it is well to remember that the accounts opened are several thousand short of what they were in 1887 when there were 200 banks less.

THE public accounts give the expense of Sir John A. Macdonald's funeral at $6,938, lawyers employed by the Department of Justice $20,000, and the Senate costs the country only $208,955.

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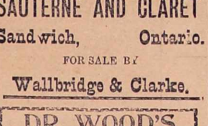

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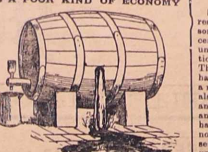

It is on a par with buying lots of rubbishy soap for little money.

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Mr. Hugh Caldwell, Clydesdale, Ont., writes:—"My daughter was under the care of doctors for more than a year for female weakness, without getting relief. I then procured Pink Pills and they cured her." All dealers 50 cnts a box or 6 boxes for 2.60, or mailed on receipt of price. Dr. Williams' Med. Co.. Brockville, Ont. and Schenectady, N. Y.

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If you have a cough or cold do not neglect it; many without a trace of that hereditary disease have drifted into a consumptive grave by neglecting what was on a slight cold. Had the used Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup before it was too late the lives would have been spared. Mr. A. W. Levy Mitchell, writes. "I think Bickel's Anti-Consumptive Syrup the best preparation ou the market for coughs and severe colds. About six years ago I caught a severe cold which settled on my lungs, and for three months I had a cought. I had a physician attending me, but gradually grew worse until I was on the verge of Consumption, and had given up hopes of being cured, when I was induced to try Bickel's Syrup. Before I had taken one bottle I found myself greatly relieved, and by the time I had finished the second was completely cured. I always rec... for severe colds and consumption

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Dr. Silas Lane while in the Rocky Mountains discovered a root that when combined with other herbs makes an easy and certain cure for constipation. It is in the form of dry roots and leaves, and is known as Lane's Family Medicine. It will cure sick headache in one night, For the blood, liver and kidneys, and for clearing up the complexion it does wonders. Druggists sell it at 50 cents a package

As an after dinner pill, to strengthen the stomach, assist digestion, and correct an bilious tendencies, Ayer's pills are considered the best. Being sugar coated, they are as agreeable as any confection, and may be taken by the most delicate.

Never hump yourself up to die of Piles until after you have given Magic Pile Lotion a fair and reasonable trial. If it fails then go on with your humping for your case is incurable.

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SWEET POTATOES
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THE CZAR'S ENEMIES

Discovery of Another Plot to Assassinate the Ruler of Russia.

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 29.—Numerous arrests continue to be made at Kieff of persons suspected of Nihilism. Nine more officers are among those imprisoned either under suspicion or direct charges of connection with a conspiracy against the Czar The Russian authorities believe that they have unearthed a widespread plot, in which a number not only of the lower officials, but also of those of higher rank are involved and several officers having positions of trust and confidence near the person of the Czar have been put under surveillance, although not under arrest, being given leave of absence from duty until the suspicions resting upon them are verified or disproved.

The extent of the plot is not yet known, and there seems no doubt this time of its genuine character, although it is not certain that the motives of the plotters are Nihilistic.

There is much discontent in the army with the prolonged period of peace and many of the officers think that the Czar is too pacific in his disposition. These is no longer an outlet for these warlike spirits in subduing the tribes of Central Asia.

All these have been brought thoroughly under Russian subjection. The Russian empire was never more peaceful, so far as external enemies are concerned; the murmuring among the army officers ambitious for glory and disappointed in their hopes of promotion is correspondingly great.

It is no secret that there was bitter disappointment in military circles seven years ago, when the Czar had to bring his autocratic authority to bear to prevent his generals from plunging into a war with Great Britain and Afghanistan, and the spirit of impatience among the Russian officers has been increasing since.

For these and other reasons the authorities at St. Petersburg are greatly apprehensive as to the extent of the conspiracy developed at Kieff, and much excitement prevails both in official circles and among the public.

Meantime the persecution of the Jews goes on more earnestly than ever, the leading prosecutor being the Grand Duke Sergius, brother of the Czar and husband of Queen Victoria's grandaughter, Elizabeth. As Governor of Moscow he seems determined to turn every Jew out of the city.

The Jewish population of Moscow has already been reduced from about 80,000, when Sergius became Governor, to about 30,000, and the number continues to decrease under the added rigor of penal laws and the intolerable severity of that enforcement.

By a new law which has recently been put in force, only 10 out of 100 Jewish lawyers in Moscow and St. Petersburg are allowed to practice, while in Warsaw and Russian Poland this liberty is wholly denied.

The Moscow University shuts its doors against Jews, and it will not be long before the Conservatoire does the same. The severe treatment of the Jews is having a ruinous effect upon real estate and other interests, at least 30,000 lodgings being empty in Moscow.

The most pitiful scenes are witnessed among the crowds of Jews at the railway stations. Men and women over 80 years of age, half-clad little children crying and praying in the cold.

Their sufferings are viewed with utter indifference by the Russian authorities, and any non-Jewish residents who display kindness towards them risk being put under suspicion.

The soldiers detailed to assist the police in guarding Jews treat them with the greatest brutality and frequently prick the unfortunates with their bayonets if they attempt to leave the stations in which they are penned.

The officers do not like the work of guarding Jews, which they look upon as beneath their dignity, and this also is a cause of some discontent among the military.

THE STEAMER UMBRIA.

She Is Now Five Days Overdue and Yet Not Reported.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Conjecture as to what has happened the long over-due Cunarder Umbria is all that can be indulged in. That she has met with an accident is agreed in shipping circles, but just the nature, extent and seriousness of that mishap will not be known until she is spoken by some ship or until she arrives.

At midnight the Umbria was five days overdue, not a word having been heard from her since she was sighted off Fastnet light, outward bound, 11 days ago.

TIRED OF LIFE.

A Canadian Girl Lay on a Suicide's Bier on Christmas Eve.

BUFFALO, Dec. 29.—Blanche Sherman, alias Minnie St. Clair, who went to Rochester from Toronto and then came to this city two years ago, attempted suicide Christmas Eve by taking poison.

The attempt was but partially successful, as the girl lingered until late last night, when she died.

She is said to have been the daughter of very respectable parents in Canada and was about 21 years old.

Anarchy in Milwaukee.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Dec. 29.—At 2 a.m. yesterday a bomb was thrown into the main building of the south side plant of the Milwaukee Street Railroad Company. There was a tremendous explosion, and in a moment the interior of the building was in a blaze.

In a few minutes the fire was beyond control, and in less than an hour the entire plant was consumed, entailing a loss of $510,000. Who the man is who threw the bomb is not known. He is supposed to be the fire bug who has started fully a dozen other disastrous fires within a month.

Chicago's Waterworks.

CHICAGO, Dec. 29.—The new waterworks tunnel has just been completed. It is a wonderful piece of engineering skill. Being constructed four miles into the lake, it is thought that the water will be entirely free from the city's drainage.

Its capacity is 130,000,000 gallons per day, though so far the pumps which fill the mains from it have a capacity of only 55,000,000 gallons. The work has been in progress for four years, and the total cost is $1,625,000.

Charged With Killing His Wife.

HAMILTON, Dec. 29.—John Arnold is in jail in Cleveland on a charge of murdering his wife in Wellington, O., 10 days ago. It is believed he was at one time a street preacher in this city.

A Negro Lynched.

BOWLING GREEN, N. Y., Dec. 29.—A mob of 1000 men armed with shotguns and Winchesters took the negro assailant of Miss Anderson from officers at the court house, where he was having his examination for the assault of Dec. 14, and lynched him.

Hello!—You fellow there.—Don't go bumping about as if your back was broken. Go off at once and get a bottle of Magic Pile Lotion—use it according to directions and you will walk as straight as any body in 24 hours.

Get along with you!
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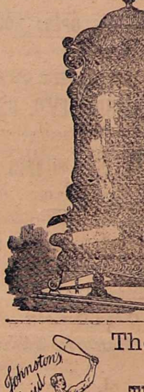

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Sick Headache and relieve all the troubles incident to a bilious state of the system, such as Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Distress after eating, Pain in the Side, &c. While their most remarkable success has been shown in curing

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Headache, yet Carter's Little Liver Pills are equally valuable in Constipation, curing and preventing this annoying complaint, while they also correct all disorders of the stomach, stimulate the liver and regulate the bowels. Even if they only cured

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Ache they would be almost priceless to those who suffer from this distressing complaint; but fortunately their goodness does not end here, and those who once try them will find these little pills valuable in so many ways that they will not be willing to do without them. But after all sick head

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Carter's Little Liver Pills are very small and very easy to take. One or two pills make a dose. They are strictly vegetable and do not gripe or purge, but by their gentle action please all who use them. In vials at 25 cents; five for $1. Sold everywhere, or sent by mail.

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WEAK MEN

(young and old), suffering from mental worry, overwork, insomnia, excesses, or self-abuse, should take these PILLS. They will restore lost energies, both physical and mental.

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AN EXTRADITION CASE.

GEORGE VICKERS RETURNED TO CANADA UNDER PRESSURE.

Detective Rogers Brings Back from Michigan a Mitchell Music Dealer Who Discounted $5000 Worth of Forged Paper in Five Years.

TORONTO, Dec. 29.—Government Detective Joe Rogers returned to the city yesterday after lodging in the Stratford jail George Vicars, a former music dealer at Mitchell, who fled after forging notes aggregating $5000 which he discounted with J. W. Cull, a private banker in that town.

Vicars, who is 55 years of age, had been carrying on his forgeries for a period of five years. His plan was to forge the names of farmers to notes for small sums and discount the notes with Banker Cull, Pianodealer Watson and others. He escaped detection for years owing to the fact that he would pay or renew the notes as they fell due in the early part of his forgery career. Finally, when exposure could no longer be postponed, he fled to Hillsdale, Mich., where he was arrested. He refused to return voluntarily and boasted that he would die before crossing the border.

Vicars was arraigned before Judge Vance at Port Huron, and his attorney made a stubborn fight against extradition, even having a charge of bringing stolen money into the United States lodged against his client in order that he could be held on this charge and the extradition proceedings dismissed. Detective Rogers blocked this game, however, by explaining that the crime of forgery was not larceny under the laws of Canada—that the money was not stolen and that Vicars could not, therefore, be charged with bringing the proceeds into the United States. At this stage the prisoner and his counsel had a consultation, and the latter threw up his brief.

Rogers then had a talk with Vicars, and as a result the accused agreed to return voluntarily without awaiting the result of the extradition proceedings, and he was safely lodged in Stratford jail yesterday, where, if he does not follow the example of the last man who was extradited and temporarily lodged there and take leg bail, he will remain until the assizes.

SHOT HIMSELF.

Carelessly Sends a Ball Through His Brain.

MONTREAL, Dec. 29.—The loud report of a revolver, followed by the screams of a woman in the house No. 181 Barre-street, about 12.30 o'clock yesterday noon, attracted a crowd, and several bystanders rushing into the dwelling found a young man lying behind the door between the kitchen and bedroom, face downwards on the floor, while beside him lay a 38-calibre self-acting revolver. The cries heard were those of an aged woman who was alone in the house with the unfortunate boy.

She threw herself on the body of her prostrate son until strong but kindly hands gently removed her and then raised the young man carefully. A bullet had crashed through his brain and he was dying. Someone telephoned for the Notre Dame hospital ambulance, but before its arrival the victim had breathed his last. Dr. Ethier examined the body and then had it placed in the ambulance and taken to the hospital. The name of the unfortunate is John Thomas Kenny, aged 19 years.

Yesterday after dinner he dressed, preparatory to going to the Theatre Royal. A young man who resides close by visited him and Kenny took out a splendid looking revolver to show him. After the visitor departed, Kenny began to clean the loaded weapon and was standing in the door talking to his mother and unconsciously looking into the muzzle of the weapon.

He had his hand on the trigger and handling it carelessly. Suddenly he pulled it accidentally and the bullet entered his head at the base of his nose, causing death in about ten minutes.

Young Kenny was a sober and industrious boy.

DYNAMITE ACCIDENT.

Two Barrels Explode and Cause Considerable Destruction.

LONG ISLAND CITY, Dec. 29.—By an explosion of dynamite in Fourth-st. yesterday morning several lives were lost, many people injured and much property destroyed. Two barrels of dynamite had been taken to a lot in Fourth-street, where a tunnel shaft is being excavated, and while they were being thawed out they exploded.

The explosion was so terrific that nearly every building in Jackson-avenue, from Fifth-street to Borden-avenue, was either destroyed or badly damaged. The structures include the postoffice and Sylvester & Co.'s factory. A fire immediately started in the debris and is now burning.

By 10 o'clock the dead bodies of the following were recovered from the ruins: Mary Graden, aged 19, of 27 Jackson-avenue; Mrs. Rocceri, wife of Peter Rocceri, a barber, 27 Jackson-avenue, and Henry O'Brien, clerk, 25 Jackson-avenue.

Among the injured are: William Krepp, of Greenpoint and John Palmer of Williamsburgh, both of whom were at work in Gray's refrigerator factory opposite where the explosion took place; Minnie Davren, aged 19; John W. Davren, reporter; John Davren, Mrs. Maher and John Maher, all of Jackson-avenue. Patrick McEntee, a fireman, employed on the tunnel, was terribly injured and will probably die.

A block of four story tenements is now on fire from the upsetting of stoves. The postoffice was almost entirely demolished. The windows of every building within half a mile of the explosion were blown out.

IS HE MAD?

A Hamilton Man Has Wandered Away Without Saying Good-Bye.

HAMILTON, Dec. 29.—Walter H. Hamson, for some years connected with the mantle department of the drygoods house of A. Murray & Co. and one of the leading shots in the 13th Battalion, cannot be found. About a month or so ago he resigned his position and said he was going west.

He mentioned Detroit and Chicago, and said he had secured a situation, but when asked the name of the firm he always evaded the question.

He went away from the city and has not since been heard of. His wife has made all the enquiries possible, but has not been able even to discover which way he went, and it is not believed that he went west.

Hamson came here a good many years ago, and it was well known that he was well-connected in England. It was also said that his people had plenty of money. He always maintained a good appearance, and was well thought of.

There seem to be no financial difficulties connected with or at the bottom of his departure. Failing to discover anything of his whereabouts, Mrs. Hamson, in her extremity, has laid the matter before Chief McKinnon.

Court House Burned.

MUNCIE, Ind., Dec. 29.—Yesterday fire broke out in Delaware County. The elegant new court house and building valued at $300,000 were ruined.

SHILOH'S CONSUMPTION CURE.

This GREAT COUGH CURE, this successful CONSUMPTION CURE, is without a parallel in the history of medicine. All druggists are authorized to sell it on a positive guarantee, a test that no other cure can successfully stand. If you have a Cough, Sore Throat, or Bronchitis, use it, for it will cure you. If your child has the Croup, or Whooping Cough, use it promptly, and relief is sure. If you dread that insidious disease CONSUMPTION, don't fail to use it, it will cure you or cost nothing. Ask your Druggist for SHILOH'S CURE, Price 10 cts.

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A GAIN OF A POUND A DAY IN THE CASE OF A MAN WHO HAS BECOME "ALL RUN DOWN," AND HAS BEGUN TO TAKE THAT REMARKABLE FLESH PRODUCER,

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When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

Of the Lubon Medical Company is now a Toronto, Canada, and may be consulted either in person or by letter on all chronic diseases peculiar to man. Men, young, old, or middle-aged, who find themselves nervous, weak and exhausted, who are broken down from excess or overwork, resulting in many of the following symptoms: Mental depression, premature old age, loss of vitality, loss of memory, bad dreams, dimness of sight, palpitation of the heart, emissions, lack of energy, pain in the kidneys, headache, pimples on the face or body, itching or peculiar sensation about the scrotum, wasting of organs, dizziness, specks before the eyes, twitching of the muscles, eyelids and elsewhere, bashfulness, deposits in urine, loss of will power, tenderness of scalp and spine, weak and flabby muscles, desire to sleep, failure to be rested by sleep, constipation, dullness of hearing, loss of voice, desire for solitude, excitability of temper, eyes surrounded with leaden circle, oily looking skin etc., are all symptoms of nervous debility that lead to insanity unless cured. The spring or vital force having lost its tension every function wanes in consequence. Those who through abuse committed in ignorance may be permanently cured. your address for book on all diseases peculiar to man. Books sent free sealed. Heart disease, the symptoms of which are faint spells, purple lips, numbness, palpitation, skip beats, hot flushes rush of blood to the head, dull pain in the heart with beats strong, rapid and irregular, the second beat quicker than the first, pain about the breastbone, etc., can positively be cured. No cure no pay. Send for book. Address M. V. L[illegible]ON 24 Macdonell Ave, Toronto Ont.

All through the Provinces the rapid increase of La Grippe, is causing great alarm. A report was received here to-day, of a new development of the disease, which is worse, perhaps than any other. Wm. Hanley of N. Y. City, died in terrible agony after sickness of only four days. His tongue swelled to such an extent as to make it impossible for his to close his jaws or swallow any food. The report is causing the people in this district to inquire into the noted Grip-cure, recently referred to in so many papers. In Cape Breton the disease has spread very rapidly and with fatal results. D. J. Killop of L'Archeveque writes Feb. 11th that this cure has been tried in his neighborhood and with such success that all those residing there are obtaining a supply believing it to be the only remedy affording relief and effecting a certain cure. He finished his letter by asking for a large quantity of the Medicine (Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills) to supply the demands of the community for the relief of LaGrippe.

Great Surprise

Is in store for all who use Kemp's Balsam for the throat and lungs, the great guarantee remedy. Would you believe that it is sold on its merits and that any druggist is authorized by the proprietor of this wonderful remedy to give you a sample bottle free? It never fails to cure acute or chronic coughs. All druggists sell Kemp's Balsam. Large bottles 50 cents and $1

A Question

How can we raise more corn t the acher? Why, of course by using Putman's Corn Extractor. Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor has given universal satisfaction, for it is safe, sure and painless. Like every article of real merit it has a host of imitators, and we would specially warn the public to guard against these dangerous substitutes offered for the genuine, Putman's Extractor. N. C. Polson & Co., proprietors, Kingston.

Advice to Mothers

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used by millions of mothers for children teething for over fifty years, with perfect success. It relieves the little sufferer at once, produces natural quiet sleep, and freeing the child from pain, and the young cherub wakes as bright as a button. It is pleasant to taste, soothes the child softens the gums, allays pain, relieves wind, regulates the bowels, and is the best known remedy for diarrhoea, whether arising from teething or other causes 25cts

Diseases of The Liver

Parmelee's Pills possess the power of acting specifically upon the deceased organs, stimulating to action the dormant energies of the system, thereby removing disease. In fact, so great is the power of this medicine to cleanse and purify that disease of almost every name and nature are driven from the body. Mr. D. Carswell, Carswell, P. O., writes I have tried Parmelee's Pills and find them an excellent medicine.

NOTICE.

Doctors, nurses and mothers, if you knew what Dr Kirkwood has invented for your special benefit you would send stamp with address for full information of Dr Kirkwood's scientific and Force and Suction Syringe; a necessary article to every lady. Mention this paper. Address Canadian Agency, Kirkwood Rubber Co, 6 Lombard St, Toronto.

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LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—

For the third time I respectfully ask for your votes and influence to secure my return as one of your representatives.

During the year I have been honored with the chairmanships of two important committees for the whole of the time, and a third—the Executive—for the last half of the year.

You are the judges whether I have attended faithfully to duty and acted conscientiously.

Whatever works for the city's good, if possible from the standpoints of economy and prudence, are the objects of my aim. I renew my pledges of attention to duty and fidelity to our city's welfare, and remain

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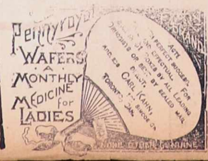

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Never speak against a predecessor's methods in the presence of your pupils.

Never tell the parents that their children are so very intelligent, busy, and far advanced if they are not.

Never try to make parents believe that their children have of the best natural talents if they have not.

Public School trustees, never employ a teacher merely because he is related to one or more members of the board.

Never employ a teacher merely because he agrees with you in politics.

Never tell a teacher of his faults in the presence of the pupils.

Pay your teacher enough. Remember that the laborer is worthy of his hire.

Teachers and directors, be honest, for your dishonesty will never take you through life successfully.—National Educator.

A Vanished Island.

On the northwest coast of Australia the maps show an island some thirteen miles long by one mile wide, which has long been known as Expedition Island. It will be known no more out of history. A German vessel sailing by there recently reports that the island has disappeared and that there is an average depth of forty-eight feet where it was. All around it the water is several hundred feet deep. No one knows when the island vanished from view, and the only explanation of the phenomenon is that for some cause or other there has been a sudden depression of the earth's crust into those waters. The subsidence of the island was not accomplished with such rapidity and violence as to attract attention through the disturbance of the sea on any civilized coasts. If a sudden cataclysm had occurred, like that which blew the great part of Krekatoa into the air and scattered the fragments over the sea bed, great waves would have carried to far distance shores the news that something unusual had occurred, for Expedition Island had some importance in that region of tiny ocean specks, being much larger than any of its neighbors.

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Special Bargains in Teas and Coffees during Xmas Week.

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All accounts due the late John R. Brown, must be paid to Geo. R. Brown, merchant tailor, before 1st January to save costs.

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A few for sale at a great reduction on price.

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A Grand Selection of

Ladies' Capes, Mantles and Jackets For Winter in New Styles and Materials.

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Together with a full range, lately opened, of the Genuine

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S. BURROWS, GENERAL AGENT

HAPPY NEW YEAR

We wish all our friends a Very Happy New Year

No doubt you all wish YOUR friends the same, but there is no pleasanter way of making them happy than sending some little token which always gladdens the heart of both sender and receiver.

Perhaps you saw something in our place before Xmas that you would have liked to purchase, but felt you could not afford it. If so come in now and if we have any of the same things left we will make it so cheap that you will never feel the loss.

We do not wish to carry our goods over, so intend to just about give them away.

J. C. OVERELL,

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5 Ranges by the best makers, at cost.

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Wasting Discharges Cease. The Breath becomes Sweet and Healthful. Nervous Prostration Vanishes. Eyes Bright and Strong Spirits Buoyant. The Skin Clear, and the former Nervous Prostrated Woman becomes A New Being.

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As man has not yet discovered all of Nature's laws for right living, it follows that everyone has committed more or less errors which have left visible blemishes. To erase these evidences of past errors, there is nothing to equal Electricity as applied by the Owen Electric Body Battery and Suspensory. Rest assured any doctor who would try to accomplish this by any kind [illegible] is practising a most dangerous [illegible]tanism.

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to show an Electric Belt where the current is under the control of the patient as completely as this. We can use the same belt on an infant that we would on a giant, by simply reducing the current. Other belts have been in the market for five or ten years longer, but to-day there are more Owen Belts manufactured than all other makes combined.

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THE DAILY ONTARIO
BELLEVILLE, THURSDAY, DEC. 29th

PROBABILITIES.

—Fair weather; a little higher temperature; light local falls of snow.

TOLD IN A LINE OR TWO

To-night "By Wits Outwitted."

Ald. Luscombe the popular candidate of the working men is meeting with very encouraging results in his canvass in Coleman Ward

You should see "By Wits Outwitted," at the Queen's Opera House to-night.

It is a great satisfaction to know that F. O'Flynn allowed himself to become a candidate for alderman in Samson Ward. Mr. O'Flynn is a young and promising barrister and is very popular, not only in his own ward but throughout the city and should be elected by a solid majority.

There was an active market this morning in meats. Pork being bought up from $7 to $8 per cwt.

Old employees of the Quinte bridge have begun keeping the ice cut from around the piers to prevent any damage being done by the heaving of the ice.

Fred. Abraham, who for several years has been associated with the ONTARIO, on Saturday last severed his connection with this paper. Mr. Abraham has in view the purchase of a business.

The beautiful comedy, "By Wits Outwitted" will be presented at the Queen's Opera house this evening. This company have just closed a weeks engagement at the Academy of Music, Montreal.

Fresh Whitefish, Salmon, Herrings, Haddock, etc., Finnan Haddie, Ciscoes, Yarmouth Bloaters, at Goldsmith's Fish Store, Market Square,

In the Ameliasburg contest Jas. E. Glenn has withdrawn in favor of Cyrus Giles for the first deputy reeveship, and John H. Parliament has withdrawn in favor of Stephen Dempsey.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Geo. Latta, Plainfield died on Monday. Funeral from the family residence on Friday at 11 a.m.

Mr. C. K. Graham, of the city, was in Peterboro yesterday, buying large quantities of dried apples for shipment to Hamburg, Germany.

At the session of the Canadian Society of musicians in Toronto this week, Mrs. Campbell of this city was appointed representative.

The Hon. W. E. Gladstone enters upon his 84th year to-day.

Mrs. Geo. Brown and family are visiting her sister Mrs. A. W. Finkle of Toronto for the holidays.

A O U W Election of Officers

There was a large meeting of the Brethern last night, and a very interesting meeting was held, several visitors being present, including one from New York City. The election resulted as follows: P M W, S E Haight; M W, W E Vanvoort; Foreman, W E Bonter; Overseer, J H P Young; Recorder, H W Smith; Financie, J W London; Receiver, H A Dean; Guide, G B Denyes; I W, J W Johnson; O W. — Phillips; Rep to Grand Lodge, S E Haight; Alternate do, Geo Denmark; Medical Examiners, Drs Clinton, Cook and Walker.

DIED

ROBINSON—At Belleville on Thursday, Dec. 29th 1892, Mrs. Emily Robinson, relict of the late Rev. R. Robinson, aged 60 years, 5 months 4 days.

Funeral from the late residence, west Moira street, Saturday, Dec. 31st 2 p.m. to the cemetery.

A Beautiful Souvenir

Mr. Wm. Johnston showed us to-day one of the Columbian half dollars, the souvenir coin of the World's Columbian Exposition. It was a new years gift to him from his friend Mr. Thos. S. Quincey, of Chicago. It is the first of its kind to arrive here, and is a handsome coin. The first one of these kind was sold to a coin collector for $26,060.

TOWN TALK

New goods just arrived at Goldsmith's fish store, Bridge street—groceries, fish, fruits, cigars, oysters, cider, candies. Refreshments and lunches at all hours.

You will save money by getting your stoves and ranges from Deacon & Doyle.

Geen is showing a very nice line of perfumes in plain and fancy bottles, also in bulk.

"Handsome is that handsome does, and if Hood's Sarsaparilla doesn't do handsomely then nothing does. Have you ever tried it?

Our druggists keep for sale Hall's Vegetable Sicilian Hair Renewer, the best preparation ever made for restoring the vitality and color of the hair.

PROMOTION EXAMS.

A COMPLETE LIST OF THOSE WHO WERE SUCCESSFUL

A Report That is Always Looked Forward to With much Anxiety by the Pupils

The semi-annual promotion examinations in the city schools were held on the 19th, 20th and 21st inst, with the following results:

PART I TO PART II

Canifton Road School Miss E. Holden

MAXIMUM 296. MINIMUM 148
Edith Stapley 232
Tillie Hulley 221
Ednah Norton 217
Maggie Andrews 196
Bessie Pepper 194
Bella Taylor 187

Grier St School, Miss I Palen

MAX. 296. MIN. 148.
Helen Dyer 242
Wesley McCreary 225
Mabel Bateman 222
Walter Luscombe } 217
Bessie Snell }
Mary Matthews 213
May Young 209
Fred Mullett 199
Creswell Carter 161

Octavia Street School Miss Yeomans

MAX 296 MIN 148
Wilhelmina Green
May Bowen
Eddie Harris
Nellie Parsons
Eddie Coulson
Myrtle Cobb
Florence Coleman
Willie Bowden
Stewart Rathman
Hilda Bell
Daisy Dowzer
Mildred Phillips
Nora Cunningham

Station School Miss Phelps

MAX. 269 MIN. 148.
Tommy Emsley 251
Harry Palos 227
Harry Witherspoon 216
Nellie Ellenor 205

PART II TO SECOND BOOK.

MAX. 555. MIN. 278.
Maud Fairbourne 394
Minnie Cook 379
Eddie Bowen 344

Pinnacle St. School, Miss Alice McRae

Harry Clarke 430
Maggie Payne 337
MAX. 565. MIN. 278.
Louie Froysell 348
Willie Pratt 313

Miss Caldwell Teacher

MAX. 555. MIN. 278.
Gracie Cook 493
Hughie Doherty 467
Freddie Georgie 432
May Fisher 430
Vivian Gill 409
Isa Moore 396
Stanley Pringle 391
Hugh McGahan 389
Frankie Tedman 379
Ella Mills 378
Charlie Hanna 377
Tommy Nutrown 341
Ernest Hartman 321
Celren Yourex 303
MAX. 555 MIN. 278.
Harry Reeves 419
Walter Symons 413
Harold Eccles 399
Nellie Cunningham 385
Mable Davis 376
Ethel Farrington 369
Alex Haye 367
Minnie Dulmage 361
Rose Jackson } 354
George Mossman }
Lottie Warham 343
Nelson Parks 338
Charlie Earle 329
Maggie Love 327
Harry Coon 316
Stella Mills 304
Mable Dulmage 293

SECOND TO THIRD CLASS

R B Chisholm

MAX. 788 MIN. 394.
Nellie Powell 535
Agnes Wills 469
Viola Handley 439
Lizzie Wills 437

Miss Richards

MAX. 788 MIN. 394
Jennie Falls 580
Harvey Jones 517
Ethel Westover 503
Gertie Flagler 465
Lena McCrudden 443
Stanley Coon 396
MAX 788 MIN 394
James Sprague 599
Annie Yourex 569
Cecil Madden 544
Arthur Northrup 538
Florence Clarke 503
Ada Bateman 479
Charlie Tebworth 468

Miss Harold

Emma Morden 570
Allan Schryver 528
Harry Roblin 512
Mary Wilson 510
Lillie Wilson 468
Howard Chase 456
Mabel Coulson 452
John Denyes 447
Albert Bryant 416
Ada Canniff 4[illegible]8
Ethel Frederick 402
Eva Campbell 395

Third to Fourth Class

Miss Jack

MAX. 1068 MIN 534
Russell Simson 686
Dollie Thompson 684
Josie Cook 677
Fred Wilson 674
Harry Quincey 608

PART I TO PART II

Central School Miss Ida Craig

MAX. 296. MIN. 148.
Fred Thorpe 248
Emma Simonds 236
Robe Bonter 235
Willie McGinnis 225
Robbie Hamilton 224
Willie Hamilton 222
Clifford Morden
Clifford Walker 216
Willie Carmichael 215
Eunice Lake 214
Willie Watts 213
Vincent Weller 211
Edna Holton 209
Norma Ormanby 207
Edwin Henthorn 201
Clara Phillips 199
Ivy Watkins 191
Florence Day 190
Carrie Alcott 188
Linden Lewis 176
George Howell 171
Mary Vorce 169

PART II TO SECOND BOOK.

Miss Jennie Fleming Teacher.

MAX. 555. MI 278.
Julia Hennessy 464
Harry Lee 453
Maggie Matheson 451
Herbert Baker 450
George Bates 444
Pearl Zwick 440
Maggie Keith 439
Lena Marshall 429
Alice Stapley 428
Harold Weeks 418
Julia Thompson 414
Doren Cummings 413
Florence Wesse 403
Everett Givens 399
Maggie McKenna 398
Grace Forward 393
Emma Stapley } 385
Harry Sprague }
Jennie Vanderwaters 382
Warren Bogart 379
Brenton Moore 377
Cora Reid 372
Jessie Thomas 369
Cora Naylor 351
Lily Fish 337
Maud Hose 331
Leonard Howe 303
George Phillip 295

SECOND TO THIRD.

Miss Lillie Craig

MAX 788 MIN 394
Bessie Riggs 576
Jack Templeton 554

Miss Emmons

Grant McClatchie 618
Ella Zwick 575
Bertha Frost 566
Bertie Allen 561
Jessie Fraliek 534
Fred Roy
Fred Wallbridge 515
May Stratton 505
Sanford Burrows 468
Elsie Ewen 453
Arthur Lingham 451
Lillie Backus 430
Harry Wallace 425
Ethel Ling 408
Bert Naylor 400

THIRD TO FOURTH CLASS.

Miss Minnie Fleming Teacher

MAX. 1068 MIN. 534.
Charlie Carmichael 703
Parker Crossley 618
John McLeay 612
Eva Phippen 582
Alfred Wills 551

Miss M A Northcott Teacher

Roy Dimond 595

Some Strange Misnomers

Much of the Russia leather comes from Connecticut, Bordeaux wine from California, Italian marble from Kentucky, French lace from New York, and Spanish mackerel from the New Jersey coast. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery comes from Buffalo, N.Y., but there is nothing in its name to criticise for it is truly golden in value, as thousands gladly testify. Consumption is averted by its use, and it has wrought many positive cures. It corrects torpid liver and kidneys, purifies the blood banishes dyspepsia and scrofula, renews the lease of life, and tones up the system as nothing else will do. What is more, it is guaranteed to do all this, or the price is refunded.

CANADA NEEDS A CHANGE.

What are the Evils that are Driving Her People to the States.

Every day adds new names to the list of the Canadian press who call for a change in the political condition of the Dominion. The Algoma Herald says:

"Over 1,000,000 native Canadians are living in the United States, an increase of 37 per cent in the number of the Canadians living in the United States in ten years, while the population of Canada in the same period has increased only 11 per cent. This is the net result of ten years experience of Tory and monopolist in Canada. What sense is there in spending public money upon efforts to bring immigrants from Europe into Canada? More people emigrated from Canada in the past ten years than there are inhabitants in that vast portion of the Dominion west of Lake Superior, and our rulers propose to continue the policy which is driving Canadians out of their native land at the rate of 30,000 a year and to waste some more millions up in a worthless immigration service."

The Algoma Pioneer says:

"The time has come for thinking men to speak and probe the canker which is sapping the strength and jeopardizing the life of the Dominion No one can deny the fact that a strong current is annually carrying thousands of Canadians to the United States. Sentimentalists say they will all come back again in the event of trouble between the two countries. But has the republic given us any evidence of its desire to slay the goose that lays such golden eggs? Nay, they may seek to make our political relations unsteady and uncomfortable, but the day for fighting trouble will never come.

"In the mean time every city, town, and hamlet in Canada has sent the bloom of youth and enterprise to the United States. We may extract all the comfort possible by thinking that our sons and daughters will retain an abiding affection for the land of their birth, but experience tells us that they are really active agents in drawing others after them. Our children people the States. Americans control our rich nickel deposits and pineries, and sweep our great fisheries. The wealth of our natural products is being utilized for the benefit of American manufacturers, while Canadian manufacturers, while Canadian enterprise in sawmills, minerals, and fisheries shiver as if smitten with the ague."

Don't forget to see the very funny comedy, "By Wits Outwitted" at the Queen's Opera House to-night.

The Doctor Orders It.

Sister Carolina, St. Andrew's Hospital, Clewer, Windsor, Eng., says: "I have found St. Jacob's Oil a most efficacious remedy for gout; also for sprains and bruises. Indeed, we cannot say too much in its praise. Our doctor is ordering it constantly." Many physicians use it.

Good Enough.

The Hamilton Times says President VanHorne is willing to build a handsome Canadian Pacific depot in the central part of Ottawa, if Parliament will permit him to tunnel under the Parliament buildings and bridge the Rideau Canal, and if the citizens will contribute $100,000. Van Horne was always too modest. Why doesn't he ask for a present of the Parliament buildings? The main building would make a good passenger depot, and with a little fixing up the two departmental blocks would do very well for freight sheds.

To-day.

Hood's Sarsaparilla stands at the head in the medicine world, admired in prosperity and envied in merit by thousands of would be competitors. It has a larger sale than any other medicine. Such success would not be won without positive merit.

Hood's Pills cure constipation by restoring the peristaltic action of the alimentary canal. They are the best family cathartic.

OBITUARY

It is with profound sorrow we announce the death of Mrs. Emily Robinson, relict of the late Rev. R. Robinson, which took place to-day at the family residence, West Moira street. The deceased was born in Sidney Township over 50 years ago, and has been stationed with her late husband all over Ontario in ministerial work. Three daughters and two sons mourn the loss of a kind and affectionate mother. Funeral on Saturday the 31st inst at 2 p.m. to the Country.

For hanging and standlamps try Geen ug Store.

ORANGE BLOSSOMS

One of Belleville's Fairest and most Popular Young Ladies Won in Wedlock

A very happy company assembled at the residence of Mr. Wm. Gibson, Maria St., last night to witness the marriage of his daughter Miss Jennie Gibson, formerly stamp vendor at the post office and one of Belleville's fairest and most popular young ladies, to Mr. George Lloyd, commercial traveller for S. S. Young, Trenton. The bride looked charming and was neatly attired in cream colored silk with rose ornaments. Miss Maude Gibson, sister of the bride, acted as bridesmaid and Mr. Benjamin Gibson, of Kingston, did the honors of groomsman. The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. L. Geen before a large number of relations and friends of the happy couple. The bride was the recipient of many beautiful and costly presents.

THE S S UMBRIA STILL AFLOAT

The Steamer Lying at Anchor in mid-Ocean Repairing her Machinery

NEW YORK, Dec. 29th.—(Special.)—The steamship Galilsee, from Hull, arrived this morning. She reports that on Dec. 25th a large steamer apparently disabled, was sighted.

On bearing down close to the vessel the latter exhibited three red lights showing that she was unmanageable but not requiring assistance.

On exchanging night signals it was ascertained that the vessel was the overdue Umbria. The Galilsee captain is of the opinion that the Umbria's machinery was disabled and that she was lying to, making repairs.

THE RAILWAY FROM PICTON TO DESERONTO.

The C O R Likely to be Built in the Near Future Between These Points

It is reported that the C.O. R., is likely to pass into the hands of the McMullens' again, and that steps are being taken by them and the Rathbun Co., to have a line run from Picton to Deseronto by way of Capt. John's Island. With two enterprising firms like the Rathbun Co., and McMullens nothing seems impossible. In fact they know no such word as fail.]

MUSIC AND THE DRAMA.

By Wits Outwitted.

Edward Owings Towne, the author of the much-talked of comedy, "By Wits Outwitted" which will be seen in this city at Queen's Opera House, Dec. 29th, opening for an engagement of one night only, obtained the first suggestions of the plot while visiting the city of Mexico. The first actual writing that was done upon the comedy was a rude draft of the principal ideas which were made in an ordinary traveller's note book by Mr. Towne while paying a visit to the celebrated pyramid Cholula. This visit to Cholula was in the month of February, 1890. The comedy was actually written in one week, between Christmas and New Year's following. The author worked from twelve to eighteen hours a day while writing it and the night before its completion snatched but two or three hours sleep from his work without taking the trouble of undressing. As a piece of rapid composition the work is remarkable. Mr. Towne is the author of a book entitled "Aphorisms," now in its fifth edition, also of a volume of poems entitled "The completion of the Spire."

Don't miss seeing this comedy. Prices 25, 50 and 75 cents.

Why His Wife is "Fidgety."

I have the best cook in the town,
Whose bread is delicious and white;
Her coffee is fragrant and brown,
Her pantry a perfect delight.
But she daily complains of the worry they bring—
She's my own darling wife, but a fidgety thing!

Your wife is worn out, and needs Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, the only medicine guaranteed to cure debilitated women. How many overworked American ladies we see with lack-lustre eyes and haggard faces, growing old before their time, from those exhausting ailments that men know nothing of. They can be permanently cured by this remedy, as numberless grateful women will attest. Price refunded, if it fails to give satisfaction in every case. See guarantee printed on bottle-wrapper.

If you want to enjoy good wholesome laugh see By wit outwitted to-night.

Electors of Murney Ward

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—

On nomination day the question was asked of the writer, "What was done with the appropriation of $400 made to apply on Catharine St. drain?" In addition to reply then made, I submit herewith certified copy of the only action in reference thereto, in year 1891, which I trust will prove our contention; that no interest of the ward was neglected by your representatives.

Yours faithfully,
J. E. WALMSLEY.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

I beg to certify that during the year 1891, the petition for the extension of the Catherine street drain was "laid over for future consideration" by the then Council, and that no appropriation was made in that year in regard to that work.

D. B. ROBERTSON,
City Clerk.

Belleville, Dec27, 1892.

Gratifying to All

The high position attained and the universal acceptance and approval of the pleasant liquid fruit remedy Syrup of Figs as the most excellent laxative known illustrate the value of the qualities on which its success is based and are abundantly gratifying to the California Fig Syrup Company.

Police Court

The assault case between Burgoyne vs Burgoyne was remanded to-day until Monday.

The case against Fitzpatrick for violation of the Liquor law was adjourned until Wednesday.

Make no Mistake

The solid winter weather is now only starting. Because it is after Christmas do not try and freeze through until next spring without the proper over coat. At the Oak Hall you can get a wonderful overcoat at from $4 to $8. Never has clothing been so low in price as at the present time. No one need go cold.

Sale of Valuable Stock

Yesterday Ed. Brickman of Ameliasburg sold his entire stock of horses, farming implements, etc. As his stock of horses embraced some of the best bred Percherons ever imported into Canada and were announced to be sold for cash many were in attendance, expecting great bargains. Rowland Way, west of Trenton bought the pure bred stock at prices to suit, while a good deal of the other stock and implements were sold very cheap.

D. M. Waters, Chemist and druggist Belleville, has a supply of Membray's Kidney and Liver Cure in stock. Ask about it.

The great value of Hood's Sarsaparilla as a remedy for catarrh is vouched for by thousands of people whom it has cured.

"LAW WEST OF THE PECOS."

Ray Bean, Who Used to Administer Justice for Forty Miners.

The bonanza days of '49 developed some very queer characters in the west, and Texas comes in for her share of them. Most of these old-timers are under the sod long ago, but there are a few of them left, and according to the St. Louis Post-Dispatch about the most original is old Ray Bean, "Law west of the Pecos," as he called himself. Ray was elected justice of the peace along in the fifties and he still administers justice to all according to his own method, which is one that would cause one of our modern lawyers to have palpitation of the heart were he to practice in his court. But withal Ray generally sized up the case about right, and once let him be satisfied of the guilt of the culprit and all the statutes, technicalities and precedents from the time of Adam down could not save him, and it came to be a pretty well understood thing that appeals from Squire Bean's court didn't go. At least that is the impression which Ray tried to convey, and his language was always remarkably clear on this point, as a young aspirant for legal glory discovered one day when, after a case had been decided against him, he gave notice of appeal. In a second Squire Bean had him covered with a six shooter, and in a voice of thunderous tones declared, "Sir, there is no appeal from this court," and the lawyer concluded that if the squire said so it must be that way. Ray was the proprietor of the only saloon in the place and quite frequently when someone was brought before him charged with some minor offence, Ray would sentence him to pay for the drinks for the crowd. Such sentences were always executed to the letter.

Ray was a very illiterate man; in fact he could not read or write. He often boasted that he had the cleanest docket in the state, "there not being the scratch of a pen on it."

During the construction of the Southern Pacific railroad through western Texas Ray became famous for his knowledge of law. A white railroad laborer had some difficulty with a Chinese coworker and killed him with a pick. The murderer was taken before Squire Bean and pleaded not guilty. Without taking a word of testimony Ray went to his library and got a volume of patent office reports, or something of the sort, and examined it very carefully, holding the book upside down. Finally his decision was as follows:

"Gentlemen, I find a law here against killing a white man or a nigger, but damme if this book says a word about a Chinaman, and the sentence of this court is that you (the prisoner) be fined the drinks for this crowd, and may the Lord have mercy on your soul."

The Sweetness of Life.

It fell on a day I was happy,
And the winds, the convex sky.
The flowers and the beasts of the meadow,
Seemed happy even as I,
And I stretched my hands to the meadow,
To the bird, the beast, the tree;
"Why are ye all so happy?"
I cried, and they answered me.

What sayest thou, oh meadow,
That stretches so wide, so far,
That none can say how many
Thy misty marguerites are?
And what say ye, red roses,
That o'er the sun-blanched wall
From your high black-shadowed trellis
Like flame or blood drops fall?
"We are born, we are reared, and we linger
A various space, and die,
We dream and are bright and happy,
But we cannot answer why."

What sayest thou, oh shadow,
That from the dreaming hill
All down the broadening valley
Liest so sharp and still?
And thou, oh murmuring brooklet,
Whereby in the noonday gleam
The loose strife burns like ruby,
And the branched asters dream?
"We are born, we are reared, and we linger
A various space and die:
We dream, and are very happy,
But we cannot answer why."

And then of myself I questioned,
That like a ghost the while
Stood from me and calmly answered
With a slow and curious smile;
"Thou art born as the flowers and wilt linger
Thine own short space and die;
Thou dreamst and are strangely happy,
But thou canst not answer why."

—Archibald Lampman, in Youth's Companion.

Happy

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Rejoice Because

Hood's Sarsaparilla Rescued Their Child from Scrofula.

For Scrofula, Salt Rheum, and all other foul humors in the blood of children or adults, Hood's Sarsaparilla is an unequalled remedy. Read this:

"We are so thankful to Hood's Sarsaparilla for what it did for our little girl that we make this statement for the benefit of other anxious parents and

Suffering Children

Our girl was a beautiful baby, fair and plump and healthy. But when she was two years old, sores broke out behind her ears and spread rapidly over her head and forehead down to her eyes, and into her neck. We consulted one of the best physicians in Brooklyn, but nothing did her any good. The doctors said it was caused by a scrofula humor in the blood. Her head became

One Complete Sore

offensive to the smell and dreadful to look at. Her general health waned and she would lay in a large chair all day without any life or energy. The sores caused **great itching** and burning, so that at times we had to restrain her hands to prevent scratching. For 3 years

She Suffered Fearfully

with this terrible humor. Being urged to try Hood's Sarsaparilla we did so. We soon noticed that she had more life and appetite. The medicine seemed to drive out more of the humor for a short time, but it soon began to subside, the **itching and burning ceased**, and in a few months her head became entirely clear of the sore. She is now **perfectly well**, has no evidence of the humor, and her skin is clear and healthy. She seems like an entirely different child, in health and general appearance, from what she was before taking

Hood's Sarsaparilla

I. W. FREDERICK, 311 Glenmore Ave., East New York, Brooklyn, N. Y.

This Testimonial

Is an illustration of what Hood's Sarsaparilla is doing for the sick and suffering every day, from Maine to California. In the light of these facts who can say that the work of an immense concern like ours is not beneficent?

HOOD'S PILLS cure liver ills, constipation, biliousness, j[illegible] sick headache, indigestion.

Proved Beyond Dispute

No one now doubts that Burdock Blood Bitters will cure dyspepsia, biliousness, constipation, headache or bad blood. The proof is so thorough and overwhelming that the doubters have been silenced and B.B.B. is secured in its place as the best purifying tonic and regulator extant.

Byron Holt, Princeton, Ont.

Cannot be Denied

The curative influence of the pine in lung diseases is everywhere admitted, and when combined with other effective pectoral remedies as in Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup the effect is doubly beneficial. No case of cough, asthma, bronchitis or hoarseness can resist the healing powers of Dr. Wood's Pine Syrup. 25 and 50c. druggists.

If rheumatism has seized your joints, and other remedies failed, try Dr. Butler's Golden Pills; two boxes ensure a cure.

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Is in store for your Family and Friends
If you purchase your PRESENTS from
JAS. A. CONGER.
We will be most happy to have you call and inspect our stock.

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CONGER BROS
Have a complete stock. Raisins of all varieties. Currants, Figs, Dates, Citron, Orange and Lemon Peels, Batgers, Jellies, all flavors, Choice Confectionery, Almonds, Walnuts, etc.
Use the "Elevator" Baking Powder, It is the best.
CONGER BROS

GET YOUR
NEW YEAR PRESENTS
AT
FISH'S
Collar and Cuff Boxes, House Jackets, Dressing Gowns, Smoking Jackets, and all Fancy Goods at half price for this week to clear,
A. E. FISH & CO.
The leading Furnishers, 260 Front Street, Belleville

SHOP EARLY.
And often this week. Thursday and Saturday the farmers will demand a large share of our attention Our display don't include raisins or tea, pills or perfumery, books or dol[ls] but if you want a piece of SILVER WARE, A LAMP, a DINNER or TEA SET or anything in china crockery why see us—that's where we shine—so much better choice in such store as this than shops where there's a little of everything and not much of anything. Nine hanging and five parlor table lamps sold Saturday. This shows how the main stream of trade keeps the old channel
Open every night this week.
W. J. REID & CO,
Crystal Hall - - - Rous' Old Stan[d]

Greeting and Compliments
OF THE SEASON
To All Our Patrons.

CHRISTMAS MUST BE OBSERVED

And the best way to observe the Anniversary is to BUY ONE OF OUR $20,00 FINE TAILOR MADE SUITS FOR $12.00. But what we want to talk to you about this week is **FURNISHINGS** for Holiday Trade. Read our Price List:—

$1.50 Kid Gloves we sell for	$1.00,	$6.00 Silk Underwear we sell for	$3.00
1.25 " "	90.	5.00 Natural Wool Underwear	2.75
.75 " "	50.	3,00 Scotch Underwear "	1.75
1.00 Heavy all wool under'wr	65.	40 Cashmere Socks "	25

Silk Handkerchiefs, in beautiful patterns, 20, 25, 50, 75 and $1.00. Ties we commence at 10c, worth 25. Our 25c Tie is worth 50, and our 45c Tie is sold all over for 75c. In Ties we carry the largest range in the County, and whilst we are Clothing First, Last and Always, we show the largest and Nobbiest range of Furnishings in Belleville. Remember we sell all our goods retail at wholesale prices. A call is solicited.

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354 Front Street, Belleville.
Associated Stores: Toronto, Brantford, Peterboro, Orillia, Lindsay and Kingst[on]

WHITE LILLY
and PASTRY FLOUR is unexcelled at the Price.
ASK YOUR GROCER FOR IT.
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The Daily Onta[rio]

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Importer of Dry Goods.

Dress Goods, Dress Trimmings, Sealettes, Jacket Cloths,
All Wool Blankets, Tie Downs, Tweeds, Flannels

Call and see our Cashmere Gloves

NEW YEARS SALE.

Goods at just HALF PRICE for one day only.

All Fancy goods arranged or the cases and counters of the Stationary side of our store will be sold on Saturday next, New Years Eve, at just half price in order to clear out the line and have the newest for next year. There are bargains for you and the first coming gets the choice. Sale will continue until 10 o'clock Saturday Evening. Come and see what there is for you.

Dolls and sleighs also at half price until Saturday evening. These have been selling rapidly but we have a good assortment left, having had on the start about 25 cases of dolls and 20 crates of sleds.

C. B. SCANTLEBURY,

Importer Art Gift Goods

MAYORALTY

To the Electors of the City of Belleville:

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN: I respectfully solicit your votes and influence for Mayor of the City of Belleville for 1893. I was born in Belleville have lived among you all my life, and am personally known to most of you.

I have been an alderman in the City Council for four years and during that time have endeavored to represent you straightforwardly and faithfully. My platform is "Economy" in city affairs. If elected I will exert myself to further the best interests of the city.

Yours respectfully,

Francis S. Wallbridge.

MAYORALTY.

To the Electors of my Native City:

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN: For years past I have had the offer of support for the Civic Chair, but at the present time to many of my old friends have brought more pressure to bear than I can decently withstand. I have been asked to stand for the highest position that the citizens can confer on any one. Among the men who offer me their support are to be found Irishmen, Englishmen, Dutchmen, Frenchmen and now and then a Scotchmen, besides a good many Canadians. To the electors I am no stranger. I have been a member of the City Council for the greater part of a quarter of a century and during that time have done what I felt was for the best interest of the city and will continue on the same line if successful at the coming election. I am in favor of strict economy in city affairs and decrease of our indebtedness. At the nomination I will freely give my views on the situation, and with much respect ask that when you mark your ballot you will not forget

A. T. PETRIE.

Belleville, Dec. 20, 1892

Everything fresh and new for Xmas. People tell us, our store never looked so pretty as now. Such a variety of nice Confectionery, Florida Oranges, Valencia Oranges, Almira Grapes, Choice Figs, new Golden Dates, new Nuts, etc.

H. C. DICKENS & SON

P. S.—Xmas Cakes going very fast but a nice lot to choose from yet.

A FULL LINE OF
Candies
Oranges
Nuts
Figs, etc.
FOR XMAS

YOUNG

H S MATTER CHANGED DAILY
Friday Dec 30th.

REMEMBER

1.—Balance of our fancy goods at cost price.
2.—Our stock of underwear is still very complete.
3.—That there is a mayoralty election next monday.
4.—That one candidate is an old resident, another a beardless youth, and the other a comparative stranger.
5.—Do not vote for them all.

W. FLINT JONES

Corner Front and Bridge streets

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Brilliant Dialogue,
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Presented by a Capable Company.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the shareholders of the Bay of Quinte Bridge Company will be held at the City Hall building in the city of Belleville, on Monday, the 9th day of January, 1893, at the hour of 8 o'clock, p. m., for the purpose of receiving the report of the directors for the past year, for the election of directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of such other business as may be deemed proper and necessary.

U. E. THOMPSON,
Sec'y and Treas.

Belleville, Dec. 15 1892. 2sd

TAXES!

TAKE NOTICE

That 3 per cent. will be added to all unpaid Taxes after the end of this month, and after January 5 per cent

24th Dec., '92.

J. W. BUTTERFIELD,
COLLECTOR.

MAYORALTY.

Ladies and Gentlemen.

Having been requested by a large number of influential electors of the city of Belleville to offer myself for Mayor for 1893, I have consented to do so, and now respectfully solicit your votes and influence. I have resided in the city six years, three of which I have served in the city council and school board. I would respectfully refer you to my work therein. I come out as a businessman having had 20 years business experience in different parts of Canada, which is of great service to anyone in filling the civic chair. I have chosen Belleville as my home and have invested all my capital in and around the city, and my interests being centered here I will, if elected, do all in in my power as I have done heretofore, to advance the best interests of the city. I strongly urge the reduction of the number of Aldermen and shall use every endeavor to carry into effect the proposal made by me to the council in respect to it last year.

I have also in view the grave necessity of getting the city in the best sanitary condition possible to enable us better to cope with the cholera epidemic should it reach us next year.

S WILLIAM N. PONTON

Belleville, Dec. 1892.

HARRY FOWELL

To the Electors Ketcheson Ward

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,—I respectfully ask your votes and influence as a Candidate for Alderman for 1893. I am in favor of the reduction of aldermen to at least fourteen to be elected by the whole city. The present wards to remain intact. I will support all measures which as a citizen I think to be in the best interest of the present position and future progress of this city, believing neither economy undue municipal extravagence nor in false economy.

CHRISTIAS CHEER

AND

TABLE DELICACIES

FINEST TABLE RAISINS
FINEST TABLE FIGS
FINEST MALAGA GRAPES
FINEST FLORIDA ORANGES
FINE TABLE PRUNES
FINE TURKISH DATES

New Grenoble Walnuts
New Soft-shell Almonds,
New Sicy Filberts,
New Pecan Nuts,

BISCUITS.

VANILLA SUGAR WAFERS
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LEMON SUGAR WAFERS
RASPBERRY SUGAR WAFERS
SALTED SEAFOAM WAFERS
SALTED SNOWFLAKE WAFERS

CHEESE.

Genuine Roquefort Cheese,
MacLaren's Imperial Cheese [in small
Canadian Stilton Cheese [crocks]
Prime old Cheddar Cheese, 1st prize

CROSSE & BLACKWELL'S JAMS AND JELLIES!

CANNED FRUITS & VEGETABLES

Canned Pineapples, British Columb. Canned Peach Egg Plums,
French Mushrooms, [In glass bottles] French Mushrooms, [In tins]
French Peas, [In tins]
Canned String Beans, Canned Green Peas,
Canned Sugar Corn, Canned Tomatoes.

CROSSE & BLACKWELL'S PICKLES

Pickled Walnut, Pickled White Onions
Pickled Girkins, Pickled Chow Chow
Mix Pickles, Olives

Christmas Confectionery.

A FINE ASSORTMENT.

FINE BREAKFAST TEAS,
COFFEES COCOAS,
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Fearman's and Lowry's Celebrated Christmas Hams and Bacon.

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FINEST OLD PORTS AND SHERRIES.

California Angelica, California Port, Native Wine, St. Augustine, White Catawaba,

CLARETS, BURGUNDIES AND SAUTERNES

ALES AND PORTER.

Bass' English Ale. Guiness' Dublin Stout, Dow's India Pale Ale, Dows Sand Porter, Labatts Pale Ale, Carlings Ale, Davies Ale, etc.

IMPORTED GERMAN LAGER BIER.

IRISH AND SCOTCH WHISKIES.

Burke's Old Irish, J. Jamieson's Old Irish, W. Jamiesons Dublin Whiskey, Highland Blend, Bullock Lade & Co's Loch Katrine Camlachie Malt, Sheriff's Old Islay, Old Gaelic Whiskey, Andrew Usher & Cos Old Vatted Glenlivat Whiskey.

BRANDIES!

Hennessy's V. O. Brandy,
Martell's V. O. Brandy,
Jules Robin & Co's Brandy

LIQUORS, Etc.

Booth's Old Tom Gin, Plymouth Gin,
Fine Old Jamaica Rum Angostura Bitters,
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Soda Water, Apollinaris Water
Vermouth Bitters.

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Beautiful Chiffon and Crepe Dress Goods just received from England, newest goods for Evening Wear.

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1893

Harper's Magazine.

ILLUSTRATED

Harper's Magazine for 1893 will continue to maintain the unrivalled standard of excellence which has characterized it from the beginning. Among the notable features of the year, there will be new novels by A. Conan Doyle, Constance Fenimore Wilson and William Black. Short stories will be continued by the most popular writers of the day, including Mary E. Wilkins, Richard Harding Davis, Margaret Deland, Brander Mathews, and many others. The illustrated descriptive papers will embrace articles by Julian Ralph on new Southern and Western subjects; by Theodore Child on India; by Poltney Bigelow on Russia and Germany; by Richard Harding Davis on a London Season; by Colonel T. A. Dodge on Eastern Rides; etc. Edwin A. Abbey's illustrations of Shakespeare's Comedies will be continued by Charles Eliot Norton, Mrs Jas T. Fields William Dean Howell, Brander Mathews and others.

Harper's Periodicals.

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Miss Purdy will meet her class for the first time on Thursday, the 5th of January, at 4.30 in the afternoon, in the Royal Templar's Hall.

All parties wishing to join will please send in their names at an early date. Should a sufficient number of names be received to warrant it, an evening class will be formed for the benefit of those who cannot attend during the day.

As the terms are very moderate it is to be hoped that a large number will avail themselves of this opportunity. 3t

MAYORALTY

The friends and supporters of Ex-Ald. Petrie are respectfully requested to attend a meeting in his interest at Kent's shoe Store, at the Station, at 7.30 p. m. to-morrow, (Friday.)

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DYNAMITE IN BRIT[AIN]

DETECTIVES SHADOWING MR. [GLAD]STONE TO PROTECT HIM

Secretary Asquith Also Guarded—Le Caron, the Fenian Spy, Give[s Evidence] on the Dublin Explosion Affair—That There Is a Band of Consp[irators].

DUBLIN, Dec. 30.—The Imperial [authori]ties have directed Scotland Yard [to send t]he spy, Major LeCaron, into the em[ploy of t]he Government for the purpose of [finding] out the guilty parties connected w[ith the] Dublin explosion.

The authorities appear to be so [c]onvinced that the Dublin explos[ion in] which Detective Synnott lost his li[fe was] part of the work of a band of cons[pirators] that they have sent a detective to [England] to keep guard over Mr. Gladstone [and] protect him from outrage. Mr. Glad[stone] has not been made aware of the pre[cautions] taken, as it is known that he would [object to] any protection of the kind should [he be] aware of it.

Home Secretary Asquith is als[o pro]tected when he goes out in public by [a de]tective in civilian attire, who keep[s close] enough to interfere in the event of [an at]tack upon Mr. Asquith.

In view of all the precautions tak[en the] opinion prevails that the authorities [are in] possession of definite and importa[nt in]formation as to the existence of a form[idable] dynamite conspiracy.

RECEIVED A CHECK.

He Intended to Start a Paper to Su[pport] the Canal Scheme.

PARIS, Dec. 30.—M. Castalbon, who [was] on the list of the 26 Thierree checks as ha[ving] received a check for 20,000 francs from [Baron] Reinach, was a witness before the Par[liamentary] Commission of the Chamber of Deputies [yes]terday. The previous explanation in r[egard] to this check had been that M. Cast[albon] was about to start a paper called Nouvelle Presse, and that Senator Deves had given Castalbon a letter of [intro]duction to Baron Reinach with the vi[ew of] having Castalbon assisted by Reinach [in the] enterprise, and that Castalbon had received the check from Reinach for that purpose, Deves cashing the check.

The Libre Parole had alleged that Deves was the real beneficiary of the check, which Deves strenuously denied. Yesterday, however, Castalbon admitted that when Deves cashed the check he (Castalbon) handed back to Deves 15 of the 20,000 francs. This statement caused a sensation.

M. Chautin, late manager of the Soir, refused to appear before the commission as a witness in regard to the relations of the Soir to the Panama Canal Company. The commission then adjourned until Thursday.

DECISIVE ACTION

May Be Taken to Enforce Obedience to the Pope in the U. S.

ROME Dec. 30.—The Moniteur, the organ of the Vatican, says that recent reports in regard to the mission of Mgr. Satolli to the United States are overdrawn, and promises to give public light shortly on the subject.

Cabled reports from the United States in regard to the difference of opinion existing there are attracting more attention among Roman ecclesiastics than almost any other foreign topic.

Some of the advices received are construed as indicating insubordination toward the Papal authority in high quarters in America. Should this be shown to the satisfaction of the Vatican decisive action, it is rumored, will be taken to enforce complete and unequivocal obedience to the will of the Supreme Pontiff nominator, which may be effected by pontifical action.

The Queen Congratulates Gladstone.

LONDON, Dec. 30.—Queen Victoria was among the earliest to congratulate William E. Gladstone on the arrival of his 84th birthday. Her telegram was unusually gracious in tone. Hundreds of other telegrams and letters have been received, many at Hawarden and others at Biarritz, where Mr. and Mrs. Gladstone are staying. Mr. Gladstone is said to be enjoying excellent health.

Too Stormy To Transfer.

LONDON, Dec. 30.—The White Star line steamship Germanic, Capt. Nichol, which left New York Dec. 21 for Liverpool, which was sighted off Browhead this afternoon, was unable on account of a heavy gale to land passengers or mails at Queenstown and proceeded direct for Liverpool.

Concession to Female Convicts.

LONDON, Dec. 30.—A despatch to The Standard from Moscow says: It is reported that the Minister of Justice has decided to exempt female convicts in Siberia from flogging and from wearing manacles and to substitute punishment by restricted diet and isolation. The decision of the Ministry awaits the sanction of the Imperial Council.

French Alliance Disparaged.

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 30.—The Novoe Vremya has caused a sensation by publishing an article, apparently inspired by high authority, in which the French alliance is disparaged.

Two More Suicides.

LONDON, Dec. 30.—Two more players at Monte Carlo gaming tables have committed suicide. One was a young American, who lost $17,000 belonging to his mother and which she had entrusted to his care.

Deaths from Cholera.

HAMBURG, Dec. 30.—Two deaths from cholera have occurred in Altona, a suburb of this city.

Five cases of a disease suspected to be cholera have been discovered among the troops stationed here. Soldiers belonging to neighboring garrisons have been forbidden to visit Hamburg.

Ice Blockade in Europe.

BERLIN, Dec. 30.—Navigation on the Rhine, Moselle, Becker and Main Rivers has been stopped by floating ice.

A Bunch of Accidents.

RUMFORD FALLS, Me., Dec. 29.—Yesterday was remarkable in this town for its list of fatalities. Frank Richards was terribly [mangled] by the explosion of a dynamite cartridge. William Falvey and Lewis Berry of Quebec drank wood alcohol and died. Thomas Burgess, farmer of Peru, went into the woods with his ax; later he was found dead under a tree he had cut down and which had fallen upon him. A row occurred between an American laborer and some Italians, in which one of the latter was badly cut with an ax in the hands of the American.

A Fatal Collision.

CHICAGO, Dec. 03.—Four persons were killed and twice that number injured yesterday by the collision of a Pittsburg and Fort Wayne passenger train with a heavily-loaded street car at the junction of 47th-street and Stuart-avenue. The engineer of the train and the two watchmen at the crossing are under arrest pending an investigation of the accident.

A Comedian Dead.

TOLEDO, O., Dec. 30.—Bob Slavin, the comedian, died suddenly yesterday. He was one of the most popular minstrels in the country.

Another Appointment.

OTTAWA, Dec. 22.—William G. Parmeele, Commissioner of Customs, has been appointed Deputy Minister of Trade and Commerce. He will also act as Chief [Com]ptroller of Chinese Immigration.

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[...] in building up and maintaining the ind[ustry] and prosperity of that place. Wh[ile] Moscow under the barbaric administ[ration] of the Grand Duke Seigus the persec[ution] of the Jews is for the time being [some]what relaxed, and throughout [Russia] generally the ill-treatment of Jews [is carried] on as large a scale as in Moscow, although severe and most intolerable everywhere.

The regulations especially and universally enforced throughout Russia are those limiting the residence of Jews within certain fixed localities, the prohibition of Jewish artizans from working in places beyond the control of official boards of trade, and the restriction as to unauthorized synagogs, it being forbidden to Jews to worship in any but an authorized synagog.

The condition of Jews, except in Lodz and a few other places, is becoming steadily worse, particularly in the case of those who have no means to bribe Russian officials.

WHAT OF THE FUTURE?

A Priest Who Becomes a Benedict And Talks Church Reform.

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—According to The Sun's Washington correspondent there is quite an excitement over the marriage and consequent disaffection from the Catholic church of Dr. Snell, private secretary to Bishop Keane, rector of the Catholic University and lecturer on comparative theology.

The Doctor has always been a loyal supporter of the church, but after mature deliberation, and some assistance from Don Cupid, he has finally cut loose. The Doctor's bride is Minnie Gilbert Sprague, daughter of a Presbyterian clergyman, and the ceremony was performed by the President of Harvard University.

Dr. Snell has a leaning toward theosophy, but refuses at present to talk. He declares that the study of Eastern religions will have an undoubted effect on Christianity.

THE UMBRIA SPOKEN.

She Was About Seven Hundred Miles East of New York.

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—The steamer Umbria exchanged signals with the steamer Galileo, which arrived from Hull this yesterday. The captain says the Umbria did not ask assistance and may arrive in port today.

The Street Car Fire.

MILWAUKEE, Dec. 30.—Henry C. Payne, vice-president and manager of the Milwaukee Street Railway Company, has made a written statement, based on the testimony of employes, in which he admits the fire in the company's barns yesterday was not incendiary.

Since the cold weather set in the employes at night have been running the cars into the barn without withdrawing the fire from the heater. The origin of the fire is now accounted for in this way.

Milwaukee Terrorized.

MILWAUKEE, Dec. 30.—The Mayor of Milwaukee offers a $2500 reward for the arrest of the persons who started any of the recent fires or who will start any in the next 30 days.

The city is terrorized, and 100 special policemen are to be added to the force.

It seems certain that there is a gang of incendiaries, probably Socialists, here determined to operate.

The Greed For Gold.

DENVER, Dec. 30.—A terrible battle, in which over 100 shots were exchanged, took place at the San Juan mining camp on Tuesday.

The direct cause of the trouble was the discovery of large nuggets in the bottom of a small stream. Each man claimed that he had first located the ground, and to settle the dispute guns were brought to bear.

There were over 40 men engaged, and few if any escaped unhurt. Eleven were killed.

Fled From the Officers.

LONG ISLAND CITY, Dec. 30.—No more deaths have resulted from yesterday's dynamite explosion in the tunnel works in this city. McIntee, foreman of the tunnel works, whose carelessness is supposed to have caused the disaster, and who was placed under arrest, has escaped.

Floods in California.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Dec. 30.—Reports from the Sacramento and San Joaquin valleys show that the damage by floods will be above $1,000,000. The Capitol City is safe, but all along the river fine wheat land is covered with water.

L'Islet Nominations.

ST. JEAN PORT JOLI, Que., Dec. 30.—At the nominations for the vacant seat for L'Islet in the Dominion House of Commons yesterday J. Israel Tarte and J. A. Dvine were nominated by the Liberals and Conservatives respectively.

Fire in Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Dec. 22.—The big dressgoods and clothes mills of F. A. Bachman & Co. were burned yesterday. Loss $235,000; covered by insurance.

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RAILWAY ACC[IDENTS]

The Number Has Steadily In[creased in] Spite of All Efforts.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—One of the most interesting portions of the statistical report just issued in connection with the work of the Interstate Commerce Commission is that relating to the number and character of accidents upon the varied railroads of the country.

Attention has frequently been directed to this very important matter, and all sorts of recommendations have been made with the view of diminishing the frequency of these casualties. But in spite of all efforts in this direction the number of accidents has steadily increased. For the year ending on June 30, 1891, the casualties were greater than for any previous year.

Of course the greater part of these accidents befell the employes of the railroads. Of 7029 killed during the year, 2660 were employes and only 293 passengers. The same ratio is kept up in the list of the injured. Of a total of 33,881 persons injured on the railways, 26,140 were employes and 2972 were passengers.

It must be remembered that the increase in the number of employes killed and injured is due, in a measure, to the fact that more men are employed. In the year 1891, for example, 784,285 men were employed, an increase of 34,984 over the preceding year. This large increase necessarily exposes more men to the risks and perils of railroad life, while at the same time devices for the protection of the men do not keep pace with the growth of this large army.

A classification of the accidents for the year shows that the greatest danger lies in the coupling and uncoupling of cars. In 1891 415 employes were killed, and 9431 injured in this work. It is apparent, therefore, that one of the means for lessening the number of accidents to railroad men must be some device which will remove the element of danger in coupling and uncoupling cars.

This has been partly met by the automatic coupler. Some states have passed laws requiring the use of this device, but many railroads refuse to employ the automatic coupler, and it is difficult to compel the use of it by legislation. Many deaths and accidents on the railroads are caused by employes falling from the trains.

This is another of the perils to which brakemen especially are exposed. The slightest carelessness on the part of the brakeman as he runs along the top of the train may be fatal. No doubt these accidents will continue to be frequent until the air-brake is generally adopted.

When freight trains are provided with this form of brake, the necessity of running from one car to another will be done away with. Here is a fine field for the inventiveness of the American. If he can do anything to diminish the extent of this annual sacrifice, he will indeed be conferring a great benefit upon the public.

Fire at Palmer's Theatre.

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—The watchman at Palmer's Theatre discovered fire under the stage at a quarter past 5 o'clock yesterday morning. Just as the watchman rushed from the theatre to give the alarm a man was seen to leave the office of Thomas & Eckerson, real estate agents, who have offices under the theatre in 30th-street, and threw a blazing book into the street.

He then returned to the office and locked himself in. A cabman who noticed the man's actions informed the police, who arrested the man. In the floor was found a heap of burned papers, which seemed to show that a fire had been kindled by some one in the office.

An Unseemly Fight.

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—The Herald's correspondence from Kingston, Jamaica, says that as the result of a conflict on the 16th inst. between citizens and soldiers of the West India Regiment at the conclusion of the annual race meeting, 14 men were seriously wounded and one woman is reported to have died from the effects of the injuries received. The row began through a quarrel between a soldier and a civilian on the race track.

Differences Settled.

BALTIMORE, Md., Dec. 30.—The differences between the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad officials and the Grievance Committee of the Brotherhood of Trainsmen have been settled by the signing of a wage scale which makes an average increase of from 8 to 18 cents per day.

A Desolating Fire.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Dec. 22.—Fire at Duquesne destroyed six dwellings and for a time threatened the whole village. Twelve families were left homeless. Loss $15,000.

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MAXIMUM 296. MINIMUM 14

Edith Stapley ... 2
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Maggie Andrews ... 1
Bessie Pepper ... 18
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Wesley McCreary ... 22
Mabel Bateman ... 22
Walter Luscombe ... 21
Bessie Snell ... 21
Mary Matthews ... 20
May Young ... 19
Fred Mullett ... 16
Creswell Carter ...

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Wilhelmina Green ...
May Bowen ...
Eddie Harris ...
Nellie Parsons ...
Eddie Coulson ...
Myrtle Cobb ...
Florence Coleman ...
Willie Bowden ...
Stewart Rathman ...
Hilda Bell ...
Daisy Dowzer ...
Mildred Phillips ...
Nora Cunningham ...

Station School Miss Phelps

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Tommy Emsley ... 2
Harry Palos ... 2
Harry Witherspoon ... 2
Nellie Ellenor ... 2

PART II TO SECOND BOOK.

MAX. 555. MIN. 27

Maud Fairbourne ... 3
Minnie Cook ... 3
Eddie Bowen ... 3

Pinnacle St. School, Miss Alice McRa

Harry Clarke ... 4
Maggie Payne ... 3

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EDITORIAL NOTES.

THE Globe says:—The farmers who have lost a season's crop by sowing two-rowed barley have a just cause for complaint. They cannot be accused of disregarding the advice of a practical farmer like Mr. Drury and following the guidance of an agricultural philosopher like Mr. Carling. The McKinley bill made it a question of two-rowed barley or no barley. And although they should have followed Mr. Drury's advice and turned their attention to other crops until a more reasonable commercial arrangement could be made, it was unpardonable ignorance or something worse for a Minister of Agriculture to increase their losses by advising a worthless crop. There is no escape from tariff restrictions except by abolishing them.

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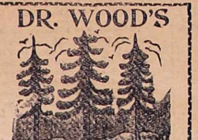

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GREAT EVENTS

Which Have Happened on Christmas Day in Europe and Britain.

It was on Christmas Day that the national Christianity of France was first securely established by the baptism of the great Frankish King Clovis, or Chlodovech. His wife, Clilda, was a Christian, and was anxious for the conversion of her husband, who beloved with great kindness, and even favored the Christians in Gaul, although he refused to forsake the gods of his fathers. In a battle with the Alamanns, when the Franks were on the point of being defeated, King Clovis is said to have lifted up his face to heaven and cried aloud, "Jesus Christ, Clotilda saith Thou art the Son of the only living God! Humbly I beg Thy help if Thou givest me deliverance this day I will believe in Thee, and be baptized in Thy name. I have called on my gods, but I find that they leave me destitute of help. I now turn to Thee." It is said that while he was thus praying the Alamanns turned their backs and began to flee. This happened in the 15th year of his reign, 496; and on Christmas Day in that year the powerful King and all his Pagan kinsfolk and 300 of his soldiers were baptized at Rheims.

It was on Christmas Day, A.D. 800, that the great Charlemagne was crowned Emperor of Rome. "The coronation of Charles," says Professor Bruce, "is not only the central event of the middle ages; it is also one of those very few events of which, taking them singly, it may be said that if they had not happened the history of the world would have been different." "The whole Roman people," says Eginhard, the secretary of Charles, "shouted with loud approval, 'To Charles Augustus, crowned by God, the great and peace-bringing Emperor of the Romans, be life and victory!'" Charles the Great called his wide monarchy "the Holy Roman Empire"—in contrast to anti-Christian Islam and to the empire of the legitimate Cæsar at Constantinople.

Christmas Day, 705, was a fateful day in the life of the most powerful of the Popes, Hildebrand or Gregory VII. On Christmas eve, with a few of his clergy, he was celebrating the first Mass of the Nativity in the Church of Santa Maria Maggiore, on Mount Esquiline, when in an instant the building was filled with armed soldiers ed by the Roman noble, Cenci. The Pope was seized, struck, wounded on his forehead, and covered with insults, his pallium and chasuble were torn off, and he was carried away by Cenci as his prisoner. "One fatal blow," as Dean Milman says, "might have ended the life of Hildebrand, and changed the course of human events; it glanced aside and only wounded his forehead." Early on Christmas morning all Rome was astir and full of excitement. The tower in which Cenci had shut up the Pope was attacked. The terrified Cenci freed his prisoner. It is characteristic of the powerful will of Hildebrand that he went straight to the Church of St. Mary Major, still fasting, and concluded the mass which had been interrupted.

The coronation of the first foreign king who reigned over England, William of Normandy, took place on Christmas Day. The ancient English account (Anglo-Saxon Chronicle) is very short. "Then on Midwinter's Day," it says, "Ealdred, Archbishop, consecrated him as King at Westminster, and he pledged him with Christ's Book, and moreover swore, before he would place the crown on his head, that he would rule this nation as well as any King before him had done at the best, provided they (the English folk) would be faithful to him." The victorious Norman Duke walked to the Abbey through a guard of armed soldiers.

The shouts of the English people at Westminster on Christmas Day, 1066, declaring their assent and consent to the election of their conqueror as their King were supposed by the Norman soldiers to be cries of rebellion and tumult. The troops set fire to the buildings around the abbey; the people rushed out of the church to save their homes from conflagration. The new King was left almost alone with the Archbishop and clergy. His stout heart quailed and the ceremony in the abbey was hurried through with anxiety and fear, while turmoil, slaughter, plunder and confusion were raging in Westminster.

Probably the very strangest of all Christmas Days in the public and political life of the English people was that of the year 1688. On that day England was without a sovereign. On Dec. 23, two days before the great Christian festival, King James II., between 1 and 2 in the morning, hurried off secretly from Rochester to Dover, and there embarked in a vessel which had been waiting for him, and sailed for France. The Queen and Prince of Wales, "the child," as Evelyn calls him, the future Pretender, had preceded him a few days earlier. On Christmas Day the royal fugitive arrived at Ambleteuse, in Brittany. On Christmas Day the Archbishop of York, the Bishops of Ely and St. Asaph, and the great Whig peers assembled in the House of Lords, and drew up an address to William, Prince of Orange, desiring him to take upon himself the administration of public affairs, both civil and military, and the disposal of public revenue.

On that Christmas Day in the parish churches of England James II. was still prayed for as the Sovereign and "the child" also, under the title of "Prince of Wales." On the following Sunday, however, as Evelyn writes in his diary, "prayers for the Prince of Wales were first left off in our church." Early in the new year Englishmen began to familiarize themselves with the view that James II., as the House of Commons voted, had broken "the original compact between king and people."

On Christmas Day, 1715, his son, the Pretender, was sailing for Scotland and landed on the day following.

On Christmas Day, 1642, Sir Isaac Newton was born.

Christmas Day, 1720, was the birthday of the poet William Collins.

The glory of English scholarship, Richard Porson, was born on Christmas Day, 1759.

The learned and pious judge, Sir Matthew Hale, and the most popular writer amongst fathers of the Evangelical revival of the eighteenth century, James Hervey, the rector of Weston Favell, in Northamptonshire, both died on Christmas Day, the former in 1676, and the latter in 1758.

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SACRAMENTO, Dec. 30.—The station house at Brighton, five miles east of here, was destroyed by fire yesterday. The remains of Miss E. A. Ayers, the telegraph operator and railroad agent, were found burned almost to a crisp in the ruins. It is evidently a case of murder and arson. Miss Ayers was reported to have had considerable money.

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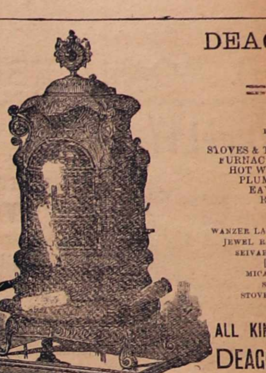

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A REVOLUTION COMING.

Ecuador Has a President Who Is as Despotic as Balmaceda Was.

PANAMA, via Galveston, Dec. 30.—Ecuador is in a condition of unrest and there is strong reason to apprehend an approaching revolution. The situation is very like that of Chili before the uprising against the dictatorship of Balmaceda.

The President has assumed almost despotic power, overriding alike the constitution and the laws. He has used the veto power in the most drastic manner, annuling the financial and customs laws passed by Congress and leaving the executive work without a semblance ot legality.

The President is now practically a dictator, and there is reason to believe that a revolution will shortly break out with a view to establishing a constitutional government.

THE CARTAGE QUESTION.

Drygoods Merchants Wait Upon the Railroad Authorities.

MONTREAL, Dec. 30.—A deputation of the drygoods section of the Board of Trade, consisting of the president, Mr. R. L. Gault, and Messrs James Slessor and P. P. Martin, waited upon Mr. George Olds, general traffic manager of the C.P.R., and Mr. John Burton, general freight agent of the G.T.R., in reference to present cartage grievance.

The drygoods men complain that owing to the recent separation of the cartage from the freight in the railroad accounts they are compelled to pay cartage to their warehouses upon goods bought, freight prepaid, in the West, and they ask the railroads to return to the old system, under which the freight and cartage were included on the one charge and the goods delivered free at their own doors.

To this the railroad representatives replied that freight rates had been steadily declining for some time past, while the cartage rates were the same as ever. Hence they were unable to include the cartage in the freight without advancing freight rates. This latter course was impossible, because the tariff sheets and schedules are already printed and could not at present be altered.

Under these circumstances only one course is open to merchants purchasing goods from Western factories on the old terms—that is to pay the freight and cartage themselves and charge back the amount against the invoice. In this way the goods will practically be delivered free at their warehouse doors as heretofore, although it will involve a little extra trouble on their part.

A BAD SON.

Chokes His Father to Get Money on Which to Sport Around.

MONTREAL, Dec. 30.—A young man named Joseph Lefebvre, son of one of the wealthiest manufacturers of this city, was placed under arrest at the instance of his father and subsequently brought before Judge Dugas, who sent him to jail for six months.

The charge was for stealing money and clothes belonging to his fath r and brothers. Joseph is the "black sheep" of the Lefebvre family. On Tuesday he met a friend who wanted a good time, and the accused, in order to be accommodating, determined to get money.

Going to his father's office, he demanded money, but was refused, whereupon he seized the old gentleman by the throat and threatened to choke him if he did not produce the cash. Help came from the factory and the young man was sent away. Later, however, he again visited his residence and there stole a watch and several coats.

The police were notified and Deputy High Constable Lambert soon found the ungrateful lad, who was lodged in the cells at the Court House. Judge Dugas gave the prisoner a severe lecture and concluded by sending him to pass the winter in Vallee's.

A Bride-Elect's Long Journey.

WINNIPEG, Dec. 30.—News has arrived of the marriage at Bombay, India, on Nov. 21, of Rev. Norman Russell, formerly of this city, now of the Canadian Presbyterian Mission at Mhow, Central India, to Miss Minnie Hodgins of Toronto. Miss Hodgins traveled all the way from Toronto to meet her future husband at Bombay. The groom is a son of Mr. James Russell of this city.

Premier Taillon's Opponent.

MONTREAL, Dec. 30.—At a convention of the Liberals of Chambly County, held at Longueuil yesterday, Antoine Rocheleau was chosen as Liberal candidate to oppose Premier Taillon in Chambly.

Mr. Rocheleau accepted.

Fire in Quebec.

QUEBEC, Dec. 29.—Reid, Craig & Co., paper manufacturers, St. Paul-street, were burned out at 4 a.m. yesterday. The fire crossed the street and laid two houses in ashes, the inmates escaping in their night clothes. Then A. B. Dupuis' biscuit factory went. The loss is $100,000.

Suicide at Thedford.

MARKHAM, Ont., Dec. 30.—News has reached here of the suicide by hanging of Herbert Clarke, eldest son of John Clarke, a farmer living at Thedford. The young man, who was aged 22, had been low spirited for some time past.

Fire in Orillia.

ORILLIA, Ont., Dec. 30.—A fire yesterday destroyed the Coldwater-street Skating Rink, Thomas Phillips' residence and a few adjoining buildings. Losses partly covered by insurance. Incendiarism is suspected.

Lieut.-Gov. Royal.

OTTAWA, Dec. 30.—Mr. C. H. Royal has been appointed Lieut.-Governor of the Northwest Territories.

Iron Foundry For Mexico.

CITY OF MEXICO, Dec. 30.—The plant for a large iron foundry has been imported from England. Two works will be established at Zacatlan, 70 miles northeast of Pueblo.

BUSINESS TROUBLES.

Failure of An Oshawa Shoe Firm—A Local Contractor Assigns.

TORONTO, Dec. 30.—Joseph J. Blain, contractor, Ontario-street, has assigned to E. R. C. Clarkson.

W. J. Burns & Co., boot and shoes of Oshawa, have assigned to Campbell & May. Liabilities $3500 and assets nominally the same. The firm recently moved from Whitby. A meeting of the creditors will be held at 3 o'clock Tuesday.

The Windsor Electric Street Railway Company has sold out.

L. Woodcock, grocer, etc., of Cobourg has assigned to G. T. Bickle.

An Ottawa tailor named D. Hunter is offering to compromise.

The Bee Hive jewelry stock of R. E. Smith, Tilbury Centre, has been sold under seizure.

G. L. Diehl & Co., mantle manufacturers of this city, have assigned to C. Raymond.

J. L. Dun & Co., varnish manufacturers of Windsor, are offering to compromise at 50c on the dollar.

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All through the Provinces the rapid increase of La Grippe, is causing great alarm. A report was received here to-day, of a new development o the disease, which is worse, perhaps than any other. Wm. Hanley of N. Y. City, died in terrible agony after sickness of only four days, His tongue swelled to such an extent as to make it impossible for him to close his jaws or swallow any food. The report is causing the people in this district to inqui e into the noted Grip-cure, recently referred to in so many papers. In Cape Breton the disease has pread very rapidly and with fatal results, D. J. Killop of L'Archeveque writes Feb. 11th that this cure has been tried in his neighborhood and with such success that all those residing there are obtaining a supply believing it to be the only remedy affording relief and effecting a certain cure. He finished his letter by asking for a large quantity of the Medicine (Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills) to supply the demands of the community for the relief of LaGrippe.

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GEORGE VICKERS RETURNED TO CANADA UNDER PRESSURE.

Detective Rogers Brings Back from Michigan a Mitchell Music Dealer Who Discounted $5000 Worth of Forged Paper in Five Years.

TORONTO, Dec. 29.—Government Detective Joe Rogers returned to the city yesterday after lodging in the Stratford jail George Vicars, a former music dealer at Mitchell, who fled after forging notes aggregating $5000 which be discounted with J. W. Cull, a private banker in that town.

Vicars, who is 55 years of age, had been carrying on his forgeries for a period of five years. His plan was to forge the names of farmers to notes for small sums and discount the notes with Banker Cull, Pianodealer Watson and others. He escaped detection for years owing to the fact that he would pay or renew the notes as they fell due in the early part of his forgery career. Finally, when exposure could no longer be postponed, he fled to Hillsdale, Mich., where he was arrested. He refused to return voluntarily and boasted that he would die before crossing the border.

Vicars was arraigned before Judge Vance at Port Huron, and his attorney made a stubborn fight against extradition, even having a charge of bring stolen money into the United States lo against his client in order that he could on this charge and the extradition ings dismissed. Detective Rogers blo game, however, by explaining that the crime of forgery was not larceny under the laws of Canada—that the money was not stolen and that Vicars could not, therefore, be charged with bringing the proceeds into the United States. At this stage the prisoner and his counsel had a consultation, and the latter threw up his brief.

Rogers then had a talk with Vicars, and as a result the accused agreed to return voluntarily without awaiting the result of the extradition proceedings, and he was safely lodged in Stratford jail yesterday, where, if he does not follow the example of the last man who was extradited and temporarily lodged there and take leg bail, he will remain until the assizes.

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All cheap this week.

Tailoring.

ine Overcoatings and Suitings.
taken by Mr. O'Brien. First-class
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S. W. DUNNET

gow Warehouse,
ille, Dec. 27th, '92.

E DAILY ONTARIO

VILLE, THURSDAY, DEC. 29th

PROBABILITIES.

weather; a little higher tempera-
light snow in a few places.

TOWN TALK

ange in the weather is welcomed ery one. Our merchants have a falling off in trade during the ld spell, and should to-morrow be d warm and immense trade will be

o tramps were sheltered under the clock last night.

will save money by getting your and ranges from Deacon & Doyle.

"By Wits Outwitted" company the noon train to-day for the

en is showing a very nice line of per- in plain and fancy bottles, also in

e police had a call to the city mis- evening where some boys were a disturbance.

andsome is that handsome does, if Hood's Sarsaparilla doesn't do somely then nothing does. Have ever tried it?

e Inman line of steamships, of New , will af er the 24th of Feb. change dock in England, from Liverpool, to hampton.

ar druggists keep for sale Hall's Vege- Sicilian Hair Renewer, the best aration ever made for restoring the lity and color of the hair.

ay ranged from $7.50 to $8.00 on the ket to-day.

o-day North Hastings will elect a nber for the House of Commons.

t. Paul's church held their annual istmas Tree entertainment in St. mas church hall last evening. A tea furnished and a good program render- A large number were present.

he bachelor's ball to-night promises be the event of the season. Mr. Pow- ot the Queen's Hotel, has received plications for rooms from Toronto, ontreal, Kingston, Napanee, Deseronto, rt Hope, Picton and several other ices.

The funeral service of the late Mrs. nily Robinson will take place at 1.30 p. to-morrow at the family residence.

The Rev. Principal Grant of Queen's niversity, will preach in Christ church Sunday morning.

Fresh Whitefish, Salmon, Herrings, addock, etc., Finnan Haddie, Ciscoes, rmouth Bloaters, at Goldsmith's Fish ore, Market Square,

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Miss Minnie Lingham is spending the olidays in Kingston.

John Hargraft, Ex-M.P., and Mrs. Hargraft, of Cobourg, have returned from trip to the Pacific Coast.

Mrs. George Grills, of Belleville, spent he Christmas holidays with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Craig.—Oshawa Vindicator.

Ex-Warden Wm. Fraleigh, of Bloom- ield, P.E.Co., is seriously ill. His many riends will be pleased to hear of his early ecovery.

Willie Clark, well-known in Belleville, and a member of the Maroon baseball club Toronto, is visiting friends in the city.

Mark Dulmage of Napanee is in the city for the holidays.

Mr. Wm. J. Hamilton the popular principal of the Campbellford public school was married on Tuesday to Mary Gordon, youngest daughter of Mr. John Sim of Peterboro.

N. McDonald, Belleville is in Montreal.

Mr. Alfred Gregg, architect, is in the y a guest of Mrs. Thomas Ritchie.

Miss Mary Dix, who has for the past ear been associated with Mrs. Schuster the work among the poor, left this orning for Chicago where she intends king a year's course to more fully qualify for christian work. She will be much missed in many humble homes in the city where her presence was always a bene- diction.

Mrs. and Miss Callaghan, Campbellford, are at the Queen's.

Toby Butler, Deseronto, is at the Queen's.

An Intellectual Treat.

The News Argus says:—We have just received notice by letter from Quebec that the promised entertainment by Mr. Gilbert Parker, the Anglo Canadian Novelist, Author and Elocutionist, will be given on January 17th, in the Music Hall, St rling, under the auspices of the ... next to the Ashley Carriage Co.

JOHN FORIN

LABOR APPRECIATED.

CHRISTMAS GIFTS DISTRIBUTED TO ALL TUCKETT'S EMPLOYEES.

Three Hundred Hearts Made Happy—They Encourage Their Help—An Annual Festival of Thanksgiving

(From Hamilton Times.)

There was a joyous scene at the tobacco manufactory of Messrs. George E. Tuckett, Son & Co, yesterday afternoon, when all the employees of the place assembled to receive their Christmas gifts.

It is a well-known fact that no employers of labor in Canada are more liberal, in Canada are more liberal with their employees than the company named above. Every year at this season every man, woman and child, who works in the factory are remembered, and the festive time is always looked forward to with a great deal of pleasure.

The distribution took place at 3.30 yesterday afternoon and there were present some three hundred employees, engaged in the rolling, pressing, stemming and other departments of the magnificent establishment.

Mr. Geo. T. Tuckett, Vice-President of the Company, delivered an address, in which he expressed the pleasure it gave him to meet them on the eve of another Christmas. He regretted that his father was absent, but if he was not present pysically they had a good likeness of him on the wall, and he (the speaker) was sure that he was with them in spirit, as that morning he had received a letter in which Mr Tuckett had referred in pleasing terms to the annual distribution, and wished them one and all "a merry Christmas and a happy New Year!" (Cheers.) The speaker said a prosperous business had been done in 1892, and the outlook for the firm was encouraging. The employees had done their duty in the past, and all that the company desired was that they should continue to do so. In former times it had been the habit of the old firm to grant competing prizes in the rolling department. A change has been made by the new company. It was their intention to give each of the piece hands a turkey, and every day and week hand would receive a week's wages; each stemmer would receive 50c. He closed by advising them, during the coming year to be faithful in the discharge of their duties, and so maintain good feeling between themselves and their employers. Mr. Tuckett's remarks were heartily applauded.

Mr. J. W. Lamoreaux, Secretary-treasurer of the company, also addressed the employees, speaking of the absence of the head of the firm in the kindest terms, and reminding them that provision had been made whereby any of them who felt so disposed had the privilege of taking stock in the concern. He declared that there was not another factory in Canada where the welfare of the hands were so well looked after, or where they were used so kindly. For eleven months in the year they had constant employment and the highest wages.

Excellent speeches were also made by Mr. Smith, foreman of the rolling department; Mr. Chas. Imboden, head caser, Mr. John B. King, head of the press room, Mr. L. Slaughter, assistant foreman of the rolling department, and Mr. D. M. Cameron, of the Inland Revenue department.

Numbered tickets were then given out to the piece hands, who went below and received the turkey which bore a corresponding number.

The week and day hands repaired to the office and received the gifts of money.

Altogether the affair was one which reflected creditably on the firm and the working people themselves.

ICE RACING.

Great Interest Being Taken in the Sport This Winter.

The ice on the bay is now solid and in good condition for all kinds of sport. Every day a large number of local sports can be seen on the bay speeding their flyers, and the list includes some pretty fast ones. An agitation is on foot among the more enthusiastic to have races during the winter and to form a circuit to include, Belleville, Trenton, Napanee, Picton and Deseronto. The idea is a good and no doubt will be carried through. A meeting will be called shortly and it is hoped a large number will signify their willingness to promote the scheme.

Sad Drowning Accident

A young lady named Emma Shea, and her companion John R. Boulker, both well known residents of Kingston were drowned in the harbor of that city Wednesday evening. Both were skating arm in arm, when the ice gave way precipitating both victims into the water. Although there were plenty of other skaters in the vicinity they were unable to render assistance. The bodies were recovered yesterday.

An Interesting Hour at Ontario Business College

Mr. H. N. Eddis, F.C.A., of Toronto, president of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of Ontario. delivered an able address on matters pertaining to accounting, before the students of Ontario Business College yesterday afternoon. At the close he alluded to the splendid reputation of Ontario Business College throughout the continent and the West Indies, and to the fact that Mr. Johnson, one of the Principals has the honor of being the 1st vice-president of the Institute of Chartered Accountants. The address was highly appreciated by the students.

A JUMP IN WHEAT.

The Price in Manitoba Goes up From Three to Five Cents a Bushel

Wheat has for some time been very low and dealers have been of the opinion a raise would surely come before long. Yesterday wheat prices took a jump of from 3 to 5 cents throughout Manitoba and the farmers are correspondingly happy. A further advance is looked for, the bulls just now having everything their own way. Whether the price will advance any here on account of the sudden rise in Manitoba will shortly manifest itself no doubt.

THE CITY MISSION

The Annual Festival Last Evening in Every way a Success

The merchants, grocers and friends sent super abundant supplies of useful articles toys, candies, fruit, popcorn, etc. for the yearly festival of the City Mission children which came off last evening, and was most successful. Mrs. Schuster desires to thank all who so kindly sent in donations for the occasion.

A BELLEVILLE BOY'S SUCCESS

The Popular Clerk of the Huffman House Secures a Lucrative Position

The many friends of Mr. Austin B. Conley, late clerk of the Huffman House, for the past six months has secured a lucrative position as salesman for Robt. Turner of Toronto. Mr. Conley has been in partnership with Mr. Huffman for the past seve... K. Grah... his success will be gladly ... yesterday ... his many friends. He will ... apples for ... duties of his new position the ... January.

The Hon. W. E. Gladstone enters upon his 84th year to-day.

A VALUABLE INVENTION

A Thurlow man Claims he has Remedied a Grievance

SIR.—Will you kindly allow me space in your valuable paper to bring to the notice of farmers and owners of threashing machines in particular, a very valuable invention which I am sure will prove a great boon to the farming community. Nelson Brentnell, of the township of Thurlow, who has for a long time followed the occupation of threshing is the inventor of the machine referred to. This invention consists of a simple and ingenious contrivance by which the grain, either loose or in sheaf is conveyed to the cylinder, instead of the feeder being compelled to stand behind the cylinder and use his hands to feed the machine, he can stand on a platform and with a common pitchfork perform the work with ease and regularity. If sheaves are being fed, a band cutter is readily attached which does the work of one man and much better. I may state that this machine can be attached to any threshing machine in use. The advantages gained by this invention consists mainly in reducing manual labor, greater regularity in feeding and as a consequence greater speed can be obtained with less waste of grain. I lately witnessed the machine in operation and can testify to its being a success. Mr. Brentnell informs me that he has obtained a patent for his invention and has made arrangements to have the machines manufactured, and any person desirous of obtaining one, can do so by addressing Mr. Brentnell, Corbyville P. O., Ont My motive for writing is not for the purpose of puffing Mr. Brentnell or his invention but is solely for the benefit of the farming community,

JAMES BALCANQUEL

Happy Youngsters.

The proverbial "cup of happiness" of each of five or six score members of the primary class of Bridge St. Sunday school was full to the brim last night. They first gave for an hour and a half a program of choruses, recitations etc., which exhibited what can be accomplished by persevering drill with clever children, and then received, from their earnest and loved teachers, souvenirs of the event in the shape of cups and saucers, oranges and candies. These were distributed out of baskets by a venerable Santa Claus, to whom the little ones gave a joyous welcome Short addresses were given by the Rev, E. N. Baker and the Hon. B. Flint, the latter telling of how often he had been taken for Santa Claus. The recitatins were by Emma Chislett, Fred. Harwood, Ethel Walton, Percy Reeves, Madeline Young, Mabel Vermilyea and Susie O'Flynn. The gem of the evening was a trio by Rena, Effie and Emma Chislett, they had to respond to two encores.

MUSIC AND THE DRAMA.

Mr. Henry E. Walton

A complimentary benefit is to be tenered the above gentleman next Thursday evening in the Queen's Opera House. Those who have charge of the affair are sparing no efforts to make this performance the event of the season and their efforts will no doubt be appreciated. Rehearsals are held every night in order that there may be no hitch in the proceedings. As Mr. Walton is well known and has many friends in the city and vicinity who will be pleased to pay their respect to him in a substantial manner, as the plan at Riggs' Music Store indicates, the house will be packed. The talent is all local, with the exception of Mr. Walton, and he promises the public to have them in a state of efficiency before the occasion. Some new talent and and also many of the "old heads" are included in the caste. The program will comprise "A Freak of Fortune" and "A Musical Melance." We wish them every success.

A nice audience greeted By Wits Outwitted company at the Opera house last night. The play ran smoothly throughout. Mr. W. S. Bates as a rich merchant was most faithful in his rendition and displayed the cultured artist throughout. His work simply captivated the audience. Mr. W. M. Paul as an oily slave trader, put in some meritrious work throughout the evening. Henry Lewis, although scarcely sprightly enough for a young lover, did his work well. Mrs. W. M. Paul, as Clementia, was scarcely in parts intense enough but her character and work stood out boldly. Miss Florence Nodona as the merchant's lovely daughter looked the character and was charming in her simplicity. The citizens were right royally entertained. This is a play with a few improvements that should hold the boards in New York for 300 or 400 concessive nights.

Cheap Overcoats

The Oak Hall wish to call particular attention to the lines of men's overcoats they are selling at $4. This may seem a remarkably low price to get any kind of a coat for, but just call and see this bargain. These are intended for men who think they cannot offord to keep warm.

The Lake Frozen Over

The lake is frozen over and the Pierrepont is obliged to lay up for the winter. The ice is two inches thick between Kingston and the Cape and ice boats were over from Wolfe Island this morning. John Carr was the first to cross. The Pierrepont was three hours coming from Cape Vincent last night.—Whig.

What Suits the Butchers.

Cowan and Leavens, of Picton, purchased from Thomas Jacobs, Rose Hall, two fat sheep, which when dressed weighed 151 lbs. each, and from Nathaniel Swetman, Hallowell, a 2 year-old steer which when dressed weighed 1000 lbs.

A Grand Banquet

There will be a grand banquet and jubilee at the Salvation Army Barracks for the benefit of the poor, on Wednesday. January 2nd, 93, from 4 p.m. until 7 p.m. A good program has been provided and an enjoyable time is promised. Admission to banquet and jubilee, only 15 cts.

DAVIS' PAIN-KILLER.—Its valuable properties as a speedy cure for pain cannot fail to be generally appreciated, and no family should be without it, in case of accident, or sudden attacked of dysentery, diarrhoea or cholera morbus. Big 25c. bottle.

To-day.

Hood's Sarsaparilla stands at the head in the medicine world, admired in prosperity and envied in merit by thousands of would be competitors. It has a larger sale than any other medicine. Such success would not be won without positive merit.

Hood's Pills cure constipation by restoring the peristaltic action of the alimentary canal. They are the best family cathartic

D. M. Waters, Chemist and druggist Belleville, has a supply of Membray's Kidney and Liver Cure in stock. Ask about it.

The great value of Hood's Sarsaparilla as a remedy for catarrh is vouched for by thousands of people whom it has cured.

MONEY TO LOAN
Office at VanTassel's Front Street,

The Mayoralty

SIR.—Now that the battle of municipal honors has fairly commenced, we only hope that the voters will not go it blind on polling day. I am satisfied that much of the material they have to select from is not all we would wish, and reminds me very much of the $450 rotatory scrub broom lately purchased for the city's use, entirely unsuited for the duties which they have to perform. Many an unfortunate "put up job" was perpetrated in the past for which we are now suffering, many an argument was most cunningly embelished, and many a dollar was freely spent, for which the parties interested were freely recompensed, to get the ratepayers to support some visionary project which was going to enhance the value of their property and make them all rich within a very short time. But alas! how disappointment has overtaken them, and as ex-Alderman Collins, whom I hope will again enter the council, very truly stated at the nomination the other day, with a fictitious assessment of the city in many cases, more then double the cash value of the property much of which are vacant tenements, and likely to remain so for many a day only goes to show what care should be taken to select honest men of good judgement to manage our affairs in the future.

Away with spendthrifts and those who seek the position of either mayor or aldermen for self gratification and the delusive honor it may bestow on some vain and empty natures, regardless of the interests of the city or its future prosperity.

We have arrived at a time when the greatest vigilance must be exercised, supefluties dispensed with and rigid economy practised, for at least a few years, so that much of our little holdings may not become entirely worthless.

In the present contest, my choice rests with Allen T. Petrie for mayor, whom I hope to see elected by a handsome majority. He has not only a prior claim for long and faithful services, but whose votes in the council were never at variance with the best interests of the city, a man of good parts and sound judgement, honorable in his dealings and full of of municipal experience. Elect him by all means, he is the most deserving, possessing all the qualities required for the position.

AN OLD RESIDENT

Why His Wife is "Fidgety."

I have the best cook in the town,
Whose bread is delicious and white;
Her coffee is fragrant and brown,
Her pantry a perfect delight.
But she daily complains of the worry they bring—
She's my own darling wife, but a fidgety thing!

Your wife is worn out, and needs Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, the only medicine guaranteed to cure debilitated women. How many overworked American ladies we see with lack-lustre eyes and haggard faces, growing old before their time, from those exhausting ailments that men know nothing of. They can be permanently cured by this remedy, as numberless grateful women will attest. Price refunded, if it fails to give satisfaction in every case. See guarantee printed on bottle-wrapper.

Some Strange Misnomers

Much of the Russia leather comes from Connecticut, Bordeaux wine from California, Italian marble from Kentucky, French lace from New York, and Spanish mackerel from the New Jersey coast. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery comes from Buffalo, N.Y., but there is nothing in its name to criticise for it is truly golden in value, as thousands gladly testify. Consumption is averted by its use, and it has wrought many positive cures. It corrects torpid liver and kidneys, purifies the blood banishes dyspepsia and scrofula, renews the lease of life, and tones up the system as nothing else will do. What is more, it is guaranteed to do all this, or the price is refunded.

The Doctor Orders it.

Sister Carolina, St. Andrew's Hospital, Clewer, Windsor, Eng., says: "I have found St. Jacob's Oil a most efficacious remedy for gout; also for spraines and bruises. Indeed, we cannot say too much in its praise. Our doctor is ordering it constantly." Many physicians use it.

Gratifying to All

The high position attained and the universal acceptance and approval of the pleasant liquid fruitremedy Syrup of Fig as the most excellent laxative known illustrate the value of the qualities on which its success is based and are abundantly gratifying to the California Fig Syrup Company.

Births, Deaths and Marriages

Any of these events which have not been already registered with City Clerk Robertson should be registered with him to-morrow to make the registration statistics as complete as possible for the year 1892. There is no charge for doing this, whereas, in case of neglect there is the liability of a fine of $20.

A Love Song in M Flat

"My modest matchless Madeline!
Mark my melodious midnight moans;
Much may my melting music mean—
My modulated monotones."

This young man stayed out too late, serenading his lady love. He caught a cold, which developed into catarrh, but he cured it with Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy, a sovereign specific for chronic cases, "Cold in the head," Catarrhal headache. It corrects the tainted breath, stops the offensive discharges, heals the irritated throat and nose, leaving the head clear, and smell and taste unimpaired. It costs but 50 cents, and the proprietors offer in good faith $500 for a case they cannot cure.

For four thousand years or more the world groaned, suffered and fumed about its corns, for their was no positive relief—no cerain and painless cure until Dr. Scott Putman gave to the world his great Corn Extractor. If there is suffering now it is a result of carelessness, for the remedy is at hand. Try Putman's Corn Extractor. It is sure painless, and prompt. Beware of substitutes. N. C. Polson & Co. proprieters. Kingston.

We Should Live One Hundred Years

We are century animals and have a perfect right to live out that period if we can. Many do so. Consumption has been killing off the flower of our youth through the centuries, but it will do so no more. Why? Because "Miller's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil," wherever used, cures consumption and the coughs and lung troubles which give rise to it. It will be like suicide to die of consumption in future if "Miller's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil" is within reach. In big bottles 50c. and $1.00 at all druggist.

Prepare For Cholera

Cleanliess, care and courage are the resources of civilization against cholera. Keep the blood scrupulously clean. Eat hot food. Take Burdock Blood Bitters to maintain regular digestion and ensure pure blood which is the very best safeguard against cholera or any other epidemic.

... moving pimples, black heads, etc

EGG OF THE GREAT AUK.

It is Worth $1,000 and Is Now in Possession of the Smithsonian Institution.

The Smithsonian Institution possess the most valuable egg in the world. It is an egg of the great auk, which became extinct about fifty years ago. The value of it is nominally $1,000, but it could not be purchased for that sum. According to the Boston Transcript few people realize that there are other eggs besides those of hens which have enormous commercial value. In England so-called "plovers' eggs," which are really those of lapwings, are sent to the city markets from the rural districts by hundreds of thousands. They are esteemed a great delicacy, and fetch a very high price, the use of them being for that reason confined almost exclusively to the aristocracy and other luxurious persons. Being only about the size of pigeon's eggs a good many of them are required to make a dish. Men make a business of gathering them from the nests in marshes and wet fields. A very extensive trade exists in the eggs of certain sea fowls, chiefly the murres and gillemots, which congregate in vast numbers about Iceland, Greenland, Labrador, the Hebrides and elsewhere in the north Atlantic, as well as in the north Pacific. Fleets of vessels, known as "eggers," are regularly employed in gathering these eggs, which are as good to eat as those laid by hens, though the flesh of the birds is too fishy to be edible. Much of what is known as "egg-albumen," used by bakers and otherwise for cooking purposes, is manufactured from the whites of these eggs and sent to market in the shape of a dry, crystallized product resembling fine glue in appearance. These sea fowl's eggs have one remarkable peculiarity. They are nearly conical in form, broad at the base and sharp at the point, so that they will only roll in a circle. They are laid on the bare ledges of high rocks, from which they would almost surely roll off save for this happy provision of nature.

Carlyle and Canada,

Thomas Carlyle was the outspoken and consistent friend of Canada, in whose vast untrodden wastes he saw, even before the value of the colonies was recognized by his disciple, Mr. Froude, the true remedy and refuge for Great Britain's distress. More than half a century ago, after some of the most terrible passages in his work on "Chartism"—that in which he commented on the Chinese policy unfolded in the Marcus pamphlet—the writer of which was called "the demon author"—he did not forget to remind his readers of the unusual abundance of land that awaited industrious toilers in this Greater Britain of ours. "For all this of the 'painless extinction' and the rest, is in a world where Canadian forests stand unfeiled, boundless plains and prairies unbroken with the plough; on the West and on the East, green desert spaces never yet made white with corn; and to the overcrowded little western nook of Europe, our terrestrial planet, nine-tenths of it yet vacant, is tenanted by nomads, is still crying, come and till me, come and reap me."—Montreal Gazette.

Aphorisms.

A man selects his enemies, his friends make themselves, and from these friends he is apt to suffer.—Donna Platt.

Enthusiasm imparts itself magnetically and fuses all into one happy and harmonious unity of feeling and sentiment.—A. Bronson, Alcott.

The most certain sign of being born with great qualities is to be born without envy. —Rochefoucauld.

Honest error is to be pitied, not ridiculed. —Lord Chesterfield.

He does nothing who endeavors to do more than is allowed to humanity.—Johnson.

To most men experience is like the stern lights of a ship, which illumine only the track it has passed.—Coleridge.

A noble soul spreads even over a face in which the architectonic beauty is wanting, an irresistible grace, and often even triumphs over the natural disfavor.—Schiller.

Happy

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Rejoice Because

Hood's Sarsaparilla Rescued Their Child from Scrofula.

For Scrofula, Salt Rheum, and all other foul humors in the blood of children or adults, Hood's Sarsaparilla is an unequalled remedy. Read this:

"We are so thankful to Hood's Sarsaparilla for what it did for our little girl that we make this statement for the benefit of other anxious parents and

Suffering Children

Our girl was a beautiful baby, fair and plump and healthy. But when she was two years old, sores broke out behind her ears and spread rapidly over her head and forehead down to her eyes, and into her neck. We consulted one of the best physicians in Brooklyn, but nothing did her any good. The doctors said it was caused by a scrofula humor in the blood. Her head became

One Complete Sore

offensive to the smell and dreadful to look at. Her general health waned and she would lay in a large chair all day without any life or energy. The sores caused **great itching** and burning, so that at times we had to restrain her hands to prevent scratching. For 3 years

She Suffered Fearfully

with this terrible humor. Being urged to try Hood's Sarsaparilla we did so. We soon noticed that she had more life and appetite. The medicine seemed to drive out more of the humor for a short time, but it soon began to subside, the **itching and burning ceased**, and in a few months her head became entirely clear of the sore. She is now **perfectly well**, has no evidence of the humor, and her skin is clear and healthy. She seems like an entirely different child, in health and general appearance, from what she was before taking

Hood's Sarsaparilla

I. W. FREDERICK, 311 Glenmore Ave., East New York, Brooklyn, N. Y.

This Testimonial

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HOOD'S PILLS cure liver ills, constipation, biliousness, ... sick headache, indigestion.

Proved Beyond Dispute

No one now doubts that Burdock Blood Bitters will cure dyspepsia, biliousness, constipation, headache or bad blood. The proof is so thorough and overwhelming that the doubters have been silenced and B.B.B. is secured in its place as the best purifying tonic and regulator extant.

Byron Holt, Princeton, Ont.

Cannot be Denied

The curative influence of the pine in lung diseases is everywhere admitted, and when combined with other effective pectoral remedies as in Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup the effect is doubly beneficial. No case of cough. asthma, bronchitis or hoarseness can resist the healing powers of Dr. Wood's Pine Syrup. 25 and 50c. druggists.

If rheumatism has seized your joints, and other remedies failed, try Dr. Butler's Golden Pills; two boxes ensure a cure.

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We will be most happy to have you call and inspect our stock.

CHRISTMAS GROCERIES!

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Have a complete stock. Raisins of all varieties. Currants, Figs, Dates, Citron, Orange and Lemon Peels, Batgers, Jellies, all flavors, Choice Confectionery, Almonds, Walnuts, etc.
Use the "Elevator" Baking Powder. It is the best.

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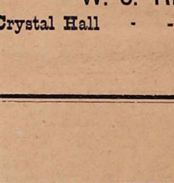

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The leading Furnishers, 260 Front Street, Belleville

SHOP EARLY.

And often this week. Thursday and Saturday the farmers will demand a large share of our attention Our display don't include raisins or tea, pills or perfumery, books or dolls but if you want a piece of SILVER WARE, A LAMP, a DINNER or TEA SET or anything in china crockery why see us—that's where we shine—so much better choice in such a store as this than shops where there's a little of everything and not much of anything. Nine hanging and five parlor table lamps sold Saturday. This shows how the main stream of trade keeps the old channel
Open every night this week.

W. J. REID & CO,

Crystal Hall - - - Rous' Old Stand

Greeting and Compliments

OF THE SEASON

To All Our Patrons.

CHRISTMAS MUST BE OBSERVED

And the best way to observe the Anniversary is to BUY ONE OF OUR $20,00 FINE TAILOR MADE SUITS FOR $12.00. But what we want to talk to you about this week is **FURNISHINGS** for Holiday Trade. Read our Price List:—

$1.50 Kid Gloves we sell for	$1.00.	6.00 Silk Underwear we sell for	$3.00
1.25 " "	90.	5.00 Natural Wool Underwear	2.75
75 " "	50.	3,00 Scotch Underwear "	1.75
1.00 Heavy all wool under'wr	65.	40 Cashmere Socks "	25

Silk Handkerchiefs, in beautiful patterns, 20, 25, 50, 75 and $1.00. Ties we commence at 10c, worth 25. Our 25c Tie is worth 50, and our 45c Tie is sold all over for 75c. In Ties we carry the largest range in the County, and whilst we are Clothing First, Last and Always, we show the largest and Nobbiest range of Furnishings in Belleville. Remember we sell all our goods retail at wholesale prices. A call is solicited.

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